

LSU

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY
2016 STUDENT GUIDEBOOK
LSU GLOBAL




LOVE
PURPLE
LIVE
GOLD

A HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATION

235+
FIELDS OF STUDY

 Located in Baton Rouge,
the capital city of Louisiana

Brings in more than
\$150 million annually
in outside research grants and contracts

 Only an hour away from
New Orleans, home of
jazz, the French Quarter
and Mardi Gras

22:1 Student-to-Faculty Ratio
– small, personal classes

#62 TOP PUBLIC SCHOOLS
[U.S. News and World Report]

#129 NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES
[U.S. News and World Report]

#80 BEST UNDERGRADUATE BUSINESS PROGRAM
[U.S. News and World Report]

#77 BEST GRADUATE BUSINESS SCHOOL
[U.S. News and World Report]

#76 CHEMISTRY
[U.S. News and World Report, 2015]

#94 BEST LAW SCHOOL
[U.S. News and World Report, 2015]

#87 BEST UNDERGRADUATE ENGINEERING PROGRAM
[U.S. News and World Report, 2015]

#21 BEST VETERINARY SCHOOLS
[U.S. News and World Report, 2015]

#101 COMPUTER SCIENCE
[U.S. News and World Report, 2015]

STUDENT PROFILE

25,000+
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS AT LSU



48% MALE



52% FEMALE

6% INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS*
*Graduate and undergraduate students



Baton Rouge Life on the Bayou

Located in Baton Rouge, the capital of Louisiana, LSU is one of the most beautiful campuses in the United States. Students can attend classes and then head downtown for sushi, concerts and shopping. Baton Rouge, home to almost 230,000 people, has a rich culture with historic plantations, delicious Southern food (have you ever tried fried alligator?) and year-round music, theater and art festivals.



Life on Campus

LSU has a vibrant student community, with hundreds of student organizations, sports teams, art clubs and cultural groups. Amid classes and studying, you might join some student organizations or an intramural sports team. Some days, you'll just want to stroll around campus with friends, explore the on-campus museum and art gallery or gather your books for an outdoor study session near the lakes.

Choose Your Degree

With more than 235 academic fields of study in 10 colleges and schools, you are guaranteed to find a program you are interested in. Dream big, and come make a new home at LSU. Plus, LSU offers an additional 126 graduate programs for students interested in graduate or professional degrees in their areas of study.



College of Agriculture

Agricultural Business

- Agribusiness Finance
- Food Industry Management
- International Business
- Rural Development
- Without Concentration

Agricultural Education (Grades 6-12)

- Leadership and Communication
- Teaching and Learning

Animal, Dairy, and Poultry Science

- Animal Science
- Dairy Foods Technology
- Dairy Production
- Poultry Science
- Pre-veterinary Medicine
- Science and Technology

Environmental Management Systems

- Environmental Analysis and Risk Management
- Policy Analysis
- Resource Conservation

Natural Resource Ecology and Management

- Conservation Biology
- Ecological Restoration
- Fisheries and Aquaculture
- Forest Enterprise
- Forest Resource Management
- Pre-veterinary Medicine – Wildlife and Fisheries
- Wetland Science
- Wildlife Ecology
- Wildlife Habitat Conservation
- Wildlife Law Enforcement

Nutrition and Food Sciences

- Dietetics
- Food Science and Technology
- Nutrition, Health, and Society
- Nutritional Sciences/Pre-medicine

Plant and Soil Systems

- Agricultural Pest Management/Entomology
- Agricultural Pest Management/Plant Pathology
- Crop Science
- Environmental Horticulture
- Horticulture Science
- Landscape Management
- Soil Science
- Sustainable Production Systems
- Turfgrass Management
- Urban Entomology

Textiles/Apparel/Merchandising

- Apparel Design
- Merchandising
- Textile Science

College of Art & Design

Architecture

Interior Design

Landscape Architecture

Studio Art

- Ceramics
- Digital Art
- Graphic Design
- Painting and Drawing
- Photography
- Printmaking
- Sculpture

E. J. Ourso College of Business

Accounting

Economics

- Empirical Economic Analysis
- Without Concentration

Finance

General Business

Information Systems and Decision Sciences

- Business Intelligence
- Information Technology

International Trade and Finance

- Empirical Economic Analysis
- Without Concentration

Management

- Entrepreneurship
- Human Resource Management
- Management

Marketing

- Professional Sales

The School of the Coast & Environment

Coastal Environmental Science

- Applied Coastal Environmental Science
- Environmental Science and Research

College of Engineering

Biological Engineering

Chemical Engineering

- Biomolecular
- Environmental
- Materials
- Without Concentration

Civil Engineering

Computer Engineering

Computer Science

- Cloud Computing and Networking
- Computer Science and Second Discipline
- Distributed Systems and Networking
- Data Science and Analytics
- Software Engineering

Construction Management

Electrical Engineering

Environmental Engineering

Industrial Engineering

Mechanical Engineering

Petroleum Engineering

College of Human Sciences & Education

Athletic Training

- Without Concentration

Child and Family Studies

- Without Concentration

Dual-Certification General/Special Education: Grades 1-5

Elementary Grades Education

- 4-year Teacher Certification
- 5-year Certification with Master's Degree [Holmes Certification]

Human Resource Education

- Human Resource and Leadership Development

Kinesiology

- Fitness Studies
- Health and Physical Education Teacher Certification
- Human Movement Science
- Sports Studies

PK-3 Teacher Certification

Sport Administration

- Sport Commerce
- Sport Leadership

College of Humanities & Social Sciences

Anthropology

Communication Disorders

Communication Studies

Economics

- Empirical Economic Analysis
- Without Concentration

English

- Creative Writing
- Literature
- Secondary Education
- Rhetoric, Writing, and Culture

French

- Secondary Education
- Without Concentration

Geography, BA

Geography, BS

History

- Secondary Education
- Without Concentration

Interdisciplinary Studies

- Health Sciences
- Individualized Studies
- Leadership and Society
- Studies in Organizations
- Writing and Performing Arts

International Studies

- Africa
- Asia
- Environment and Development
- Europe
- Global Cultures
- Global Diplomacy
- Global Studies
- Latin America
- Middle East

Liberal Arts

- African and African-American Studies
- Art History
- Classical Civilization
- Disaster Science and Management
- Film and Media Arts
- Women's and Gender Studies

Philosophy

- Religious Studies
- Without Concentration

Political Science

Psychology

Sociology

- Criminology
- Without Concentration

Spanish

- Secondary Education
- Without Concentration

Manship School of Mass Communication

Mass Communication

- Digital Advertising
- Journalism
- Political Communication
- Public Relations

College of Music & Dramatic Arts

Music, BA

Music, BM

- Brass
- Composition
- Harp
- Organ
- Percussion
- Piano Pedagogy
- Piano Performance
- String
- Voice
- Woodwind

Music, BME

- Instrumental
- Vocal

Theatre

- Arts Administration
- Design/Technology
- Film and Television
- Performance
- Physical Theatre
- Theatre Studies

College of Science

Biochemistry

Biological Sciences

- Marine Biology
- Secondary Education
- Without Concentration

Chemistry

- Biological Chemistry
- Chemical Physics
- Chemistry and Second Discipline
- Environmental Chemistry
- Materials
- Polymers
- Pre-professional Chemistry
- Secondary Education
- Without Concentration

Geology

- Environmental Geology
- Geophysics
- Without Concentration

Mathematics

- Actuarial Science
- Applied/Discrete Mathematics
- Computational Mathematics
- Mathematical Statistics
- Secondary Education
- Without Concentration

Microbiology

Physics

- Astronomy
- Medical Physics
- Physics and Second Discipline
- Secondary Education
- Without Concentration

University Center for Advising & Counseling

Allied Health (pre-professional/non-degree)*

- Cardiopulmonary Science
- Clinical Lab Science – Medical Technician
- Dental Hygiene
- Dental Lab Technician
- Physician's Assistant
- Pre-medical Technology
- Pre-nursing
- Pre-occupational Therapy
- Pre-pharmacy
- Pre-physical Therapy

University Center for Freshman Year

Undecided – Arts and Humanities

Undecided – Science and Engineering

Undecided – Social Sciences

* The final two to three years of these pre-professional programs are offered by the LSU Health Sciences Center and/or other medical schools. Students interested in applying to these professional programs are strongly encouraged to review the application process and prerequisite course information found at lsuhsc.edu and lsuhscshreveport.edu.

235 ACADEMIC
FIELDS OF STUDY
IN 10 COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS

Majors and progression requirements subject to change. Please refer to www.lsu.edu/academics for the most up-to-date information on available majors and progression requirements. Undergraduate Accelerator students may require additional course work to progress to certain colleges. Please check with your LSU representative for more information.



College of Engineering

The LSU College of Engineering is dedicated to creating engineers who can transform ideas into reality to solve society's problems and improve the quality of life. We cultivate leaders with a strong sense of global awareness, an entrepreneurial spirit and great communication skills. LSU engineering students are immediately successful after graduation due to experiences that yield increased opportunities in the workforce.

Companies hire LSU graduates because our program is designed to prepare future industry leaders in a variety of disciplines. We do this through award-winning programs, professors and research opportunities. The LSU College of Engineering is the best in the state and is one of the five fastest-growing colleges in the country.

Halliburton, Shell, and ExxonMobile are three of the top employers of LSU Engineering graduates.

