

# UNIVERSITY OF HAIFA

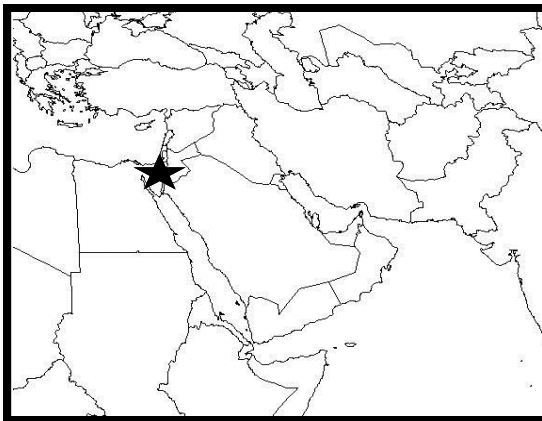
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## APPLICATION DEADLINE\*

February 8: all terms for 2012-2013 academic year

## ELIGIBILITY

GPA: 3.0; 3.2 GPA for Honors Programs  
Enrollment is limited.



This program includes the following opportunities:

- Internships   
  Service Learning   
  Community/Field Study   
  Research   
  Community Service

## CALENDAR

FALL SEMESTER: AUGUST—JANUARY\*

SPRING SEMESTER: JANUARY—JUNE

*\*You will work with the University of Haifa to take exams early or in Denver to facilitate your return to DU before the winter quarter begins.*

## PROGRAM

The University of Haifa with a student population of over 18,000 students (including about 800 international students) was founded in 1962. DU students take classes in the International School with other international students rather than Israeli students.

## ACADEMICS

Courses are taught in English and include Communications, Contemporary Israel & Middle East Studies, Religious Studies, Economics, Management, Psychology, Sociology, Political Science, and Literature. Haifa offers Honors programs in Psychology and Peace & Conflict Studies. A business concentration is offered Spring semester. Students are required to participate in the Ulpan (language program) prior to the start of the semester, as well as to continue their language studies during the semester; you may opt to take Hebrew or Arabic. Traditional coursework may be complimented by an internship in the areas of social services, health, or psychology; or students may participate in a directed research or reading project in psychology. Since this program is longer than one semester, students will be registered for two quarters of study abroad to facilitate credit transfer.

## LOCATION: HAIFA, ISRAEL

The University is located on the northern coast of Israel on the edge of the city of Haifa (pop. 265,000). Haifa is the third largest city in Israel. Because of its location, there is a mixture of Arab, Christian, and Jewish Israelis as well as Druze and Bedouins. The campus sits on the top of Mount Carmel and adjoins the Carmel National park. From campus one can overlook the Mediterranean sea as well as the vast hills around the city.

## HOUSING & MEALS

There are two dormitory complexes open to international students: Talia and Federman Dorms. Talia Dorms are apartments with six single rooms, each with its own bathroom and shared living and kitchen areas. The Federman Dorms consist of three double rooms with shared bathroom, kitchen, and living spaces. DU students typically prefer Talia. Your roommates in both dorms will be a combination of international and Israeli students. Meals are not provided.

## CULTURAL CONNECTIONS

The International School has full time social coordinators to plan activities and trips and to assist you in getting involved on campus and in the surrounding community. There are many student groups and intramural teams open to international students. You are encouraged to consider volunteering or an internship, as these are great opportunities to immerse in the culture, meet people, and better understand the issues facing the community.

## COST

### Billed by DU:

- DU Tuition
- DU Technology Fee (2 quarters)
- Study Abroad Housing

*Non-Cherrington Scholars will be charged a \$50 application fee.*

### Student Costs\*\*:

- Meals

The cost of living varies in other cities and countries. Talk to returnees from the program to find out what personal expenses to expect, but remember that they vary by lifestyle. Check [www.xe.com](http://www.xe.com) for current exchange rates.

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**\*Instructions on how to apply are on the back of this flyer →**

\*\*For more details on student expenses, refer to DU's web site: <http://www.du.edu/intl/abroad/costs.html>

# HOW TO APPLY

⇒ **Attend Study Abroad 101**

Held weekdays at the I-House. See website for schedule ([www.du.edu/intl/abroad/info\\_sessions.html](http://www.du.edu/intl/abroad/info_sessions.html)).

⇒ **Meet with an international education advisor**

Learn about your options and get answers to your questions.

⇒ **Apply for a passport—<http://travel.state.gov/passport>**

If you already have one, make sure you know where it is and when it expires.

⇒ **Apply to study abroad!**

If you are convinced the program described on this flyer is right for you, follow the steps below to apply. Turn your COMPLETE application in to the front desk at the I-House.

**ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED. THIS IS A LIMITED-ENROLLMENT PROGRAM.**

## DU APPLICATION: DUE FEBRUARY 8

- University of Denver Study Abroad Application on [MyWeb](#)
- Academic Advisor's signature on your completed and printed online application form
- DU short-answer essays
- Official transcript(s) from other universities attended, if applicable
- Non-Cherrington students will be charged a \$50 application fee to their DU account.

**Note:** Cherrington status may be revoked at any time due to a change in your student conduct or academic status. Also, the OIE will request your DU transcript; check and clear any holds now to avoid delays in processing your application!

## PROGRAM APPLICATION: DUE AFTER YOU'VE BEEN NOMINATED

Once you have been nominated for this program, you will be required to submit the following:

University of Haifa Application including:

- Online Application <http://www.uhaifa.org/page.asp?id=21&a=a6&b=b21>  
*You do not need to pay the application fee.*
- Personal Essay (may be submitted online or as a hard copy)
- Two academic recommendations; use U of Haifa forms (may be submitted online or as hard copies; hard copies should be submitted to the OIE in signed, sealed envelopes)
- Medical Examination form
- Study Abroad Approval form (this will be completed by your OIE advisor after your application is submitted and reviewed)
- Six (6) passport-sized color photos (2x2) (please print your name on the back of each photo and place them in a sealed envelope)



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