International Affairs
Connecting UCR to the Global Community

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International Affairs - Mission

International Affairs’ mission is to coordinate comprehensive internationalization at UC Riverside by infusing a global dimension into teaching, learning, research and engagement.
Strategic Internationalization Goals

- Student International Experience
- International Student Recruitment
- Community Engagement/International Alumni
- Curricula Engagement
- International Research Collaborations
Structure and Functions

International Affairs = 3 areas:

› **Administration, Business, Communications** (ABC Team)
  › Strategic planning, implementation and communication of international initiatives for UC Riverside

› **Education Abroad**
  › Supporting students on outbound international programs: UC Education Abroad Programs, UCR Summer Study Abroad (Faculty Led) and Other Abroad Programs (Non-UC)

› **International Students and Scholars**
  › Supporting international students and international faculty on UCR campus
Education Abroad - Data

- 418 students studied abroad
- Top destinations: Japan, Spain, UK, South Korea, Italy, Greece, France and Vietnam
- Top areas of study: Business, Social Sciences, Foreign Languages, Literature & Linguistics
Faculty Led Summer Study Abroad

- 8 unit programs during Summer Sessions
- Submit program proposals to IA
- Timeline to prepare: 1 year before travel
- 2016 Programs:
  - History (Greece & U.K.)
  - Media & Cultural Studies (Japan)
  - Computer Science & Engineering (Switzerland)
  - Hispanic Studies (Spain)
International Student - Data

- 1,839 international students @ UCR
  (504 Undergraduate, 929 Graduate, 27 non-degree, 379 OPT)
- Top home countries: China, India, Taiwan, South Korea, Iran, Hong Kong & Bangladesh
- Top areas of study: Business, Engineering, Social Sciences, Computer Science and Physical Sciences
Upcoming Events: **Scholar Orientation**

- **H-1B Orientation**
  - September 21, 2016
  - 1pm, Alumni & Visitor’s Center
  - Contact: Stacy Mason (stacy.mason@ucr.edu)

- **J-1 Orientation**
  - September 28, 2016
  - 10:30am, Surge Building, Room 367
  - Contact: Makbule Koksal (makbule.koksal@ucr.edu)
OPEN HOUSE
Tuesday, October 4, 2016
4 – 6pm
321 Surge Building
RSVP: iao@ucr.edu
WORLDFEST

Education Abroad Fair

October 17, 2016
10am – 2pm
HUB Plaza
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International Education Week
November 7 – 10, 2016
Celebration of international education and exchange worldwide

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Thank You.

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