[LSU College of Engineering data]

#87 Best Undergraduate Engineering Programs

[U.S. News and World Report]

200+ Companies recruit LSU Engineering students

[U.S. News and World Report]

CHOOSE A MAJOR

Biological Engineering	Electrical Engineering
Chemical Engineering	Environmental Engineering
Civil Engineering	Industrial Engineering
Computer Engineering	Mechanical Engineering
Computer Science	Petroleum Engineering
Construction Management	

PETROLEUM ENGINEERING

LSU is the only school in the United States that offers (and requires) hands-on training using actual oil wells. The Petroleum Engineering Research & Technology Transfer (PERTT) is an industrial-scale facility with full-scale equipment and instrumentation for training and research.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

The IBM Services Center in Baton Rouge is Louisiana's largest software development project. IBM works with LSU professors to provide internship opportunities and potential jobs to computer science students focusing on technology, math and software development.

EA Sports, the global gaming company, has a presence on campus for students who are interested in game development.

E. J. Ourso College of Business

A new, multimillion-dollar Business Education Complex offers specialized professional training and degrees that educate students to become leaders in business around the world. The E. J. Ourso College of Business offers multiple programs to ensure that students gain experience that directly relates to their careers. In fact, the Entrepreneurship Fellowship is a year-long work/study program offered to a small, select group of undergraduate students that helps them turn their passions into careers. The LSU Center for Internal Auditing is considered the premier internal audit program in the world.

#80 Best Undergraduate Business Programs

[U.S. News and World Report]

#77 Best Graduate Business Schools

[U.S. News and World Report]

CHOOSE A MAJOR

Accounting	Information Systems and Decision Sciences
Economics	International Trade and Finance
Finance	Management
General Business	Marketing

LSU STUDENT FINANCE ASSOCIATION (SFA)

Every year, the SFA travels to the Financial District in New York City to meet with several financial firms and learn about what it's like to work in finance in NYC. Also, the new Business Complex boasts a real stock ticker and simulated trading floor, so students can advise on how to best "invest" LSU's \$1,000,000 Tiger Fund portfolio.

FINANCE

The Securities Markets Analysis Research and Trading (SMART) Lab provides a live, simulated trading floor. Students have access to the Bloomberg Essentials Online Training program, covering topics such as equity, fixed income and foreign exchange.

LSU was named a CFA Program Partner by the CFA Institute, showing that the E. J. Ourso College's curriculum is closely tied to professional practice.

Undergraduate Accelerator

For international students, the move from high school in your home country to a university in the United States can be challenging – a new language, new ways of learning and a new home. The Undergraduate Accelerator eases this transition by combining credit-bearing courses from the first year of your degree with additional academic support, instruction and cultural experiences. Together, these facets of the program combine to create a learning-centered environment that promotes academic success, active involvement in campus life and community engagement.

The Undergraduate Accelerator Experience

The Undergraduate Accelerator is comprised of three distinct programs: Extended Accelerator, Academic Accelerator and Integrated Accelerator. The program that's right for you will depend on your academic background, level of English-language proficiency and personal preferences; however, all Undergraduate Accelerator programs offer the following:

- **FLEXIBILITY**
With the U.S. academic model, you can change majors and explore what interests you, customize your educational experience and pursue your dreams.
- **24/7 SUPPORT**
As an Undergraduate Accelerator student, you and your family benefit from round-the-clock support for help with all matters, large or small.
- **DEDICATED SUPPORT SERVICES TEAM**
New students will receive support on all issues, academic and personal, as well as help with practicalities such as airport pickup, opening a bank account and mobile phone registration. Your support team will include:
 - Student Services Advisor
 - Regular tutoring sessions
 - Career Advisors
 - Academic Advisors
- **SMALL CLASS SIZES**
You're given greater individual attention and tailored support with our small class sizes.
- **AMERICAN CULTURAL EXPERIENCES**
The Live, Learn, Grow course gives you the social, professional and academic skills to succeed beyond the Undergraduate Accelerator. Best of all, it includes eight cultural experiences that connect you with your fellow students and your community. These experiences might include cheering on the Tigers at a football game, tailgating at an away game with your dormmates, or taking a Swamp Tour with the Undergraduate Accelerator.
- **CAREER ACCELERATOR PROGRAM**
Through the two-year CAP program, you'll enhance your employability, gain skills to advance your academic performance and access opportunities for real-world work placement, either during your degree or upon graduation.
- **LEARNING TRACK ELECTIVE AREAS**
Depending on their choice of major, students will follow an elective curriculum based on one of the following three tracks:
 - Humanities and Social Sciences
 - Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics [STEM] and Information Sciences
 - Business, Finance and Economics

What will I learn?

As an Undergraduate Accelerator student, you will take a core, support-focused curriculum that is an important part of the program. You may also choose from three academic tracks: Humanities and Social Sciences; STEM and Computer Science; or Business and Finance.

By successfully completing the Undergraduate Accelerator, you can earn between 24 and 30 credits that count toward your degree. The total number of credits earned will depend on your start date and performance in your courses.



COURSE SPOTLIGHT: LIVE, LEARN, GROW

Depending on your specific program track, you will take either one, two or three semesters of the Undergraduate Accelerator's signature course: Live, Learn, Grow. The course curriculum's skills-based and experiential approach is critical to your personal and professional growth and helps to ensure your success at Louisiana State University and beyond.

- Acquire essential information for day-to-day life at LSU as you navigate your immediate physical and emotional surroundings and immerse yourself deeper into the LSU community.
- Become a well-rounded, autonomous learner by exploring the individual nature of learning and employing active-learning exercises to demonstrate effective learning strategies.
- Share your experiences, document your growth and articulate your personal, academic and professional goals through a capstone video project, while simultaneously building technical skills through the use of mixed media tools and techniques.



Prepare for Success

Extended Accelerator Program

The Extended Accelerator Program (EAP) is a three-semester program for students seeking an immersive English-learning experience. The program gives students a firsthand practical and cultural understanding of the LSU campus and Baton Rouge area through its contextual curriculum. Students may enter the program in the spring, summer or fall. Upon completion of the program, students progress into year two of their undergraduate education with a full year's worth of academic credits.

- **AN IMMERSIVE EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE** with a contextual curriculum bridging language, culture and academics.
- **BATON ROUGE AND THE WORLD** is a unique course designed for international students that will deepen your working knowledge of life in the United States and give you a comprehensive understanding of the local community and region.
- **BOLSTER YOUR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT** with turbo-charged English-language instruction, tutoring, academic advising and student support.
- **BENEFIT FROM PERSONALIZED ENGLISH-LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION** that's fully contextual; for instance, lab-specific English-language instruction alongside your lab-science course.

Learning Track Elective Areas

Depending on their choice of major, students will follow an elective curriculum based on one of the following three tracks:

- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) and Information Sciences
- Business, Finance and Economics

Sample Curriculum

SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2	SEMESTER 3
Live, Learn, Grow 1	Live, Learn, Grow 2	Live, Learn, Grow 3
English for Academic Purposes 1 (EAP-1)	English for International Students 1 (for college credit)	English for International Students 2 (for college credit)
Core: Louisiana in the Global Context	Core: Cultural Anthropology	Core: Views of an American Landscape
Core: University Math I	Core: College Algebra–Calculus 2	Core: University Math
	Core: General Chemistry	Core: General degree course requirements
		Core: American Pop Music

Total credits: 30



Be Empowered

Academic Accelerator Program

The Academic Accelerator Program [AAP] is a two-semester program designed specifically for students who are ready to succeed in immersive English-speaking classrooms, but who also want the benefit of English-language and student support that will help them thrive. The program curriculum offers a balance of University-wide and AAP-exclusive courses, with English-language course supplements that equip students with the practical, subject-specific vocabulary and skills they need to excel in their coursework. Students may enter the program in the spring, summer or fall. Upon completion of the program, students progress into year two of their undergraduate education with a full year's worth of academic credits.

- **JUST THE RIGHT AMOUNT OF SUPPORT** when you need it. The Academic Accelerator Program features a curriculum designed to accommodate your academic and English-language needs.
- **ENGLISH-LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION** designed around your social and academic needs; for example, you will be prepared specifically for the classes you will take, such as Algebra and U.S. History.
- **CREDIT-BEARING**, so you can earn a full freshman year's-worth of credits while taking courses tailored to your needs as an international student, helping you achieve your academic and career goals.
- **INTEGRATED WITH OPEN AND CLOSED COURSES**, so you'll be in some classes with U.S. students and others with your designated International Accelerator cohort.

Learning Track Elective Areas

Depending on their choice of major, students will follow an elective curriculum based on one of the following three tracks:

- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics [STEM] and Information Sciences
- Business, Finance and Economics

Sample Curriculum

SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
Live, Learn, Grow 1	Live, Learn, Grow 2
English for International Students 1 [for college credit]	English for International Students 2 [for college credit]
Core: Intro to Environmental Science	Core: Views of an American Landscape
Core: Cultural Anthropology	Core: General Chemistry
Core: College Algebra–Calculus 2	Core: General degree course requirements
Core: Louisiana in a Global Context	Core: American Pop Music

Total credits: 24-30





Get More than High Marks

Integrated Accelerator Program

The Integrated Accelerator Program (IAP) is a two-semester program designed specifically for international students with an advanced level of English-language proficiency but who also want the academic, cultural, professional and linguistic support they need to thrive at LSU. The program features a robust advising and mentorship component, as well as priority access to the most exclusive, in-demand courses. Students may enter the program in the spring, summer or fall. Upon completion of the program, students progress into year two of their undergraduate education with a full year's worth of academic credits.

