

Recommended Full Academic Load at Exchange Universities for Full UWA Credit (June 2019)

This following table is a guide for Faculty course advisers and students about the points or credits required to achieve the equivalent of a standard full load at the UWA per semester. It is based on historical approvals and is continually updated so should not be used as a predictor of future credit arrangements. This information is primarily for Undergraduate students. Loads may vary for Postgraduate students.

Please note that the host universities use different terminology to that used at UWA.

Units may be called the following: **Courses, Modules, Subjects, and Papers.**

Points may be called the following: **Units, Credits, Credit Hours, ECTS (European Credit Transfer System).**

University	Unit Value	Full Load Requirements Per Semester
Austria		
Vienna, University of	Each course is worth 2, 3, 4 or 6 ECTS points	Law - 20 ECTS All other Faculties – 30 ECTS
Vienna University of Economics & Business Administration	Each course is normally worth 4 or 6 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Belgium		
Catholic University of Leuven	Each course is normally worth 3 to 6 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Ghent University	Please check the Ghent Homepage link on Global Studio	
Brazil		
Pontifical Catholic University of Parana	Students will take a 5ECTS Portuguese Language class as part of this load.	30 ECTS
Universidade Estadual de Campinas (Unicamp)	Please contact the UWA Global Learning Office	
Canada		
Alberta, University of		15 credits; School of Business 12 credits
British Columbia, University of	Courses are normally worth 3 credits	15 credits
Calgary, University of	Courses are normally worth 3 credits	15 credits
Carleton University		2.5 units
Dalhousie University	Each unit is worth 3 credits	15 credits
HEC Montreal	Each unit is worth 3 credits	15 credits Masters students:12 credits
Laval University	Courses are normally worth 3 credits	12 credits
McGill University	Courses are worth 3 or 4 credits	15 credits Law – 12 credits
McMaster University	Usually 5 courses per semester depending on credit value of each.	15 credits Engineering postgrad – 4 courses
Montreal, University of	Courses are normally worth 3 credits.	12 credits
Ottawa, University of	Each course is normally worth 3 credits.	15 credits (undergraduate) 9 credits (postgraduate)
Queen's University	Each course is worth 3 - 4 credits (Education and Engineering and Applied Sciences unit value may vary.)	Engineering & Applied Science - 5 courses All others – 15 credits
Simon Fraser University	Each course is worth 3, 4 or 5 credits	15 credits
Toronto, University of	Each course is worth 0.5 credits	5 courses (2.5 credits)
Waterloo, University of	Each course is normally worth 0.5 units (points)	5 courses (2.5 units)
Western Ontario, University of	Each course is worth 0.5 credits	5 courses (2.5 credits)
Chile		
Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile	Courses are worth 5 or 10 credits.	40 credits
China		
Beijing Language and Culture University	Please contact the UWA Global Learning Office	
Chinese University of Mining Technology	Please contact the UWA Global Learning Office	

Fudan University	Intensive Chinese Language Program includes Chinese Course, Spoken Chinese, Reading Comprehension and Listening Course	Chinese Language Program: 4 units. 10 credits for non-language program
Harbin Institute of Technology	Please contact the UWA Global Learning Office	
Nanjing University	15 credits	
Peking University (HSCB Business School)	12 credits	
Renmin University	LLB students: 14 credits; JD students: 16 credits	
Shanghai Jiao Tong University	12 credits	
Tsinghua University	16 credits OR Intensive Chinese Language Program	
University Science and Technology China	Please contact the UWA Global Learning Office	
Zhejiang University	Intensive Chinese Language Program: Includes Chinese Course, Reading Comprehension, Speaking and Listening. (Students are placed into the appropriate language course after an interview upon arrival.)	4 units 19 credits (non-language students) 6-7 credits for PG students
Denmark		
Aarhus University	Each unit is normally worth 10 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Copenhagen Business School	Each unit is normally worth 7.5 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Copenhagen, University of	Each unit is normally worth 10 or 15 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Technical University of Denmark	Each unit is normally worth 5 or 10 ECTS points	30 ECTS
Finland		
Aalto University School of Business	Each unit is normally worth 6 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Helsinki, University of		30 ECTS
France		
École Nationale Supérieure d'Architecture Montpellier		30 ECTS
EPSCI-ESSEC BBA Business School	Each course is normally worth 3 to 10 ECTS points.	20 ECTS
ESC Dijon Bourgogne	Each course is normally worth 4, 5 or 9 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
ESC Rennes School of Business	Each undergraduate course is normally 4 or 5 ECTS, each postgraduate course is worth 6 ECTS	30 ECTS
Jean Moulin Lyon 3 University	Courses normally range from 3-6 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Limoges, University of	1 credit = 0.8 of a UWA point 30 credits is FT	30 credits
Strasbourg, University of	Each course is normally worth 3 to 6 ECTS points.	20 ECTS
Pierre and Marie Curie, University of		20 ECTS
Sciences Po Grenoble	Courses can vary from 2 to 8 ECTS points each. French as a foreign language class (5 ECTS) is required for exchange students	30 ECTS
Sciences Po Lille	Each course is normally worth 5 ECTS or 4 ECTS	20 ECTS
Sciences Po Paris	Each course is normally worth 4, 5 or 9 ECTS points.	20 ECTS
University Grenoble Alpes		30 ECTS
University Sorbonne Nouvelle (Paris III)	Each course is normally worth 3 to 10 ECTS points.	20 ECTS
Germany		
Albert-Ludwigs University, Freiburg	Each course is worth 3, 4 or 6 ECTS.	30 ECTS
Eberhard-Karls University, Tubingen	4 to 6 courses depending on course point/credit value	30 ECTS
Frankfurt School of Finance and Management		30 ECTS

