How to Use This Guide

Be proactive and start planning early! This guide contains information about the courses offered in the Brighton, England program. Students studying in England have access to the full curriculum at The University of Brighton and will be taking courses with locals as well as other international students from around the globe.

This guide, along with your Academic Advising Report and the USAC catalog, provides the tools you need to plan and apply for a program. Involve your major/minor advisor as you choose a program and prepare for your time abroad so you do not prolong graduation. Course descriptions, photos, and more detailed descriptions of the program are available at usac.unr.edu.

Top Reasons to Study Abroad

You will:
• gain new life experiences
• become more independent and flexible
• explore a new culture and live like a local
• broaden your worldview and find new perspectives
• make lifelong friends from around the world
• find out what is beyond your borders

This academic experience will enable you to:
• earn University of Brighton credit
• learn a language
• fulfill major and minor requirements
• learn from foreign experts in your field
• supplement your major by selecting courses not offered on campus

What’s the Next Step?

1. Meet with a study abroad peer advisor in the USAC office
2. Meet with your major/minor advisor to go over your long-term plans and your goals for study abroad
3. Consult the USAC catalog or website as you research your program options
4. Complete your application by the deadline
5. Apply for or renew your passport
6. Attend information sessions and workshops on topics such as financial aid, visas, and other useful information (ask the USAC office for more information).
7. Start packing!

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University of Brighton – Areas of Study

Required for all Students
- British History and Culture

Brighton Business School
Recent courses have included:
- Business Values, Responsibility, and Trust
- Consumer Psychology
- Entrepreneurship: New Business Planning
- Labour Market Analysis
- Law of International Trade
- Marketing Across Cultures
- Marketing Communications
- Retail Marketing and Distribution

School of Applied Social Sciences
Recent courses have included:
- Comparative Politics
- Criminologies of Crime Control
- Introduction to Applied Psychology
- Introduction to Criminal Justice Studies
- Social Policy and Social Welfare
- What is Politics?—Politics in Brighton

School of Arts and Media
Recent courses have included:
- Critical Approaches to Media
- Critical Issues in Political Communication
- Film Studies
- Media and Popular Culture
- Mobile Media
- New Media and Society
- Popular Music
- Visual Culture

School of Education
Recent courses have included:
- Museums, Galleries, and Heritage Sites
- On the Move
- Performance Arts in the Curriculum
- The Historian and Geographer at Work
- Unity and Diversity

School of the Environment and Technology
Recent courses have included:
- Air Quality Management
- An Introduction to Environmental Hazards
- Applied Remote Sensing
- Climate Change
- Environmental Hazards
- Environmental Planning
- Fundamentals of Geology
- Fundamentals of Physical Geography
- Geohazards
- Mineralogy and Petrology
- Planetary Geology

School of Humanities
Recent courses have included:
- Art, Architecture, and Design
- Creative Writing
- Early Modern Literature
- Images of War
- Introduction to Journalism
- Literature, Criticism, and Theory
- Modern Languages
- Perspectives on Photography
- Poetry in Cultural History
- Studying Travel Writing
- Women’s Writing and Feminist Theory

School of Pharmacy and Biomolecular Sciences
(Fall semester assessments may have to be taken at your home university)
Recent courses have included:
- Ecological Processes
- Evolutionary Biology
- Forensic Biology
- Genes and Inheritance
- Human Physiology
- Introduction to Environmental Chemistry
- Introduction to Microbiology
- Marine Biology and Ecology
- Physiological Ecology

*Modules are subject to availability and approval of prerequisites, which are determined by the University of Brighton.*
Module Exceptions
A small number of education modules may be condensed and completed in a shorter time frame. Modules in art and design, specialist education, engineering, and sport science may be arranged in either semester. Fall semester science courses require you to take final exams at your home university once you return home. Tourism and hospitality and sport science courses are held at the Eastbourne campus, which is a 30-mile journey on the train. Some engineering/science courses may need to follow the Brighton semester calendar which ends in February for the Fall term. Many of the business modules are yearlong and may not be available for Spring semester only students.

Modules are timetabled at the beginning of each semester; classes run in one semester are not normally then offered in the next (most modules are only offered once per year). However, a full and comprehensive range of modules across faculties are available. Some modules may require you to travel a short distance to one of the other campuses; however, public transportation is frequent and convenient.