- **FOR THE HIGH-ACHIEVING INTERNATIONAL STUDENT**, the Integrated Accelerator Program provides an exclusive and academically rigorous freshman-year experience.
- **HAVE PRIORITY ACCESS** to a selection of courses hand-picked by your academic advisor, which are tailored to your interests and career goals.
- **FIND SUCCESS WITH COACHES AND MENTORS** that help ensure you have access to the resources you need to get the most out of your education and your experience in the United States.
- **EXPAND YOUR NETWORK** through career preparation and programming that deepens your connection to the University, your fellow students and potential employers.

Learning Track Elective Areas

Depending on their choice of major, students will follow an elective curriculum based on one of the following three tracks:

- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics [STEM] and Information Sciences
- Business, Finance and Economics

Sample Curriculum

SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
Live, Learn, Grow 1	Live, Learn, Grow 2
English for International Students 1 (for college credit)	English for International Students 2 (for college credit)
Core: Intro to Environmental Science	Core: Views of an American Landscape
Core: Cultural Anthropology	Core: General Chemistry
Core: College Algebra–Calculus 2	Core: General degree course requirements
Core: Louisiana in a Global Context	Core: American Pop Music

Total credits: 24-30

This is Real-World Success

The LSU Global Career Accelerator Program

Looking to get a head start on your professional future? If you choose to participate in our Career Accelerator Program (CAP) alongside the Undergraduate Accelerator and your degree, you will be heading for career success from day one. You'll enhance your employability, gain skills to advance your academic performance and access opportunities for real-world work placement either while acquiring your degree or upon graduation.

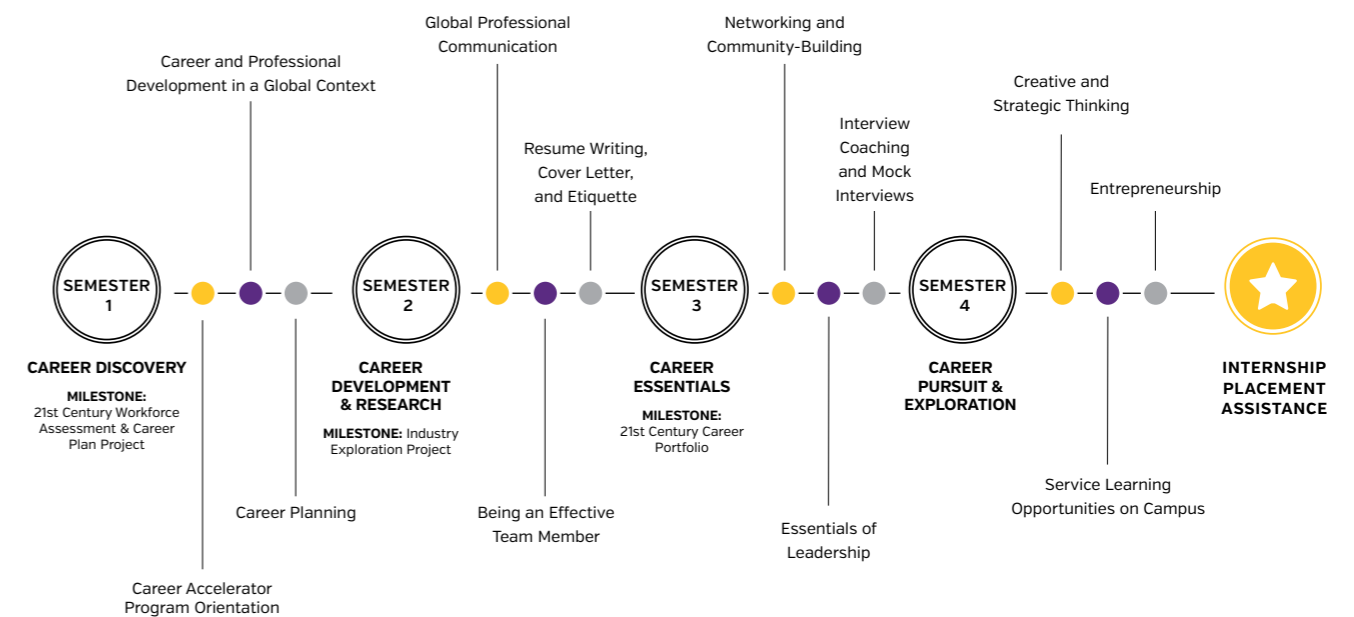
The LSU Global Career Accelerator Program lasts for two or more years and is tailored to the unique experience of international students. It will help you develop the skills to stand out in a crowded global job market: exploring career interests, practicing interview skills, developing a powerful resume or CV and connecting with potential employers.

To be eligible for internship placement assistance, students must:

- Successfully complete all required elements of the Career Accelerator Program
- Have at least a 3.3 GPA
- Have maintained appropriate immigration status in the United States

Once you begin the program, you will have access to advisors who will help you to successfully navigate these requirements.

Visit LSUGlobal.com for more information.



The above timeline outlines the main topics and activities delivered each semester. Additional career events, workshops and guest speakers that are arranged will be announced at the start of the program.



Outstanding Education. Outstanding Value.

LSU offers a world-class education at an affordable price. LSU graduates include award-winning performers, world-renowned orthopedic surgeons, famous athletes, global architects and more. As an LSU alumnus, you will have connections to top companies like Gerber, Kraft, Nestlé, Ralph Lauren, Vera Wang, DreamWorks Animation, CNN, Nike, Ernst & Young, Deloitte & Touche LLP, JPMorgan Chase and Shell. The LSU alumni network stretches across the United States and around the globe, forever connected by the cheer, "Geaux Tigers!"

AT LSU, YOU WON'T JUST GET A WONDERFUL EDUCATION – YOU WILL GET HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE.

IBM has a large services center in Baton Rouge and works closely with LSU professors to provide internship opportunities and potential jobs to computer science students.

Millie, the world's first cloned transgenic goat, was created at the LSU College of Agriculture and the LSU AgCenter.

The U.S. Department of Energy established a multimillion-dollar center on LSU's campus to research new, improved, cleaner forms of energy.

The College of Engineering at LSU is the only university in North America where petroleum engineering students can work at a full-scale, well-controlled research and training facility.

COMPANIES RECRUITING LSU GRADUATES



ADD YOUR NAME TO THE LIST OF FAMOUS AND INFLUENTIAL LSU ALUMNI



Shaquille O'Neal
 - 4-time NBA champion and 15-time NBA All-Star
 - Bachelor of Business Administration, 1992



Carlos Roberto Flores
 - President of Honduras, 1998-2002
 - Bachelor of Science Industrial Engineering, 1971
 - Bachelor of Science International Trade & Finance, 1973
 - MBA, International Economics and Finance
 - Honorary Doctor of Humane Letters, 1995
 - Met his wife, Mary, at LSU!



Lolo Jones
 - Olympic athlete
 - Bachelor of Arts Economics, 2005



Dr. James Andrews
 - World-renowned orthopedic surgeon for knee and shoulder injuries
 - Client list includes athletes such as Michael Jordan, Drew Brees, Brett Favre, and Albert Pujols
 - Bachelor of Science—Arts & Sciences Medical Combined, 1963
 - LSU School of Medicine, 1967



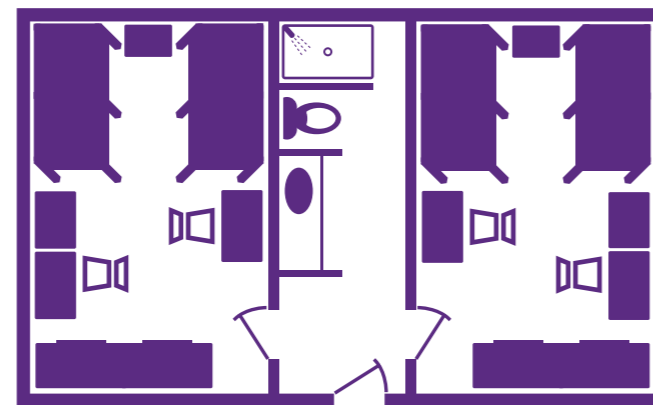
Student Housing

As an Undergraduate Accelerator student, you will be assigned living accommodations on campus. All halls are centrally located on the LSU campus, so you will be just steps away from your classes, dining halls, the library and all the on-campus action. Living in the residence halls is a one-year commitment. Housing assignments are based on availability. Two possible living accommodations are outlined below. Please know that you may be assigned to a residence hall with a different floor plan. Visit LSUGlobal.com for more information.