Free University Berlin		30 ECTS
Heinrich Heine University		30 ECTS
Humboldt University		30 ECTS
Ludwig-Maximilian University, Munich		30 ECTS
RWTH Aachen		4 courses
Stuttgart University		30 ECTS
WHU Otto Beisheim School of Management		30 ECTS
Hong Kong		
Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK)		15 credits
City University of Hong Kong		15 credits
Hong Kong Polytechnic University	Each course is worth 3 points.	15 credits
Hong Kong, University of	Each course is normally worth 6 points	30 points
Ireland		
University College Dublin	Each course is normally worth 6 ECTS	30 ECTS
Israel		
Tel Aviv University	3 academic credits per course	15 credits
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem		20 Credits
Italy		
Bocconi University	Each course is worth 6 points	30 ECTS
Politecnico di Milano		30 ECTS
Catholic University of the Sacred Heart	For 1 st semester – 15 ECTS points plus the Intensive and Semester Italian Course. 2 nd Semester – 20 ECTS points. Each course is worth 5, 6 or 8 ECTS points.	20 ECTS
Japan		
Akita International University	Most courses are 3 credits – students will take 5 units per semester	15 Credits
Chuo University	Language Students: Take 8 x language classes per week plus at least 2 cultural/non-language classes. Students at advanced level take 4 x language classes and at least 6 x cultural/non-language classes. Other students: Minimum of 7 academic classes per week.	
Kansai Gaidai University	Students take a placement test upon arrival. 4 courses	4 units
Kobe University	Most are 2 credits each.	Language Students: Take 6 x 90 minute language classes per week plus at least 1 “cross-cultural” unit. Other Students: 14 credits per semester.
Kwansei Gakuin University		10 – 11 credits
Nagoya University		15 credits
Okayama University		15 credits
Osaka University	UG take 7 courses; PG take 6 courses (includes Japanese Language Courses)	14 credits
Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University	Each course is normally worth 2 points	18 credits
Ritsumeikan University		12 credits
Sophia University	12 points per semester Language course: 8 points (Students take a placement test upon arrival.) Non-language courses: 4 points	12 points (language + non-language course)
Waseda University		13 credits
South Korea		
Sogang University	Each course is normally worth 3 credits	15 credits

Korea University	Each course is normally worth 3 credits	15 credits
Pusan National University		15 credits
Seoul National University	Non-language courses normally worth 3-4 credits or Korean language course plus 1 cross-cultural course (minimum 3 credit points)	15 credits
Sungkyunkwan University		15 Credits 9 Credits for PG students
Yonsei University		15 Credits
Mexico		
Universidad Iberoamericana	Courses are normally worth 4, 6 or 8 credits each	40 credits
Netherlands		
Vrije University	Each course is normally worth 6 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Leiden University		30 ECTS
University College Maastricht and Maastricht University	Each course is normally worth 5 ECTS points.	30 ECTS
Tilburg University	Each course is normally 6 ECTS	30 ECTS
University of Groningen		30 ECTS
Utrecht University and Utrecht University School of Economics		30 ECTS
New Zealand		
Otago, University of	Approximately 3 papers	60 points
Norway		
Bergen, University of	Each course is worth 5, 10 or 15 ECTS points 3-5 courses depending on course point/credit value	30 ECTS
Norwegian School of Economics (NHH)	Each course is worth 5-15 ECTS points 3-5 courses depending on course point/credit value	30 ECTS
Norwegian University of Life Sciences (UMB)	Each course is worth 5, 10 or 15 ECTS points 3-5 courses depending on course point/credit value	30 ECTS
Norwegian University of Science & Technology (NTNU)	Most courses are worth 7.5 ECTS points	30 ECTS
Oslo, University of	Each course is worth 5, 10 or 15 ECTS points 3-5 courses depending on course point/credit value	30 ECTS
Stavanger, University of	Each course is worth 5, 10 or 15 ECTS points 3-5 courses depending on course point/credit value	30 ECTS
Singapore		
Nanyang Technological University	Most courses are worth 3 or 4 Academic Units (AUs)	20 AUs 5 courses for PG students
National University of Singapore	4 - 6 modules depending on course point/credit value Most modules have 4 modular credits	20 Modular Credits (16 for Law students)
Singapore Management University	Each course is worth 0.5 or 1.0 credit	4 credit points per semester
Spain		
Autonomous University of Barcelona		30 ECTS
Comillas Pontifical University		24 ECTS
IE University		30 ECTS
Sweden		
Lund University	Most courses are worth 7.5 or 15 ECTS credits	30 ECTS
Mälardalen University	Most courses are worth 7.5 or 15 ECTS credits	30 ECTS
Stockholm University	Courses are worth 7.5, 15 or 30 ECTS points	30 ECTS
Uppsala University	Courses are worth 7.5, 15 or 30 ECTS points	30 ECTS
Switzerland		

