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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)

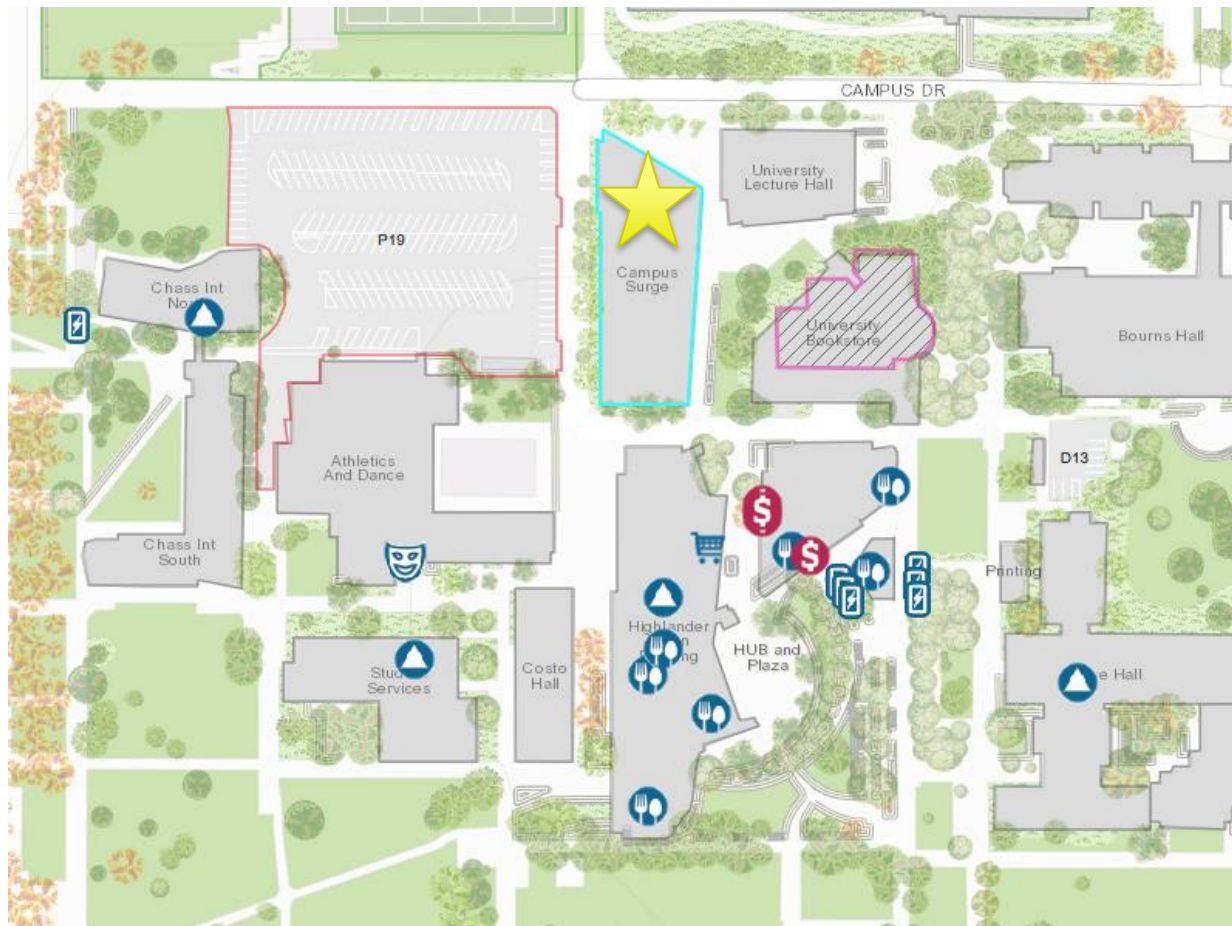
› J-1 Orientation

- › September 28, 2016
- › 10:30am, Surge Building, Room 367
- › Contact: Makbule Koksals (makbule.koksals@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

ea.ucr.edu

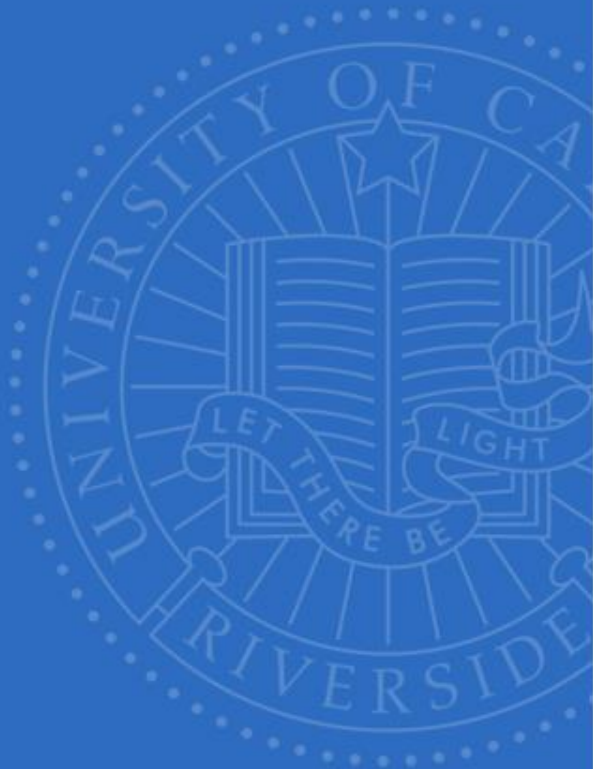
International Education Week

November 7 – 10, 2016

Celebration of international education
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