Possible Student Residence Halls

Kirby Smith Hall

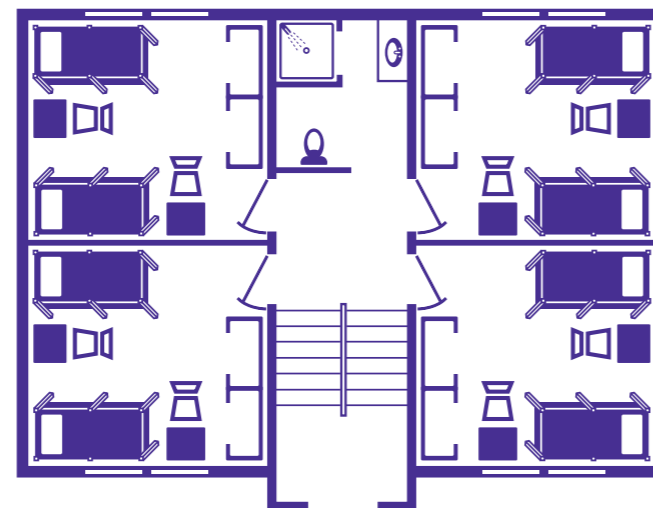
- Around 500 students living in the hall
- All-male or all-female floors with restricted card access
- Two-student rooms with four-person, in-suite baths
- Newly renovated and fully carpeted
- Rooms are fully furnished with beds, desks, desk chairs, and movable wardrobes
- Central air conditioning
- 24-hour front desk in lobby, large recreation room, and separate TV room on first floor



Two-Student, In-Suite Bath / 12' x 15'4"

Pentagon Community Beauregard Hall, Jackson Hall, Lejeune Hall or Taylor Hall

- Around 100 students living in each hall
- All-male or all-female "stacks" with restricted card access
- Unique stack (vertical) layout offers students a more private living environment
- Recently renovated hall bath on each floor in a stack
- Only three or four two-student rooms on each floor
- Rooms are fully furnished with beds, desks, desk chairs and movable wardrobes
- Central air conditioning
- 24-hour front desk, TV common area and study space in Pentagon Activity Center



Two-Student, Hall Bath / 14'6" x 12'11"

Student Meal Plans

All students living on campus are required to participate in a meal plan offered at LSU. Meal plans offer all-you-care-to-eat access to two dining halls and additional "Tiger Cash" that students can use at more than 25 other restaurants around campus. You'll always have a variety of options close to you, so you never have to go hungry, either during your class day or at home.

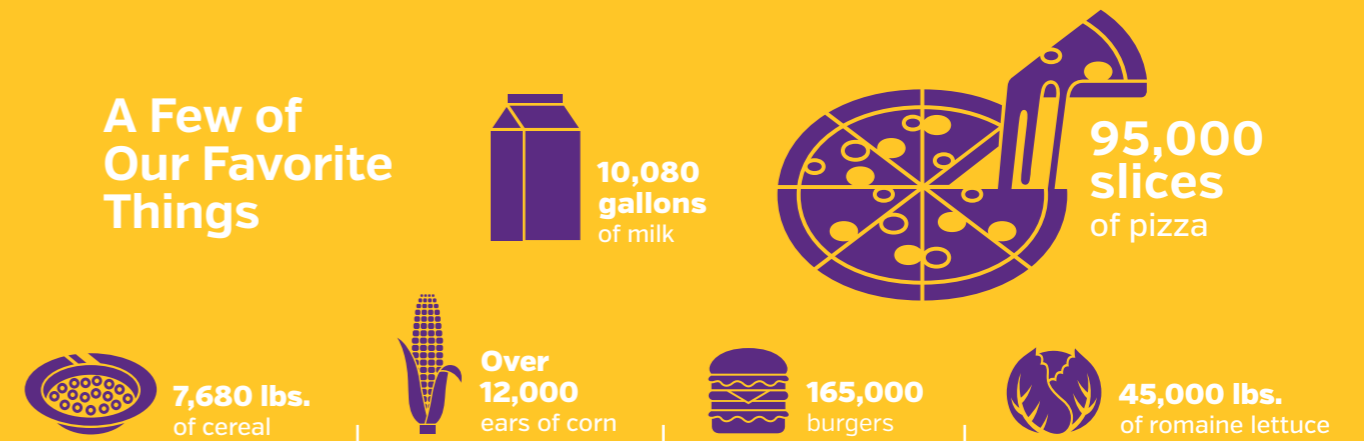
Students can choose from a variety of healthy food options, including a soup and salad bar, oven-baked pizzas, American deli-style sandwiches, vegetarian and vegan options and freshly baked desserts, to name a few. Plus, students can try Louisiana-style, classic food like crawfish etouffee, jambalaya, red beans and rice and shrimp creole. These dining halls serve more than 500,000 meals per semester, so they are well-prepared to feed everybody!

Student Dining Halls:

- **THE 5**
This dining hall is located on the northwest side of campus, next to the Pentagon Community Hall, Kirby Smith Halls and athletic fields.
- **THE 459 COMMONS**
Located on the southeast side of campus, this dining hall is next to a number of other residence halls.



A Few of Our Favorite Things



Dining halls serve more than **500,000 meals** per semester.

Ways to Enter

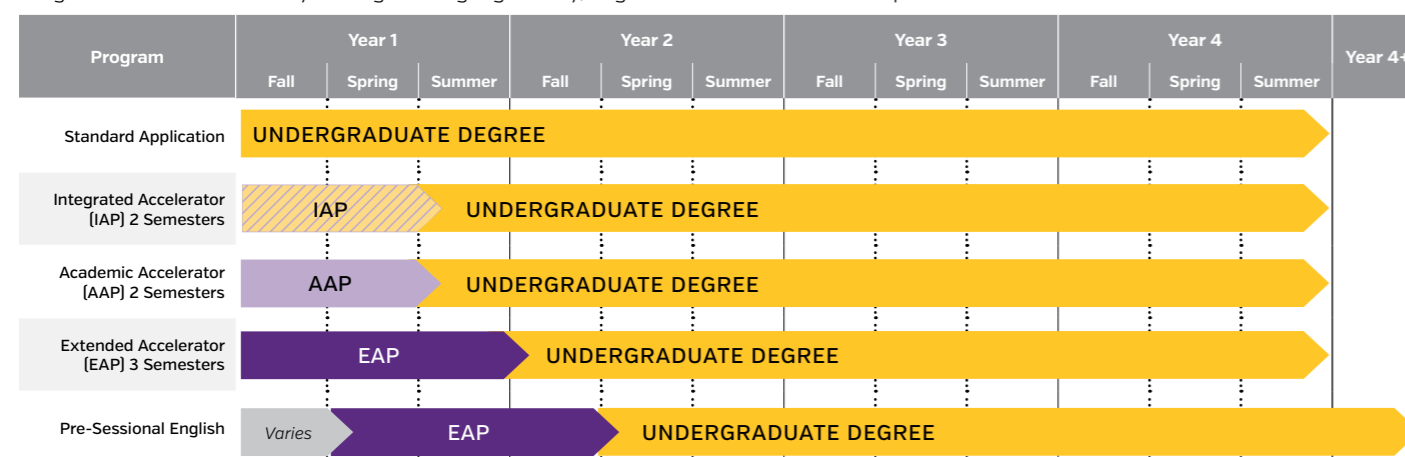
LSU offers several ways for international students to enter their first year. The entry path that is best for you will depend on your academic qualifications, your English-language level and your own personal preferences.

	STANDARD APPLICATION	INTEGRATED ACCELERATOR (IAP)	ACADEMIC ACCELERATOR (AAP)	EXTENDED ACCELERATOR (EAP)	PRE-SESSIONAL ENGLISH
First-Year Program Length	2 Semesters	2 Semesters	2 Semesters	3 Semesters	8- or 16-week sessions <i>Duration based on English-language proficiency</i>
Program Curriculum	Flexible	Preset	Preset	Preset	Preset
Total Credits Earned Towards Degree	33+ credits	24-30 credits	24-30 credits	30+ credits	Not Applicable
Progression Requirements	Standard freshman progression	GPA 2.5 and good university standing	GPA 2.5 and good university standing	GPA 2.5 and good university standing	Completion of ELOP level 4 or higher with a minimum grade of C OR Satisfactory score on the Institutional TOEFL Exam
Progression Into	Year 2 of degree	Year 2 of degree	Year 2 of degree	Year 2 of degree	Extended Accelerator Program
Minimum GPA Requirement for Entry	3.0	3.0	2.5	2.5	2.5
Minimum IELTS/TOEFL Requirement for Entry	TOEFL 79/ IELTS 6.5	TOEFL 79/ IELTS 6.5	TOEFL 68/ IELTS 5.5	TOEFL 60/ IELTS 5.0	TOEFL < 60/ IELTS < 5.0
Other Standardized Tests Required	SAT or ACT	None	None	None	None
Tuition and Fees	\$27,000*	\$28,800	\$28,800	\$33,800	\$6,500

* Standard Entry tuition listed is 2015. Please visit lsu.edu/admissions/costs-aid/tuition-fees/ for 2016 estimate.

Progression

Progression varies based on your English-language ability, degree choice and course load per semester.



Important Dates

Students may apply to enter LSU Global three times during the year – spring, summer and fall. Students who would like to take additional English courses before they progress to their academic careers may enter through through a pre-sessional English program before progressing to the Extended Accelerator Program. This is offered through LSU's English Language and Orientation Program (ELOP), and depending on English language needs, students may choose to enroll in an 8- or 16-week program. Please speak with an LSU Global representative for more information.

All dates and deadlines are subject to change. Check LSUGlobal.com for the latest information.

Spring 2016

	EXTENDED ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 3 Semesters	ACADEMIC ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 2 Semesters	INTEGRATED ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 2 Semesters	PRE-SESSIONAL ENGLISH 16 Weeks	PRE-SESSIONAL ENGLISH 8 Weeks
Application Deadline*	December 4, 2015	December 4, 2015	December 4, 2015	December 4, 2015	February 10, 2016
Move-in Date	January 6, 2016	January 6, 2016	January 6, 2016	January 6, 2016	March 8, 2016
Program Start Date	January 7, 2016	January 7, 2016	January 7, 2016	January 7, 2016	March 9, 2016

Summer 2016

	EXTENDED ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 3 Semesters	ACADEMIC ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 2 Semesters	INTEGRATED ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 2 Semesters	PRE-SESSIONAL ENGLISH 16 Weeks
Application Deadline*	April 24, 2016	April 24, 2016	April 24, 2016	April 24, 2016
Move-in Date	May 30, 2016	May 30, 2016	May 30, 2016	May 30, 2016
Program Start Date	May 31, 2016	May 31, 2016	May 31, 2016	May 31, 2016

Fall 2016

	EXTENDED ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 3 Semesters	ACADEMIC ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 2 Semesters	INTEGRATED ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 2 Semesters	PRE-SESSIONAL ENGLISH 16 Weeks	PRE-SESSIONAL ENGLISH 8 Weeks
Application Deadline*	July 10, 2016	July 10, 2016	July 10, 2016	July 10, 2016	September 12, 2016
Move-in Date	August 14, 2016	August 14, 2016	August 14, 2016	August 13, 2016	October 16, 2016
Program Start Date	August 15, 2016	August 15, 2016	August 15, 2016	August 14, 2016	October 17, 2016

* This is the deadline to submit all documents stated on your offer letter and is required for both academic acceptance and I-20 issuance. All necessary items must be received by admissions on or before this deadline or the student will be unable to enroll for the intended semester and will be encouraged to defer enrollment to the following semester.