St. Gallen, University of	1 ECTS = 30 course working hours	30 ECTS
University of Zurich		30 ECTS
Università Della Svizzera Italiana	Units worth between 5 and 15 ECTS each	30 ECTS
Thailand		
Chulalongkorn University		15 credits
United Kingdom		
Aberdeen, University of		60 credits
Bath, University of	Each course is normally worth 6 points each	30 ECTS
Bristol, University of	Each course is normally worth 10 or 20 points 4 - 5 courses per semester 2 Bristol credit points = 1 ECTS credit points	60 credits
Cardiff University		60 credits
Durham University		60 credits
Essex, University of		60 credits
Exeter University	Most courses are worth 15 credits each	60 credits
Glasgow, University of	Most courses are worth 10, 20 or 30 points	60 credits
International Study Centre, Herstmonceux Castle	Semester programs - The normal load is 5 courses per term. Short-term programs - eg. Law Spring Program. The program requires enrolment in 3 courses of 3 points each. (The 3 courses in the Law Spring program are equivalent to 12 UWA points.	15 units (full semester programs) 3 courses (9 units -short term programs)
Leeds, University of		60 credits
Leicester, University of	Most courses are worth 10, 20, 30 points 2 Leicester credit points = 1 ECTS credit points	60 credits
Liverpool, University of		60 credits
Loughborough, University of		30 ECTS
Manchester, University of	Students should take 10 credit courses per semester.	60 per semester
Manchester Business School	120 MBS credits - 60 MBS per semester	60 per semester
Nottingham, University of	Courses are worth 10 or 20 credits	60 credits
Queen Mary, University of London	Modules are usually worth 15 credits	60 credits
Royal Holloway University of London	Courses are allocated a value of 0.5 CU, (half unit) although some are given a CU value of 1.0 (whole unit). 0.5 CU = 7.5 ECTS / 1 CU = 15 ECTS	30 ECTS / 2 CU
Sheffield, University of	Most courses are worth 10, 20, 30 points 2-6 modules per semester	60 credits
Southampton, University of	Modules can vary from 10, 15 20 credits each	60 credits/ 30ECTS
Sussex, University	Modules can vary from 10, 15 20,30 credits each	60 credits
University College London	Courses are allocated a value of 0.5 CU, (half unit) although some are given a CU value of 1.0 (whole unit). 0.5 CU = 7.5 ECTS / 1 CU = 15 ECTS	30 ECTS / 2 CU
York, University of		60 credits
Uruguay		
University of Montevideo		24 Credits

USA		
Arizona, University of	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	15 credits
Alabama at Birmingham, The University of		15 credits
Auburn University		16 credits
Bellarmine University	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	15 credits
Boston College	Course normally worth 3 or 4 credits	15 credits (12 credits for graduates)
Colorado State University		15 credit hours
Denver, University of		24 credit hours over 2 quarters = 24 UWA points
Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	14 credit hours
Indiana University	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credits	15 credit hours
Iowa State University	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	15 credits (undergraduates) 12 credits (graduates)
Kansas State		15 credit hours
Maryland, University of		16 credit hours
Montana State University	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	15 credit hours (All faculties except ALVA) 12 credit hours (ALVA Only)
New Mexico, University of	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	15 credit hours (undergraduate) 9 credit hours (graduate)
North Carolina State University	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	16 credit hours 12 for architecture 9 for Graduate Business
Notre Dame, University of		15 credits
Pacific University Oregon		15 credits
Purdue University	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	15 credits hours
Pennsylvania, University of	Each course is normally worth 1 credit unit	4 CU
Presbyterian College	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	16 credit hours
Rochester, University of		16 credit hours
South Dakota, University of		15 credit hours
State University of New York at Brockport	Each course is normally worth 3 credit hours	15 credit hours
Texas at Austin, University of	Courses range from 2 to 5 credit hours	15 credit hours
Vermont, University of	Courses are normally worth 3 or 4 credit hours	15 credit hours
Washington, University of	Courses range from 2 to 5 credit hours	26 credit hours over 2 quarters = 24 UWA points
West Alabama, University of		15 credit hours
Willamette University	Courses range from 1 to 0.5 credit hours	4 credits