

# 2014

Study Abroad Internationalization Programs

Summer and Tailor-made Courses University of Almería (Spain)



# A sea of talent



The University of Almería (UAL) is located in the southeast of Spain, in the region of Andalusia.

It was founded in 1993 and currently has over 13,000 undergraduate and graduate students.

Despite its recent creation, UAL has been positioned in the highest levels of scientific and academic knowledge in different areas and currently has great prestige both nationally and internationally.



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# Why choose UAL?







There are many reasons to choose UAL. Its facilities and equipment are definitely among the most modern and innovative in Europe. Our highly qualified teaching staff use the latest technology to teach their subjects. Its tailor-made courses are carefully designed to achieve a comprehensive training of the highest quality in accordance with the demands of the students and the needs of the current society.

Furthermore, the campus life is as enjoyable as the environment and weather of the province of Almeria. Its location, by the sea, makes the campus a unique environment. But what undoubtedly makes students' stays really successful is the Andalusian character and lifestyle: friendly, cheerful, enterprising and proud of their homeland and customs.

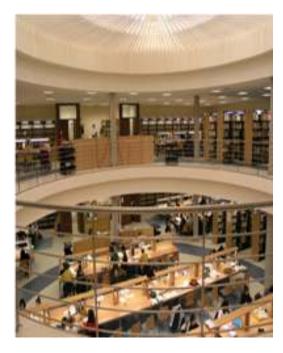


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### **Our services**





The University of Almeria counts with great equipment to facilitate the work and stay of our visiting students. We offer plenty of services for academic, administrative and social support. We have one of the largest and most modern libraries in Andalusia, equipped with several study and group-work rooms, computers and laptops, etc..

We also have a large dining room, several cafes, hosting service, bike rental, entertainment and leisure activities, free PCs, WI-FI, etc.

With regard to sports facilities, we count with different tennis, paddle, football, basketball and volleyball courses. We also have an Olympic indoor pool, fitness center, sauna, spinning room, a fully equipped gym and specialized rooms for other activities requested by students.

Furthermore, the Sports Service of our University offers students plenty of leisure and free-time activities in contact with nature, such as hiking, rafting, diving, skiing, snowboarding, canoeing, caving and horseback riding, among others.





#### Leading-edge areas of knowledge:

- Agronomy
- Solar Energy
- Water Management
- Global Change
- Engineering (Agricultural and Industrial studies, Chemistry, Computing, etc)
- Administration and Business Management.
- Environmental Sciences.
- Health Sciences.

The University of Almería is the third university in Andalusia in scientific and academic production with over 300 scientific research agreements signed with companies, around 10 patents, over 700 published papers and the edition of 3 annual scientific journals. Furthermore, the University of Almería has been recently appointed as *Agrifood Campus of International Excellence (ceiA3)* by the Spanish Ministry of Education, along with four other Andalusian universities pursuing modernization and internationalization to create a force for change towards a sustainable agricultural production model based on knowledge and innovation.

# At the forefront of knowledge



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Our summer courses designed by the are most prestigious experts of the leading-edge fields of our University. They are taught by Doctors and Full Professors of proven expertise and their experience in respective of areas knowledge.

All courses have a eminently practical focus and include visits to experimental centres and companies of the field.

Each 80-hour course can be recognized by up to <u>8 CREDITS</u> at the Home University.

| SUMMER COURSE OFFER 2013 |   |          |          |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|---|----------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| CODE                     | COURSE NAME   | LANGUAGE | LENGTH   |  |  |  |  |
| SE1                      | <ul> <li>Environment in the Anthropocene: Global change, Biodiversity and<br/>Renewable Energies</li> </ul> | ES/EN    | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| SE2                      | Advances in Sustainable Protected Horticulture.   | ES/EN    | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| CM1                      | Efficient and Secure Computer Applications for Internet of Things   | ES/EN    | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| CM2                      | Current Architectures: Study and Development of Computer Applications.                                      | ES/EN    | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| BS1                      | International Business Management and Marketing   | ES/EN    | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| BS2                      | Business Strategy and Human Resources: Builnding Future Leaders   | ES/EN    | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| BS3                      | Topics in International Finance   | EN       | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| BS4                      | Consumer Culture: The Social Psychology of Consumer Behaviour   | EN       | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| BS5                      | Legal Psychology and Psycho-Educational Intervention for Minors   | ES/EN    | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| BS6                      | The International Dimension of Law  | ES       | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| HS1                      | New trends in Physical and Manual Therapy in Physiotherapy.   | ES/EN    | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| HS2                      | Update on the Integral and Scientific Approach of Chronic Diseases  | ES       | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| HS3                      | Advances in Nursing and Physiotherapy   | ES       | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| TG1                      | Tourism and Gastronomy: Fundamentals of Mediterranean Cuisine   | ES       | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |
| HU1                      | Techniques and Resources for Educational Innovation   | ES       | 80 hours |  |  |  |  |