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Earning an LSU degree is an investment in your future. From your Undergraduate Accelerator year onward, LSU offers an exceptional education and opportunities to have a fun and fulfilling college experience at an affordable cost.

2016 UNDERGRADUATE ACCELERATOR ESTIMATED COSTS

INTEGRATED ACCELERATOR PROGRAM ACADEMIC ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 2 Semesters*		EXTENDED ACCELERATOR PROGRAM 3 Semesters*		LSU STANDARD APPLICATION ESTIMATED COSTS**	
Tuition and Fees	\$28,800	Tuition and Fees	\$33,800	Tuition and Fees (12 hours per semester)	\$28,800
Housing	\$9,000	Housing	\$11,000	Living Expenses	\$12,000
Meals	\$5,500	Meals	\$6,500	Books, Supplies and Health Insurance	\$2,600
Health Insurance*	\$2,000	Health Insurance*	\$2,000		
	\$45,300		\$53,300		\$43,400

In need of additional English courses before enrolling in the Extended Academic Accelerator Program?

Enroll in the Pre-Sessional English language program, the English Language + Orientation Program (ELOP).

Estimated tuition for recommended 16-week session: \$6,500; 8-week session: \$3,250

After completion of the pre-sessional English program, students will enter and pay tuition for the Extended Accelerator Program.

Students interested in the ELOP may be eligible for a later start date. Please speak with your LSU Global recruiter or refer to outreach.lsu.edu/Enrichment/ELOP/Dates-And-Costs for more information.

*Price for 12 months, including breaks. All costs in USD.

Please note: tuition, fees and costs are subject to change. Students should visit LSUGlobal.com for the most up-to-date costs.

**Estimated yearly cost is based on the cost for the 2015-2016 academic year and is subject to change. Please visit lsu.edu/admissions/costs-aid/tuition-fees/ for more information.

How to Apply

Complete Your Application.

Email your completed application to admissions@LSUGlobal.com or mail it to:

Louisiana State University
LSU Global
Attn: Managing Director
160S Hatcher Hall
Baton Rouge, LA 70803
USA
+1-225-578-7949



Submit Proof of English Language Ability

If your native language is not English, please submit proof of your English-language ability. A full list of accepted tests can be found at LSUGlobal.com.



Formally Accept Your Offer of Admission

FIRST, HAVE A CELEBRATION!

Then, sign your acceptance of the offer and email to admissions@LSUGlobal.com.



Get Your Visa

Once you are officially admitted to a program, the admissions team at LSU Global will send you the required documents to apply for visa processing with the U.S. embassy in your country.

We have regional teams located across the world ready to assist you with your LSU Global application and to give you advice and guidance throughout the admissions process. Contact admissions@lsuglobal.com, and we will direct your query to our team in your region.



Submit Your Official Transcripts

Mail them to:

Louisiana State University
LSU Global
Attn: Managing Director
160S Hatcher Hall
Baton Rouge, LA 70803
USA
+1-225-578-7949

You may also submit your official transcripts in person upon arrival on campus. If originals are submitted upon arrival, they must be viewed by an official Global LSU recruiter, public notary, or regional office, and certified with a stamp on the application. Once certified, these can be scanned and emailed with your application to admissions@LSUGlobal.com.

Please note: Students cannot enroll until original transcripts have been received.

Provide Certification of Finances

After your conditional offer is received (congratulations!), you need to submit any additional documents requested in the offer. You must also provide a Certificate of Finances and accompanying documentation from your bank showing sufficient funds for your program of study.

Finally, you must pay a deposit of \$2,000 USD for spring, summer and fall 2016 start dates. The deposit will be refunded if the enrollment requirements are not met. See "Terms and Conditions" on pages 30-31.

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PERSONAL DETAILS

Name must appear exactly as shown in applicant's passport.

Title:	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Surname/Family name(s)	
Given/primary name(s):	
Preferred name:	
Date of birth (DD/MM/YY):	
Country of birth:	
Country of citizenship:	
City of birth:	
Passport number:	
Passport date of expiry:	

CONTACT DETAILS

Permanent non-U.S. home address (mandatory):		
Address 1:		
City:		
Region:		
State:		
Province:		
Postal Code:		
Country:		
Applicant's mailing address in the United States (if applicable):		
City:	State:	Postal code:
Mobile telephone: (+)		
Home telephone: (+)		
Applicant's personal email (mandatory):		

Recruiter or agent name (if applicable):	
Recruiter's email:	
Recruiter's address:	
Address 1:	
City:	
Region:	
State:	
Province:	
Postal code:	
Country:	

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Name:	Relationship:
Address:	
Home telephone: (+)	
Mobile telephone: (+)	
Email:	

SELECT YOUR ROUTE TO LSU

(check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Extended Accelerator Program – 3 semesters
<input type="checkbox"/> Academic Accelerator Program – 2 semesters
<input type="checkbox"/> Integrated Accelerator Program – 2 semesters
<input type="checkbox"/> LSU Pre-Sessional English (for progression on to the Undergraduate Accelerator)

INTENDED MAJOR

Write in major: _____

INTENDED START DATE

Indicate year and semester you wish to start

Year: January (Spring) May (Summer) August (Fall)

EDUCATION DETAILS

English Proficiency

IELTS band (total) score:	
Date taken or scheduled (DD/MM/YY):	
IELTS section scores:	
TOEFL total score:	
Date taken or scheduled (DD/MM/YY):	
TOEFL subtest scores:	
Native language:	Years of English study:
Have you taken another English-language exam? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," please provide copies of results with application.	

Form I-20

Do you have a Form I-20 from another institution in the United States?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Expired
If "Yes" or "Expired," please provide a copy with your application materials.		

Education History (post-secondary and further education)

Name of secondary school attended:	
City of secondary school:	
Country of secondary school:	
From (DD/MM/YY):	To (DD/MM/YY):
Anticipated date of secondary school graduation:	
Have you attended additional secondary schools? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," please provide transcripts with application.	
Language of instruction:	

Name of post-secondary school attended:	
City of post-secondary school:	
Country of post-secondary school:	
From (DD/MM/YY) to (DD/MM/YY):	
Anticipated date of graduation/transfer:	
Language of instruction:	
Have you attended additional post-secondary institutions? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," please provide transcripts with application.	



Mike the Tiger

LSU's mascot lives right on campus in his own habitat – just across from the football stadium. Students can see him lying around in his grassy field, and even apply to be his caretaker if they are veterinary students.

www.mikethetiger.com



EDUCATION DETAILS (CONTINUED)

Advanced Tests (if applicable)

SAT Total Score:	SAT Date (DD/MM/YY):
CR Score:	Math Score:
ACT Scores:	ACT Date (DD/MM/YY):
Composite:	Math: English:
Other Test:	Other Test Date (DD/MM/YY):

TRANSFER INFORMATION

Required if transferring from another educational institution in the United States.

City/State: _____

From DD/MM/YY _____

Degree Earned: _____

School Transferred: _____

SEVIS #: _____

DEPENDENTS

Do you have dependents you would like to add to your I-20?

Yes No

AIRPORT RECEPTION

Do you require airport pick-up? After you book your travel, please visit www.LSUGlobal.com/Flight and enter your arrival details and flight information.

Yes No

MEDICAL INSURANCE REQUIREMENT

(This section must be completed.)

I understand that LSU Global will provide a required 12 months of medical coverage upon my arrival in the United States, at a cost to me of \$2,000 USD. At the end of 12 months I will be required to extend the initial coverage. This fee changes annually and is correct at the time of printing.

SPONSORED STUDENTS

Please indicate if any part of your education will be sponsored.

Type of sponsorship (for example: tuition, fees, living expenses, other):

Name of sponsoring organization:

OTHER INFORMATION

How did you first learn about LSU?

- Exhibition or seminar
- Newspaper or magazine
- Recommendation from friend or colleague
- Recommendation from agent

Name: _____

- Internet search or advertisement
- Recommendation from family member

ADDITIONAL APPLICATION MATERIALS REQUIRED

- Copy of passport (if available)
- Copy of academic transcript
- Copy of official English assessment score report
- Copy of degree/diploma

Please note: Accepted students must bring originals of all materials when arriving on campus.

PERSONAL STATEMENT

- Have you ever been subject to disciplinary action or do you currently have a disciplinary charge pending by any educational institution for academic misconduct, such as cheating? (You do not need to disclose any academic dismissal, suspension, or probation that was due to poor grades.)
 Yes No
- Have you ever been subject to disciplinary action or do you currently have a disciplinary charge pending by any educational institution for behavior misconduct, such as fighting?
 Yes No
- Have you ever been convicted of, or charged with, a criminal offense, or are you currently the subject of any criminal proceeding?
 Yes No

If you have answered "Yes" to any of the above questions, please submit a separate sheet that gives the circumstances and approximate date of each incident.

