

University of Miami



Universidad	University of Miami (UM)							
Website	http://www.miami.edu/ http://www.miami.edu/index.php/student_life/student_services/isss/							
Dirección	5050 Brunson Drive; 111 Allen Hall; Coral Gables, FL 22146 USA							
Información universidad de destino	The University of Miami is a private university located in a nearby suburb of Miami, called Coral Gables. Here are some quick facts: - established: 1925 - student body: 15,600 students representing all 50 states and 148 countries - campus: 1km² with newly renovated facilities/buildings - more than 250 degree programs - sports: many of UM athletic teams are nationally ranked including football, basketball, and baseball Fast Facts about the University of Miami							
La ciudad de Coral Gables	Coral Gables is known as the "City Beautiful" and is popular for its numerous recreational amenities including parks, tennis courts, golf courses, and bike paths. With a population of approximately 43,000, it is small enough to feel part of the community, but large enough to keep you busy during your free time. <u>Visitor Guide: City of Coral Gables</u>							
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Calendario Académico/ Plazos de envío	Semester	Fall			Spring			
	Application Deadline	March 1			November 1			
	Term Begins	Late August			Early January			
	Term Ends	Mid December			Early May			
Impresos	International Transfer Student: This link provides all the necessary application forms and documents for your application to the University of Miami. The following forms are required in your application packet: 1. Application (including essay) 2. Letter of Recommendation from professor/employer 3. Dean of Students' Recommendation Form (from current or most recent college/university) 4. Official transcripts: Official transcripts from each college/university attended 5. Official Test Scores: All students whose native language is not English are required to submit official results (the TOEFL code for the University of Miami is 5815) 6. Bank sponsorship letter							
Estimación de gastos	Estimation of Costs (2009-2010): Tuition and Fees Tuition and Fees: \$36,188 Books and Supplies; \$1,250 Housing and Meals: \$10,800 Medical Insurance: \$1,415 Personal Expenses: \$3,807 Total Estimated Expenses: \$53,460							
Requisitos lingüísticos y académicos	TOEFL Requirements Paper - 550 Internet - 80			Academic Requirements Minimum of 12 credit hours per term				

Hotels Near Campus: This website provides information and links for local hotels. Many hotels offer a special student discount.					
On-Campus: There are a variety of options for international students wanting to live on campus. This link provides all the necessary information, including the opportunity to live in the international quarter: On-Campus Housing for International Students					
Off-Campus: Many students choose to find there own housing. This link is a very helpful tool when trying to set up your own housing, it includes listings of available rooms/apartments, a roommate finder, and links to other helpful housing websites: Off-Campus Housing					
There are a variety of opportunities for English courses and other activities to help improve your English: Weekly ESL + Sports Private English Lessons TOEFL Prep Course					
There are many convenient options for opening a bank account. University Credit Union is the only bank located on campus, but there are numerous other options located near campus. These links describe the banking at UM and process of opening an account in the United States: Banking on Campus Opening a Bank Account in the US					
All international students are automatically enrolled in the university sponsored health insurance, the cost of this insurance is added to your student fees. There is an option to be exempted from this requirement if the student provides proof of acceptable health insurance coverage approved by the University Student Health Center. This link describes the health insurance requirements: Health Insurance					
This website describes the immunization requirements, including the list of necessary immunizations and the "immunization form" that you will need to send to the University Student Health Center: Student Health Center Immunization Information					
Visa & Entry to the U.S.: This link provides all the necessary information needed to obtain a student visa. The application process for a U.S. visa is fairly complicated and time consume, therefore it is important to start the process as early as possible. This website also includes helpful information about obtaining your student visa: http://travel.state.gov/visa/temp/types/types_1268.html#apply					
Miami International Airport (MIA) is the most convenient airport to fly into. It is located located approximately 24 kilometers south of campus and a taxi/shuttle ride to the university is approximately \$20-\$25. This link provides the information needed to coordinate your arrival to the University of Miami: Getting to Campus					
Before the start of each term (August/January) there is an International Student Orientation new international students, which provides students with information that will assist in their transition to living and studying in the U.S. This orientation will also provide the opportunity to meet and ge acquainted with other students. Orientation Information					
COISO: Your International Student Club: The UM International Club offers numerous programs and events throughout the year and is an excellent way to meet other international students. Host-Family/Friends Program: The Host-Family/Friends Program (HFFP) provides the opportunity for a cultural exchange between international students and the local community. Once you have completed the Student Application you will be matched with a family/friend. Herbert Wellness Center: The Herbert Wellness Center is a great way to stay active, including the workout center, swimming pool, fitness classes, and sports clubs.					
 					