\*LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION:

**ES**: Only in Spanish.

**EN:** Only in English.

**ES/EN:** In Spanish and/or English (according to demand).



# Sample of Study Abroad Course (4 weeks)

| WEEK 1      | MONDAY            | TUESDAY             | WEDNESDAY         | THURSDAY            | FRIDAY     |
|-------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------|
| 9.00-11.30  | Fertigation       | Energy Resources    | Fertigation       | Energy Resources    | Trip to    |
| 11.30-14.00 | Sustainab. Devel. | Solar Energy        | Sustainab. Devel. | Solar Energy        | Natural    |
| 16.00-20.00 | Cultural visit    | Visit to Monuments  | Free              | City Center Tour    | Park       |
| WEEK 2      | MONDAY            | TUESDAY             | WEDNESDAY         | THURSDAY            | FRIDAY     |
| 9.00-11.30  | Water Resources   | Greenhouse practice | Water Resources   | Greenhouse practice | Trip to    |
| 11.30-14.00 | Sustainab. Devel. | Company Visit       | Sustainab. Devel. | Company Visit       | Granada    |
| 16.00-20.00 | Cultural Visit    | Free                | Visit to Museum   | Sea Tour            | (optional) |
| WEEK 3      | MONDAY            | TUESDAY             | WEDNESDAY         | THURSDAY            | FRIDAY     |
| 9.00-11.30  | Fertigation       | Energy Resources    | Fertigation       | Energy Resources    | Cinema     |
| 11.30-14.00 | Sustainab. Devel. | Solar Energy        | Sustainab. Devel. | Solar Energy        | City       |
| 16.00-20.00 | Cultural Visit    | Beach               | Free              | Free                | Tour       |
| WEEK 4      | MONDAY            | TUESDAY             | WEDNESDAY         | THURSDAY            | FRIDAY     |
| 9.00-11.30  | Water Resources   | Greenhouse practice | Water Resources   | Greenhouse practice | Awarding   |
| 5.00 11.00  |                   |                     |                   |                     |            |
| 11.30-14.00 | Sustainab. Devel. | Company Visit       | Sustainab. Devel. | Company Visit       | of         |



#### Study Abroad Summer Course Packages include:

#### • 80-hour course tuition.

• Accommodation in ensuite double room at University Halls of Residence, equipped with complete bathroom, air conditioning, towels, toiletry kit, wardrobe and desk (located 3 minutes walk from the beach and in front of the bus stop bounding for the University).

- Half board (breakfast & lunch or dinner).
- Free WI-FI connection at the Accommodation.

• Exclusive use of living room at the accommodation equipped with sofas, TV, refrigerator, microwave and kitchenware.

• Possibility of accompanying Lecturer from home University with accommodation and half board (for a minimum of 20-student group).

• Visits to experimental centers, companies, greenhouses, seedbeds, hospitals, etc.

• Field and laboratory activities.

• Local Transport voucher.

• Free access to sports and leisure facilities at the University (gym, pool, library, sport courses, etc.).

• Internet access and WI-FI throughout the University Campus.

• Guided tours to the most emblematic monuments and places of the City of Almeria (Alcazaba, Civil War Shelters, Cinema Museum, old town, sea area, etc.).

• Guided tours to the highlights of the province of Almeria.

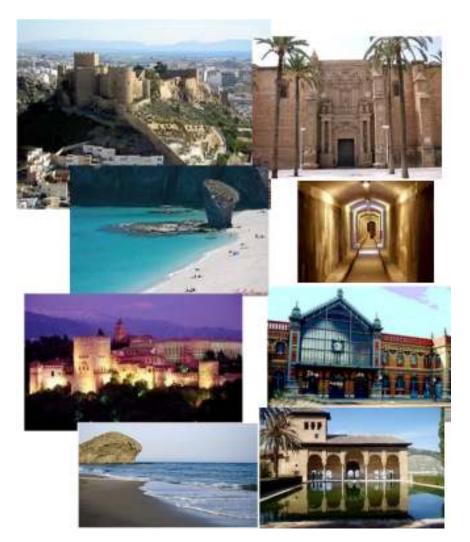
• Diploma of Achievement & Transcript of Records.

Price for Summer Course packages: €1,720/student \*(Courses paid before <u>1<sup>st</sup> March 2014</u> have 5% discount: : €1,634)

Registration Link: http://nevada.ual.es/relint/cursos\_verano.asp

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# Study Abroad Summer Course Package (4 weeks)





# *Our University (facilities and activities)*





# The city of Almeria

























# Accommodation and tours



























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