DECLARATION

I declare that the information I have supplied on this form is complete and correct. I understand that giving false or incomplete information may lead to the refusal of my application or cancellation of enrollment and/or loss of visa status.

I have read and understand the published course information and the terms and conditions, and I have sufficient information about Louisiana State University (LSU) and the LSU Global Program (LSU Global) to make an informed enrollment decision.

I give LSU and LSU Global permission to obtain official records from any educational institution attended by me. I give LSU permission to provide LSU Global with any information pertaining to my application of study, my ongoing academic progress, and my results and attendance for the purposes of evaluating my admissibility and progression status.

I grant LSU and LSU Global permission to provide my parent(s), guardian(s), recruiter(s), and sponsor(s), when requested, with any information pertaining to my application to study, ongoing academic progress, attendance, results, and disciplinary record, for the purpose of facilitating family communications about the university experience.

I understand that after I commence my studies with LSU Global, I will need to successfully complete the program and meet the minimum required progression standards before I can continue my studies at LSU.

I understand that tuition and fees may change without notice. I accept responsibility for payment of all relevant tuition and fees, and I agree to abide by the LSU Global refund policy.

I understand that living expenses in the United States may be higher than in my own country and I confirm that I have the financial ability to meet these costs.

I have read and understand the published program terms and conditions and understand that the most updated copy may be found at LSUGlobal.com/terms-and-conditions

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

 Date (DD/MM/YYYY): _____

PARENT OR GUARDIAN SIGNATURE (if applicant is under 18)

 Date (DD/MM/YYYY): _____

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Scan and email completed application to admissions@lsuglobal.com.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Application received: _____

Application number: _____



Entry Requirements by Country

For the most updated entry requirements, please visit LSUGlobal.com.

COUNTRY	ACADEMIC ENTRY REQUIREMENT	EXTENDED AND ACADEMIC ACCELERATOR SCORE	INTEGRATED ACCELERATOR SCORE
United States	Successful graduation of year 12 and completion of college preparatory curriculum	2.5	3.0
Angola	Certificado de Habilitações Literárias with an average subject score of	12	14
Argentina	Bachiller	6.5	7
Australia	Year 12 certificates, grades, and certificates vary by state and territory	C+/65%	B/70%
Bahrain	Tawjahiya Secondary School Certificate	55%	60%
Bangladesh	Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC)	50%	55%
Botswana	Botswana General Certificate of Secondary Education	SC, SD, or C Avg	SC, FD, or B Avg
Brazil	Certificado de Conclusão de ensino médio	6/10	7/10
Brunei	Brunei-Cambridge Certificate of Education Ordinary Level	BO Level C+	BO Level B
Cambodia	Baccalauréat	65%	70%
Canada	Grade averages will be assessed according to provincial variations and admission requirements for your program of study	68%	73%
Chile	Licencia de Educación Media	4.75	5.25
China	Earned an Upper Middle School Graduation Certificate (Gao San*)	70%	78%
Colombia	Bachiller or Bachillerato or Título de Bachiller Académico	7/10 3.5/5	8/10 3.7/5
Ecuador	Bachillerato or Título de Bachiller	7/10	7.5/10
Egypt	Thanaweya a'Amma or General Secondary Education Certificate	64%	70%
Fiji	Fiji School Leaving Certificate or Form 7 Certificate	6 Avg	5 Avg
France	Baccalauréat Général	11	12
GCE	Equivalent of 80 UCAS points in a combination of AS and A level results	80	120
Ghana	West African School Certificate or Senior Secondary School Certificate Examination with a minimum score in five subjects	C6	C5
Hong Kong	HKDSE in Liberal Studies; if applicable, O and A level in at least 5 academic subjects, with Math and two or three additional electives	LS-3, M-2, and two add'l subs	LS-3, M-2, and two add'l subs
India	Years 10 and 12 exams	50%	55%
Indonesia	Surat Tanda Tanat Belajar (STTB) or Sekolah Menengah Unum Tingkat Atas (SMA) in 5 academic subjects	6	7.5
International Baccalaureate	Completion with an overall average or subject score in each subject	24/4.0	26/5.0
Iran	Peesh-daneshgahii Diplome (High School Diploma)	13	14
Israel	Teudat Bagrut (Matriculation Certificate)	65%	70%
Japan	Kotogakko Sotsugyo Shosho (Upper Secondary School Leaving Certificate)	3.5	4
Jordan	Tawjihi -Academic (General Secondary Education Certificate)	65%	70%
Kazakhstan	Attestat	3.5	4
Kenya	Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE)	C+/7	B-/8
Korea, Republic of (South Korea)	Inmungye Kodung Hakkyo (High School Certificate) with an average weighted rank Korean GED	1-5 77%	1-4 82%
Kuwait	Shahadat Al-Thanawiya-Al-A'ama (Secondary School Diploma) with an average in academic courses	75%	80%
Laos	Baccalauréat II	13.9 or higher	14.6 or higher

COUNTRY	ACADEMIC ENTRY REQUIREMENT	EXTENDED & ACADEMIC ACCELERATOR SCORE	INTEGRATED ACCELERATOR SCORE
Macau	See Mainland China, Hong Kong, and Taiwan	55% or 11 higher	60% or 12 higher
Malaysia	General Certificate of Education/Malaysia Advanced Certificate of Education SPM Sijil Pelajaran Malyasia [Certificate of Education] with a B or higher UEC (Unified Education Certificate) with a B6 or higher STPM Sijil Tinggi Perkolahan Malaysia (Advanced Certificate of Education)	B/C+ 4 C6 C+	B+/B 3 B4 B-
Mauritius	See GCE criteria	GCE	GCE
Mexico	Certificado de Bachillerato (Baccalaureate Certificate)	7	8
Mongolia	School Leaving Certificate (Gerchilgee) after 12 years	79/C+	83/B
Myanmar	Basic Education Standard Exam Diploma A (Academic)	3/49%	4/55%
Nepal	Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC) with 45% (second division) or higher	45%	50%
Nigeria	West African School Certificate or Nigerian Exam Council exam (NECO) with a minimum score in five subjects	C6	C5
Oman	Thanawiya Amma (General Secondary School Certificate)	75%	80%
Pakistan	Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC)	50%	55%
Panama	Diploma de Bachiller	3.5/75%	4.0/81%
Peru	Bachillerato Académico or Certificado de Educación Secundaria Común Completa	12/20	13/20
Philippines	High School Diploma	80%/C+	85%/B
Qatar	Al-Thanawiya Aama Qatari (General Secondary School Certificate)	69%	74%
Russia	Attestat o srednem (polnom) obschem obrazovanii (Certificate of [Complete] General Secondary Education)	3.5	4
Saudi Arabia	Shahadat Al-Marhat Al-Thanawiyat (General Education Secondary Certificate) in the Natural Sciences track	75%	80%
Singapore	Singapore Cambridge GCE O Level with 5 academic subjects or GCE A Level with 3 subjects	D or higher	C or higher
South Africa	Senior Certificate with Matriculation Endorsement	D/55%	C/60%
Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka Collegiate GCE A Levels with passes in 3 subjects, and Senior Secondary School GCE O Levels, with 5 subject passes	C/55%	B/65%
Sweden	Avgångsbetyg/Slutbetyg från Gymnasieskola (Certificate from Upper Secondary School) with 5 academic subjects	G/60%	VG-G/70%
Switzerland	Eidgenössisches Maturität, Maturité fédérale, Baccalauréat or Maturità federale Eidgenössisch anerkannte Kantonale Maturität or Maturité cantonale reconnue par la Confédération Maturità cantonale riconosciuta dalla Confederazione	5/10 4/6 3/4	7/10 5/6 2/4
Taiwan	Senior High School Diploma or certificate of graduation	65%	70%
Tanzania	Certificate of Secondary Education (CSE)	E/5	D/4
Thailand	Mathayom VI (Secondary) Certificate/M6	65%	70%
Turkey	Lise Diploması (Secondary School [Lyceum] Diploma)	3.5/65%	4/70%
UAE	Tawjihiyya (General Secondary Education Certificate)	75%	80%
Uganda	Uganda Certificate of Education or General Certificate of Education Level (O Level) Examination Certificate with 5 academic subjects passed Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education and one pass in College preparatory subject	C7 D's [2]	B5 C's [2]
Ukraine	Attestat Certificate of Complete General Secondary Education or Matriculation Certificate	3.5/6	4/6
United Kingdom	See GCE criteria	GCE	GCE
Vietnam	Baccalaureat II (B ng T t Nghi p Trung h c Ph thông or B ng T t nghi p B tức Văn hóa)	6.25	7
West African School Certificate	Completion with a minimum of 5 subjects	C6	C5
Zambia	Zambian School Certificate Examination with five subjects	C6	B4
Zimbabwe	Zimbabwe School Certificate with five subjects passed	C	B



Progression Requirements

Please note that even if LSU Global students progress through our program, they still need to meet the requirements of the individual senior colleges in order to work towards a degree in their desired major. If they do not meet certain requirements they will be placed into LSU's University College for Freshman Year (UCFY). Students may be required to spend additional time in UCFY until they meet necessary requirements. Based on 2013-2014 figures, approximately 57 percent of UCFY students move into a senior college after one year of enrollment. Many students, 27.6 percent, needed a third semester or more to make that move happen, and they often must pass through the Center for Advising & Counseling (UCAC) for that additional time.

This list is not comprehensive. Please check with your advisor upon arriving on campus to confirm your progression requirements.

