

LEBANESE INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY – FACTSHEET

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of Institution	Lebanese International University
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EuropeAid ID	"LB-2019-ATH-2408562444"
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ADMISSIONS CALENDAR

Nomination Period (by universities)	1st Semester (Fall): April 2nd Semester (Spring): November
Application Deadlines (by students)	1st Semester (Fall): April 2nd Semester (Spring): November

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

General Academic Calendar The definitive start date will be informed to each student once admitted.	1 st Semester (Autumn):	From 04th October 2021 to 13th January 2022 (Final Exams: 17th January 2022 to 29th January 2022)
	2 nd Semester (Spring):	From 14th February 2022 to 1st June 2022 (Final Exams: 6th June 2022 to 16th June 2022)
	3 rd Semester (Summer)	From 27th June 2022 to 7th September 2022 (Final Exams: 12th September 2022 to 16th September 2022)
Holidays	Prophet's Holiday	October 19
	Independence Day	November 22
	Christmas and New Year Vacation	From December 24th to January 1st
	Armenian Christmas	January 06
	St. Maron's Holiday	February 09
	Annunciation Holiday	March 25
	Easter Holiday	From April 15th to April 18th
	Easter Holiday	From April 22nd to April 25th
	Labor Day	May 01
	Eid Al-Fitr Holiday	From May 02nd to May 4th
	Liberation Day	May 25
	Eid Al Adha	July 10 and 11
	Hijra New Year	July 30
	Ashoura Holiday	August 08
	Assumption Day	August 15

GUIDANCE AND ADMISSIONS

<p>Website for Application and Exchange Information</p>	<p>www.liu.edu.lb</p>
<p>Language Requirements</p>	<p>The Lebanese International University (LIU) takes on TOEFL Scale as a benchmark to place applicants in various English levels.</p>
<p>Academic Requirements</p>	<p>Students will have to choose, at least, 50% of the credits from the field of study under which they have been nominated and, therefore, agreed upon in the bilateral agreement.</p>
<p>COVID Restrictions</p>	<p>A COVID19 Passport is recommended, as it should be presented when entering some shops in Lebanon.</p>
<p>Registration</p>	<p>Once the student has been selected to do a mobility period at LIU, exchange students must complete an online application and attach the required documents.</p> <p>At their arrival, the students must contact the assigned academic advisors to the school they belong to and enroll the subjects of their learning agreement at the secretariat of their Faculty/Technical School.</p> <p>https://apply.liu.edu.lb/</p>
<p>Mandatory Admission Documents</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On-line Application • Learning Agreement / Training Agreement • Academic Transcript of Records or Invitation Letter for internship trainees and PhD students • Passport size photo of yourself (max. 500 pixel x 500 pixel) • A certificate of competence in English • Identity card/Passport • European Health Insurance Card / International Health Insurance

STUDIES

The university comprises 5 schools; Arts and sciences, Business, Engineering, Education and Pharmacy, which covers all 41 majors at undergraduate and 17 Majors at Graduate - a total of 58 majors offering study programmes at all levels, from Bachelor's degrees to Masters to Pharm D.

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Credit Load	12 to 15 credits per semester (with a GPA above 2.0)																																																																																									
Student Classification	<p>Sophomores (0 – 33 credits)</p> <p>Juniors (34 – 66 credits)</p> <p>Seniors (Above 67 credits)</p>																																																																																									
Study Guidance and Academic Advising	<p>Upon acceptance every student at LIU is assigned an advisor for the duration of freshman and sophomore years. This advisor should be a full-time faculty member appointed by the Dean/Chair according to student's program. The period of the academic orientation is fixed during each semester. This period is during the two weeks prior to pre-registration as spelled out in the academic calendar. However, Junior and Senior students are always encouraged to visit the school for any advising at any time.</p> <p>The Academic Advisor shall: 1. Assist students noticing the basis of admissions, as stipulated in their Letters of Acceptances. 2. Be available throughout the academic year during office hours, and when necessary, by appointment. 3. Support students to effectively fulfill all the requirements of their degree program. 4. Familiarize students with the University academic rules, regulations, and policies. 5. Explain to student clearly the Registration process; Course offerings; Course pre-requisite; Course selection; Minimum/Maximum credit load; and Degree planning.</p>																																																																																									
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Attendance

Students are held responsible for all material presented in the classroom even during their absence. Make-up work and exams, if any, will be according to the rules spelled out in the course syllabus. In any regular semester or summer term, students may miss no more than the equivalent of five weeks (15 class hours) of instructions in any registered course and still receive credit for that course. However, instructors have the right to impose specific attendance regulations in their courses provided that the above stated limit of absences is not exceeded for any reason and the minimum number of absences allowed is no fewer than the equivalent of two weeks (6 class hours) of classroom instruction. Such specific attendance regulation should be clearly stated in the syllabus. Students who exceed the maximum allowed absences stated on the syllabus in any registered course before the withdrawal deadline will receive a grade of “AW” in that course. Instructors are required to inform their Departments/Divisions and the Student Affairs Office of any prolonged unexplained absences. The number of absences in summer modules is prorated. Any Student intentionally absenting himself/herself after the withdrawal deadline to exceed the allowed absence limit will receive a grade “F” in the course at the end of the semester.