# 2023 RUC INBOUND EXCHANGE FACTSHEET

## RUC AT A GLANCE

As the first modern university founded by the People's Republic of China, Renmin University of China (RUC) is a research-oriented comprehensive university focusing on humanities and social sciences.

· RUC has 14 disciplines made onto the list of China's "double first-class" initiative.
· In the 4th discipline evaluation by the Chinese Ministry of Education, 14 RUC disciplines were ranked A, among which 9 disciplines, namely theoretical economics, applied economics, law, sociology, journalism and communication, statistics, business administration, public administration and Marxist theory were ranked A+.
· RUC's A+ disciplines is the 4th largest among all Chinese universities.
· Till January, 2023, RUC has established partnership with 307 higher education institutions and international organizations from 61 countries and regions.

## STUDENT BODY 28649 (till January 2023)

-Undergraduates 11768
-Postgraduates 11837
-Ph.D. students 5044
-International students 1131

## FACULTY 1970(till January 2023)

-Professors 784
-Associate professors 762

## UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

-Name of university: Renmin University of China ｜ 中国人民大学 ｜ RUC
-Location: Beijing, China
Inbound Exchange: International Students Office
-Mailing address:
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## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

**Academic calendar:**
Spring Semester: Late February to End June (16 weeks)
Fall Semester: Early September to Middle January (16 weeks)
https://www.ruc.edu.cn/calendar


**Full-time workload:**
-The minimum workload allowed per semester for junior visiting program is 10 credits (usually 5 courses)
-The minimum workload allowed per semester for Chinese language program is 18 credits (students must take all 5 Chinese language courses if he/she chose Chinese language program)


**Information on courses open to exchange students:**

-University-level exchange students may select the courses in Renmin University of China according to the language requirements and available seats of the class.

-School-level exchange students may select the courses which are provided by the exchange school, language proficiency may be required.

-All the course selection should be done within the first two weeks after the start of the semester. For the methods of university-level course selection, please contact Yuqing Cai(Ms.) for details.


**Course list & description:**
The updated list of courses will be posted one month before each semester. Please refer to the previous course list as a reference.


English course list (2022 fall semester)
http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/sqlx/ptjxs/index.htm
Chinese language course list (2022 fall semester tentative)
http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/sqlx/hyyjxs/index.htm


**Grading system**

| Grade | Letter grade | Grade point |
|-------|--------------|-------------|
| 90-100 | A | 4.0 |
| 86-89 | A- | 3.7 |

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| 83-85 | B+ | 3.3 |
| 80-82 | B | 3.0 |
| 76-79 | B- | 2.7 |
| 73-75 | C+ | 2.3 |
| 70-72 | C | 2.0 |
| 66-69 | C- | 1.7 |
| 63-65 | D+ | 1.3 |
| 60-62 | D | 1.0 |
| 0-59 | F | 0 |
| 60-100 | P(pass) | |

**Academic transcript:**
**·For university level exchange students:**
Students must send the selected courses' titles to Yuqing Cai in International Students Office within two weeks after the start of the semester.
International Students Office will collect the final score of the selected courses from each school and issue the official transcripts and mail it directly to the student's home university usually by the start of the next semester.
If the students selected the courses only in one school in RUC, the transcript will be issued by the school directly.
**·For School level exchange students:**
Students will get the transcripts issued by the school directly.

**Study duration:** one semester or two semesters

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE

**Nomination guide will be sent:**
Spring semester: by end of September
Fall semester: by end of March

**Nomination deadline**-partners sending nomination template form given with the nomination guide to Ruting Fang's email address
Spring semester: October 15 to November 15
Fall semester: April 15 to May 15

**Application deadline**-nominated students should apply through application system within the deadline
Spring semester: October 15 to November 30

Fall semester: April 15 to May 30


**Online application time period**-nominated students should complete the online application procedure before arrival
Spring semester: Mid-February (specific date will be notified by the confirmation email)
Fall semester: End of August (specific date will be notified by the confirmation email)

If the nominated students did not complete the online registration within the specific time, the exchange study will be turned down as giving up the exchange opportunities.
Please guide the students who decided to give up the exchange opportunities or the dispatching university office send the email on the cancellation of the exchange at least two weeks before the start of the new semester.

**Application system:** https://international.ruc.edu.cn/application/
-Students DO NOT need to pay for the application fees.


**Eligibility:**
· Exchange students must be nominated by the RUC's partner universities.
· Exchange students must be full-time students in the home university and have completed at least one-year of study at home university.


**Language proficiency:**
-Chinese-taught courses will require HSK6 certificate.
-English-taught courses will require English proficiency including TOEFL 90+, IELTS 6.0+, or the official document on the language medium of instruction. And this requirement will not be required from English native speakers or students from universities in English-speaking countries.


**Application documents** (all the documents will be required to be uploaded in the application system)
1. The official transcripts in English version (minimum GPA 3.0)
2. The official certificate of enrollment in English version
3. One recommendation letter from the Dean or Vice Dean. The recommendation letter can also be written by academic advisor.
4. The photocopy of passport (The validity of the passport must be later than July 31st, 2024)
5. The signed Guarantee Statement (please download it at our website. The specific link is: http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/ENGLISH/Download/ApplicationDocuments/index.htm)
6. The official HSK certificate (new test, level 6), the English proficiency certificate (TOEFL 90+ or IELTS 6.0+) or the official document on the language medium of instruction

7. The electronic ID picture of the students, name the picture by using student's passport number, the picture must be in white background and in jpg format, between 100k to 500k.


## HOUSING OFFICE

If the students expect to know more about the housing, please reach the Housing Office by email(LGIA@ruc.edu.cn) for more details.