MAJOR	DEGREE	SENIOR COLLEGE ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	PREREQUISITE MODULES COMPLETED IN UNDERGRADUATE ACCELERATOR
COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE (AGRI) DEGREE PROGRAMS – UNDERGRADUATE			
Agricultural Education – Grades 6-12	BS	Freshmen are directly admitted.	Please note that even if LSU Global students progress through our program, they still need to meet the requirements of the individual Senior Colleges in order to work towards a degree in their desired major.
Agricultural Business	BS		
Animal, Dairy & Poultry Sciences	BS		
Nutrition and Food Sciences	BS		
Plant & Soil Systems	BS		
Environmental Management Systems	BS		
Natural Resource Ecology & Management	BS		
Textiles, Apparel & Merchandising	BS		
COLLEGE OF ART & DESIGN (ADSN) DEGREE PROGRAMS -UNDERGRADUATE			
Architecture (Five-year Program)	Bachelor of Architecture (BArch)	Selective admission process based upon competition.	
Studio Art	Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA)		
Interior Design	Bachelor of Interior Design (BID)		
Landscape Architecture (Five-year Program)	Bachelor of Landscape Architecture (BLA)		
E. J. OURSO COLLEGE OF BUSINESS (BADM) DEGREE PROGRAMS – UNDERGRADUATE			
Accounting	BS	30 hours of university course work, "C" or better for pre-business core: ACCT 2001, ECON 2000, ENGL 1001, ISDS 1102, MATH 1021	ENGL 1004, MATH 1021, depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test
Economics	BS		
International Trade & Finance	BS		
Finance	BS		
Information Systems & Decision Sciences	BS		
General Business	BS		
Management	BS		
Marketing	BS		
SCHOOL OF COAST & ENVIRONMENT (SCE) DEGREE PROGRAMS – UNDERGRADUATE			
Coastal Environmental Science	BS in Coastal Environmental Science	24 hours earned with a 2.00 GPA in all work taken; grade of "C" or better in all math and science courses	

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (ENGR) DEGREE PROGRAMS – UNDERGRADUATE

Biological Engineering	BS in Biological Engineering (BSBE)	24 hours earned with a GPA of 2.00 at LSU and cumulative GPA all majors except Petroleum Engineering [PETE requires a 2.80 GPA in all courses that apply to the PETE degree]; Grade of "C" or better in Math 1550	MATH 1550, depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test
Chemical Engineering	BS in [BSChE] Chemical Engineering		
Civil Engineering	BS in Civil Engineering (BSCE)		
Environmental Engineering	BS in Environmental Engineering		
Industrial Engineering	BS in Industrial Engineering (BSIE)		
Mechanical Engineering	BS in Mechanical Engineering (BSME)		
Computer Engineering	BS in Electrical Engineering (BSEE)		
Electrical Engineering	BS in Electrical Engineering (BSEE)		
Computer Science	BS		
Construction Management	BS in Construction Management (BSCM)		
Petroleum Engineering	BS in Petroleum Engineering (BSPE)		

COLLEGE OF HUMAN SCIENCES AND EDUCATION (USE) DEGREE PROGRAMS – UNDERGRADUATE

Dual Certification General/Special Education, Grades 1-5	BS	24 hours earned, 2.5 LSU and cumulative GPA	
Early Childhood Education: PK-3 Teacher Certification	BS		
Elementary Grades Education	BS		
Human Resource Education	BS	24 hours earned, 2.5 LSU and cumulative GPA; "C" or better in ENGL 1001 and MATH 1021 or higher	ENGL 1004, MATH 1021, depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test
Kinesiology	BS	24 hours earned, 2.5 LSU and cumulative GPA; "C" or better in ENGL 1001; MATH 1021 and 1022 and BIOL 1201, 1208, 1202, 1209	ENGL 1004, MATH 1021, and/or MATH 1022 depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test
Athletic Training	BS	24 hours earned, 2.5 LSU and cumulative GPA; "C" or better in ENGL 1001; MATH 1021 and 1022; BIOL 1201, 1208, 1202, 1209	ENGL 1004, MATH 1021, and/or MATH 1022 depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test
Sport Administration	BS	24 hours earned, 2.2 LSU and cumulative GPA; "C" or better in ENGL 1001; 6 hours of general education analytical reasoning; [3 hours Math]; 3 hours of general education natural science	ENGL 1004, MATH 1021, depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test
Child & Family Studies	BS	24 hours earned, 2.2 LSU and cumulative GPA; "C" or better in ENGL 1001 and MATH 1021 or higher	ENGL 1004, MATH 1021 depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test

COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES (HSS) DEGREE PROGRAMS -UNDERGRADUATE

Communication Disorders	BA	24 hours earned with a 2.00 LSU System and overall GPA (PSYC, COMD & secondary education concentrations require 2.50 LSU System and overall GPA), declaration of secondary education concentrations requires passing score on PRAXIS I or ACT composite of 22 or SAT composite of 1030. ENGL 1001 with grade of "C" or better, 3 hours of General Education Analytical Reasoning requirement completed.	
Communication Studies	BA		
English	BA		
Spanish	BA		

MANSHIP SCHOOL OF MASS COMMUNICATION (MC) DEGREE PROGRAMS -UNDERGRADUATE

Mass Communication	Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communication (BAMC)	Admission is competitive; 30 hours college-level course work, MC 2010 with "B" or better 3 .00 LSU & cumulative GPA will be given priority for admission on a space available basis Application process is involved [contact a UCFY or MC counselor for more information].	
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COLLEGE OF MUSIC & DRAMATIC ARTS (MDA) DEGREE PROGRAMS – UNDERGRADUATE

Music	Bachelor of Music (BM)	Freshmen are directly admitted to Theatre and are admitted to Music upon successful completion of an audition.	
Music Education	Bachelor of Music Education (BME)		
Music	BA		
Theatre	BA		

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE (SCI) DEGREE PROGRAMS – UNDERGRADUATE

Biochemistry	BS	24 hours earned in courses numbered 1000 or above, 2.00 LSU & cumulative GPA Grade of "C" or better in all math and science courses or received special approval from the Dean of the college, ENGL 1001 with a "C" or better, MATH 1022 or 1023 or 1550 or 1551 with grade of "C" or better, Biochemistry, biological sciences, and microbiology require earned credit in BIOL 1201, 1202; CHEM 1201; MATH 1550; entry to secondary education concentrations requires 2.5 GPA and passing scores on PRAXIS I assessments or ACT composite of 22 or higher.	ENGL 1004, MATH 1021, or MATH 1023 or MATH 1550, depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test with a "C" or better.
Biological Sciences	BS		ENGL 1004, MATH 1021, or MATH 1023 with a "C" or better and MATH 1550, depending on how far student places in the Math Placement Test.
Microbiology	BS		
Chemistry	BS		
Geology	BS in Geology (BSGeol)		
Mathematics	BS		
Physics	BS		

LSU Global advisors help each student gain the necessary requirements for his or her desired major. ENGL 1004 is equivalent to ENGL 1001.

Terms and Conditions

- 1. LSU Global's Undergraduate Accelerator Program ("LSU UAP" or "UAP")** students should read these terms and conditions carefully prior to submitting an application. In addition to these terms and conditions, as students at Louisiana State University ("LSU"), all LSU UAP students are bound by the rules and regulations governing LSU, as those may be amended from time to time. The most recent LSU rules can be found here <http://students.lsu.edu/saa/students>.
- 2. LSU and LSU IAP** reserve the right to amend these terms and conditions from time to time. At all times, students will be required to comply with the then-current terms and conditions. LSU UAP's current terms and conditions may be found here: LSUGlobal.com/terms-and-conditions.
- 3. Application:** Students may apply to the LSU UAP (Extended, Academic, or Integrated), Pre-Sessional English through the LSU English Language and Orientation Program ("ELOP), or for direct entry to LSU. If you decide to apply to any of these programs, be sure to use the application that is specific to the program you select. Each application contains terms and conditions governing the specific program and students acknowledge by submitting an application that they agree to the terms and conditions of the respective program.

Links to applicable applications and terms and conditions can be found here: LSUGlobal.com/start-your-application.

- 4. Transfer Credits:** Students with post-secondary college credits applying to LSU's UAP are subject to additional requirements. Students must disclose any post-secondary course work at the time of application to the UAP, regardless of whether they wish to transfer the credits to LSU. Students that have completed at least 30 credit hours, or the equivalent of one year of full-time study, must have the post-secondary GPA of 2.5 equivalent or above to be considered for admission. Students who will not have 30 transferrable credit hours at the time they plan to enroll at LSU will be considered for admission only if they meet the post-secondary average GPA requirement of 2.5 equivalent or above, and secondary school admission requirements (average GPA 2.5 equivalent or above and appropriate test scores). There is no maximum number of transferrable credit hours. Transfer credits are articulated after completion of the UAP and will apply toward academic years 2, 3, and 4; transfer credits will under no circumstances apply to the UAP. The student acknowledges that LSU and the LSU UAP make no representation and cannot guarantee that post-secondary college credits will be accepted.

- 5. Students who are admitted to the LSU UAP** will receive a written offer letter with details on accepting the offer, paying the program deposit and arriving on campus.

- 6. Tuition, Fees and Accommodation Payment:** Following payment of the deposit, students must pay the remaining outstanding balance by the following posted payment deadline for the semester in which they enroll:

Spring 2016: Dec. 23, 2015
 Summer 2016: May 16, 2016
 Fall 2016: July 31, 2016

LSU UAP has the right to amend prices due to University actions, tax increases, governmental actions or other events beyond its control.

