FDU Fact Sheet for Global Partners

About Fairleigh Dickinson University

Fairleigh Dickinson University is the largest private university in the state of New Jersey and a center of academic excellence dedicated to the preparation of world citizens through global education. More than 12,000 students from 32 states and 85 countries are enrolled on the University’s two campuses in northern New Jersey and its international campuses in Wroxton, Oxfordshire, England, and Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. The University strives to provide students with the multidisciplinary, intercultural, and ethical understandings necessary to participate, lead and prosper in the global marketplace of ideas, commerce and culture. FDU offers more than 100 degree programs at the associate, baccalaureate, master’s and doctor’s levels. Its wide range of offerings, coupled with the depth and expertise of its faculty, has Fairleigh Dickinson University poised to serve the citizens of New Jersey and beyond. One of the many initiatives at FDU designed to enhance global education for youth from many diverse countries is the Emerging Global Leadership Seminar. Sheldon Drucker is the University’s president. 

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Academic Information 2014/2015

Semester 1 (Fall)
» Application Deadline
  July 1, 2014
  (earlier applications strongly recommended)
» Arrival Date
  August 22, 2014
» Mandatory Orientation Seminar
  August 23, 2014
» Beginning and End of Semesters (Including Examination Dates)
  Starts August 25, 2014,
  Ends December 18, 2014
» Academic Calendar
  http://www.fdu.edu/academic/1415academic_cal.html

Semester 2 (Spring)
» Application Deadline
  December 1, 2014
  (earlier applications strongly recommended)
» Arrival Date
  January 22, 2015
» Mandatory Orientation Seminar
  January 23, 2015
» Beginning and End of Semesters (Including Examination Dates)
  Starts January 26, 2015,
  Ends May 16, 2015
» Academic Calendar
  http://www.fdu.edu/academic/1415academic_cal.html
Other Academic Information

» **Academic Level(s) Offered to Exchange Students**
  Undergraduate and Postgraduate

» **Language of Instruction**
  English

» **Main Study Fields (Majors)**
  Undergraduate: [http://fduinfo.com/u/](http://fduinfo.com/u/)
  Post-Graduate: [http://fduinfo.com/g/](http://fduinfo.com/g/)

» **Language Requirement**

» **Information on Courses/Electives**
  [https://webadvisor.fdu.edu](https://webadvisor.fdu.edu)

» **Course Enrollment**
  Upon arrival at the University during international orientation.

» **Course Load**
  Minimum of 12 credits for undergraduate; between 12 and 18 credits permitted. Minimum of 9 credits for postgraduate.

» **Exams**
  Depends on each course instructor.

» **Learning Expectations**
  Depends on each course instructor.

» **When Will Transcripts Be Sent to the Partner University?**
  Student must request the Office of Records to report the transcript.

» **Transcripts from Your University to Be Sent to Home Institution**
  Request must be made with details to the Office of Records by the student.

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### Exchange Students Information

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<td><strong>Student Nominations</strong></td>
<td>Student nominations should be sent to: <a href="mailto:attiken@fdu.edu">attiken@fdu.edu</a></td>
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<td><strong>What Housing is Provided By Fairleigh Dickinson University?</strong></td>
<td>On-campus housing is available.</td>
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<td><strong>Approximate Cost of Accommodation Per Month?</strong></td>
<td>$1,500 including meals</td>
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<td><strong>Housing Insurance</strong></td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<td><strong>Cost of Living</strong></td>
<td>Approximately $1,500 per month.</td>
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<td><strong>Academic Expenses</strong></td>
<td>Approximately $500 for books.</td>
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<td><strong>Food</strong></td>
<td>Meals included in on-campus housing cost.</td>
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<td><strong>Health Insurance Requirements</strong></td>
<td>Student must purchase University medical insurance, unless student already has comparative health coverage.</td>
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<td><strong>Visa Requirements</strong></td>
<td>J-1 visa and DS-2019.</td>
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**Additional Information**

- **Is There a Pick-up Service Provided Upon Arrival?**
  Arranged for by the Office of International Student Services.

- **International Association**
  http://view.fdu.edu/default.aspx?id=2397

- **Language Courses**
  http://view.fdu.edu/default.aspx?id=6982

- **Facilities on Campus**
  http://view.fdu.edu/default.aspx?id=190

- **Internship**
  Coordinated by the Office of Global Learning

**Institution**

- **Locations**
  Metropolitan Campus
  1000 River Road, Teaneck, N.J. 07666
  College at Florham
  285 Madison Avenue, Madison, N.J. 07940

- **History**
  http://globaleducation.fdu.edu/history_heritage/hh1/

- **International Vision**
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- **Programme**
  Undergraduate: http://fduinfo.com/u/
  Postgraduate: http://fduinfo.com/g/

- **Rankings**
  http://view.fdu.edu/?id=199

- **Membership**
  http://view.fdu.edu/default.aspx?id=5211

- **Student Registration**
  See Academic Calendar for Registration Dates: http://www.fdu.edu/academic/1415academic_cal.html

- **Academic and Administrative Staff**
  Full-time professors: 331
  Part-time lecturers: 800
  Visiting professors: 4
  Administrative staff: 638

- **Pictures and Videos**
  Metropolitan Campus in Teaneck/Hackensack, New Jersey
  Virtual Tour: http://www.fdu.edu/virtualtour/metro.html
  College at Florham in Madison/Florham Park, New Jersey
  Virtual Tour: http://www.fdu.edu/virtualtour/florham.html

- **City History and Details**
  Teaneck/Hackensack, New Jersey, is the county seat of Bergen County, one the busiest and most extensive shopping areas in the U.S.A. Madison/Florham Park, New Jersey, is a mostly residential community with small-town charm and traditional main streets.

- **Tourist Information**
  Fairleigh Dickinson University’s two New Jersey campuses are less than one hour to New York City by mass transportation.
  Please visit: http://www.nycgo.com/