- 7. Accommodation and Dining:** LSU UAP students are required to live in LSU Global housing. All LSU UAP students' housing commitments run for the entire length of their program unless otherwise noted. Refunds will not be issued for UAP cancellations made during the last term of the student's program. If a UAP student is unable to live on campus, they must submit the LSU Global Housing Waiver form with an explanation when they send their official acceptance of their LSU Global offer, and this requirement will be waived only in extenuating circumstances. Students living in an LSU Global housing are also required to purchase an UAP-designated meal plan as a condition of enrollment. The cost of the meal plan is non-refundable.

- 8. Health Insurance:** All international students studying at LSU are required to be covered by health insurance, which meets the U.S. Government, State of Louisiana and LSU requirements.

- At the time of their acceptance, students are required to purchase coverage from a LSU Global-designated health plan as a condition of enrollment.
- Prior to orientation, all students must have a completed LSU Student Health Services Immunization Form documenting proof of immunity to measles [rubeola], mumps and German measles [rubella] [MMR], and either proof of immunization against meningitis and hepatitis B, or a signed waiver declining these two vaccines. Mandatory immunization forms may be obtained through the LSU Student Health Services website (<http://www.shc.lsu.edu/files/immun%20Comp%20Form%20rvsd%2004-2012.pdf>). Students must have immunization documentation in order to live on campus and prior to class start date
- The cost of health insurance is non-refundable. Not all services are covered by insurance, and the student is responsible for any outstanding balances for non-covered services.

- 9. Airport Transfers:** Requests for airport transfer should be made at least two weeks in advance by visiting www.lsuglobal.com/welcome. Airport transfers are available for the student's initial arrival on campus for flights arriving at Baton Rouge Metropolitan Airport (BTR) or the Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport (MSY). LSU UAP cannot guarantee a reservation for a request made less than two weeks in advance; however, staff will make every attempt to accommodate late requests. In the event that a flight is canceled or delayed, students must call the emergency telephone number published in the Next Steps Brochure to inform UAP's staff of the new arrival date and time. Please see section 22 for airport transfer cancellation policy.

- 10. Cancellation, Change, Curtailment, or Withdrawal:** Students who cancel their LSU UAP course prior to the move-in date on LSU's campus may request a full refund of deposit, tuition and fees pursuant to section 22. Students will be eligible for a refund only if they submit documentation of visa denial with written notification to the LSU UAP prior to the move in date. After the start of the UAP program, students may be eligible for the following partial tuition refunds:

SCHEDULE FOR REFUND OF FEES				
	100% Refund	90% Refund	50% Refund	No Refund
Spring 2016 Program Start	Before class begins	First 6 class days	7th-24th class day	February 18, 2016 (25th class day after two holidays 1/18 and 2/8)
Summer 2016 Program Start	Before class begins	First 3 class days	4th-12th class day	June 22, 2016 (7/4 holiday)
Fall 2016 Program Start	Before class begins	First 3 class days	4th-7th class day	September 26, 2016 (UAP) [9/5 holiday] September 21, 2016 (ELOP) [9/5 holiday]

There will be no refunds after the No Program Refund date absent exceptional circumstances.

- 11. Public Holidays, Vacation, and Absences:** Classes are normally not held on public holidays, and most school facilities will be closed. Classes will not be held during designated school holidays. LSU UAP will not make reimbursements for classes not offered on those days.



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- 12. Absences:** F1 students must comply with all applicable USCIS regulations related to study on a student visa at LSU, including attendance requirements. Failure to meet attendance requirements may lead to penalties, including loss of immigration status. Any student who is absent during the program or loses immigration status due to absences will not be eligible for a refund.
- 13. Academic Criteria:** Students are accepted into the LSU UAP with the strict understanding that progression through the LSU UAP and successful completion of any program will require satisfactory attendance and successful attainment of specified progression grades. Progression criteria can be found at LSUGlobal.com/progression-requirements. Students who do not meet the criteria for successful completion will not be allowed to proceed. Students may be offered advice on suitable alternative options, which may or may not include retaking courses or repeating certain courses. These alternative options may involve additional time and costs, including tuition and accommodation fees.
- 14. Academic Resources:** All books and learning materials need to be purchased by UAP students upon arrival at LSU.
- 15. Student Conduct:** All LSU UAP students are required to follow LSU's policies, rules, and regulations. Any student who commits a criminal offense, violates campus rules, has poor attendance or fails to meet program requirements may be expelled or suspended. No refund will be given in cases of expulsion. LSU's Student Handbook (saa.lsu.edu/code) provides a framework of standard acceptable behavior for students. Students are responsible for understanding and complying with these policies. All students studying at LSU have the right to be treated with respect and courtesy by LSU staff and fellow students in an environment that is free from harassment and conducive to learning. LSU expects UAP students to abide by these policies by accepting responsibility for their behavior and conducting themselves in a professional manner at all times, treating fellow students and staff with respect, honesty and courtesy.
- 16. Refunds:** LSU UAP will only make refunds in U.S. dollars, minus bank transfer and processing fees, and will make such refunds in the manner in which LSU UAP was originally paid and to the account of the party or parties who made such payment(s). All refunds will be made to eligible parties within 45 days of written notice.
- 17. Grievance Procedures, Appeals, or Complaints:** Students must follow the policy and procedures for filing complaints, grievances and appeals in a constructive and timely manner. LSU's grievance procedures can be found at students.lsu.edu/deanofstudents/complaints-appeals.
- 18. Academic Performance:** LSU's Academic Policies cover many aspects of academic life. These policies outline the required standards for academic performance and maintaining good academic standing. These policies can be found at students.lsu.edu/saa/students/plagiarism. To continue in the LSU UAP, students must also be in compliance with the LSU UAP academic standards and progression requirements, which can be found here www.LSUGlobal.com/progression-requirements.
- 19. Photography, Filming, and Sound Recording:** LSU UAP or its representatives, affiliates, successors and related companies may arrange to photograph or shoot video footage of students for purposes of advertising, public relations and/or promotion in any medium throughout the world, including on social media sites and on the internet. Any student who does not wish to participate should advise us in writing and state at the time of the photography or video shooting the wish not to participate. By accepting these terms and conditions you are indicating your consent to use these photographs or video footage without further consent or notifications unless you follow the above opt-out requirements.
- 20. Force Majeure:** LSU and the LSU UAP will not be liable in cases where LSU and/or LSU UAP is unable to fulfill any services because of fire, natural disaster, national emergency, act of government, acts of war or terrorism, failure of suppliers or subcontractors, labor disputes or any other reasons that are beyond LSU's or LSU UAP's control.
- 21. F-1 Student Status in the U.S.:** F-1 visa holders are required to provide LSU with a current residential address and telephone number at all times. Students who fail to meet attendance requirements, continue their enrollment or maintain satisfactory academic progress will be reported to the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS). Information collected by LSU and LSU Global which personally identifies a student and information regarding a student's course progress may be shared with DHS, state and accrediting agencies, designated authorities, the student's parent(s) or guardian(s), LSU and LSU Global staff, sponsors, recruiters and representatives. This information may include personal and contact details, course enrollment details and changes, and circumstances of any suspected breach by the student of any LSU or LSU Global policies and/or any DHS rules or Regulations.
- 22. Cancellation:** "Cancellation Period" refers to the period up to the start date of the first course you are attending. Cancellations must be made during the Cancellation Period in writing and in these cases, provided the student never attends, 100% of the tuition and accommodation fees will be refunded. In all cases, the enrollment fee and any other service charges (e.g., accommodation fee, airport transfer fee, medical insurance, campus fee, program supplement fee, etc.) are nonrefundable. Please see section 6 for accommodation cancellation policy and section 9 for cancellations after the Cancellation Period. Cancellations made prior to the course start date but after arrival in the United States on an LSU-issued Form I-20 will be governed under standard LSU tuition, fees and accommodation cancellation policy.
- 23. Liability:** The liability of the LSU UAP, its operator, and its group companies, their directors, officers, employees, affiliates, agents and partners with respect to losses arising from negligence (except where such liability cannot be excluded as a matter of law), breach of contract, or otherwise will be limited in all circumstances to the full amount paid to LSU, UAP, or the relevant group company by the relevant student for the particular program. Such companies and persons will in no circumstances have any liability for indirect or consequential losses or damages. Any dispute, claim or other matter arising will be subject to the jurisdiction of the United States District Court of the Middle District of Louisiana. By signing these terms and conditions, the student consents to and accepts the jurisdiction of such court for the purpose of any such action or proceeding and agrees to waive any objection to venue being laid therein.
- 24. In accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA),** the undersigned student hereby permits LSU and LSU UAP to disclose personally identifiable information, including educational records, financial information and attendance records, to the UAP, its operator, Shorelight-Tiger, LLC, its parent Shorelight Education, LLC, and their group companies (the "Operator"). The undersigned hereby also grants LSU and the Operator permission to provide the student's parent(s), guardian(s), recruiter(s) and sponsor(s) with information pertaining to their application, academic progress, results, attendance, and disciplinary record, for the purpose of facilitating family communications about the university experience. These permissions will remain in effect during the undersigned student's tenure at LSU and LSU UAP.
- 25. Students must be 16 years old by the move-in date** in order to participate in the program: (Spring 2016: January 6, 2016; Summer 2016: May 30, 2016; Fall 2016: August 14, 2016) Students who are over the age of 16 but under the age of 18 will be required to obtain the signature and consent of a parent or guardian on their application before they are able to participate in the program.





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