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About UCEMA

The University of CEMA (UCEMA) is a non-profit, private institution dedicated to promoting educational development in Argentina and globally. Established in 1978, it has consistently upheld a strong tradition of academic excellence.

UCEMA currently offers 15 undergraduate degrees, 16 graduate programs, and over 100 executive education courses in areas such as business, finance, economics, accounting, marketing, technology, computer engineering, law, political science, and international relations.

Located in the heart of Argentina's economic and financial district, the City of Buenos Aires —ranked the top Latin American city for students by QS Best Student Cities 2026— presents a unique combination of rich traditions and contemporary innovation.

The university currently operates four campuses, all within walking distance of one another.



Córdoba - Main Building
Av. Córdoba 374



Reconquista
Reconquista 775



Florida
Av. Córdoba 637



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Alem 882 (2.º floor)

Academic Calendar

UNDERGRADUATE

The academic year is divided into two semesters:

1st Semester (March – July) and 2nd Semester (August – December)

	FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
Orientation:	early March	late July
Classes:	mid March – late June	late July – mid November
Exams:	late June – mid July	mid – late November
Resit exams:	mid – late July	early – mid December

GRADUATE

The academic year is divided into three terms:

1st term (March – June), 2nd term (June – September) and 3rd term (September – December)

	FIRST TERM	SECOND TERM	THIRD TERM
Orientation:	mid March	mid July	mid September
Classes:	late March – early June	late July – early September	late September – early December
Exams:	early – mid June	early – mid September	early – mid December



Academic Offer

UNDERGRADUATE

SPANISH-TAUGHT Undergraduate exchange students have the option to enroll in courses from any of our Spanish-taught undergraduate programs:

[Law](#) | [Business Administration](#) | [Business Analytics](#) | [Digital Business](#) | [Political Science](#) | [International Relations](#) | [Accounting](#) | [Economics](#) | [Business Economics](#) | [Marketing](#) | [Actuary](#) | [Bachelor of Arts and Sciences](#) | [Finance](#) | [Informatics Engineering](#) | [Artificial Intelligence Engineering](#) (NEW PROGRAM! Limited to first-year courses for the 2026 AY)

* You can find more information at the following [link](#).

ENGLISH-TAUGHT: For courses offered in English, please refer to the 'Global Semester' section.

GRADUATE

Graduate exchange students are eligible to take courses within our Master's programs:

[MBA](#) | [Master in Agribusiness](#) | [Master in Finance](#) | [Master in International Studies](#) | [Master in Economics](#)

*To access the guidance list of available graduate courses, click **here**.

The language of instruction for the Master's programs is Spanish; however, some courses in English are also offered during the 3rd term (September–December),



Workload & timetable

Undergraduate students: 4/5 courses per semester

Graduate students: 3/4 full-term courses per term

If the home university requires a greater workload for credit transfer, students may request to enroll in extra courses, subject to availability.

Undergraduate courses are typically scheduled in the morning (9 AM to 12 PM) and early afternoon (1 PM to 4 PM), with some programs also offering classes in the late afternoon or evening (6 PM to 10 PM).

Graduate courses are usually held during the late afternoon/evening (7 PM to 10 PM)

Global Semester

The Buenos Aires Global Semester is an academic program designed for international students interested in business, economics, and technology. Hosted by UCEMA, one of Argentina's leading institutions, the program offers a modular and customizable curriculum, allowing students to earn academic credits while gaining international certification. With a flexible course structure and a global perspective, it provides a unique opportunity to study in the heart of Latin America.

Academic Offer

Theoretical courses

- Austrian Economics
- Fintech, Blockchain and Crypto
- Economic History of Latin America
- Machine Learning and Programming for Financial Analysis
- Global Business Strategy
- Global Political Economy: Institutions, Power and Development
- International Trade and Market Liberalization
- Strategic Management & Innovation
- Data Analytics for Global Marketing
- Artificial Intelligence for Strategic Leadership
- Behavioural Economics and Data-Driven Decision Making
- Big Data and Society
- Neuroscience and Leadership

Practical Courses

- Data Visualization and Storytelling with Python
- AI Ethics and Decision-Making in Business
- Data Analytics for Public Policy
- Spanish for Business
- International Project Lab
- Business Intelligence Tools
- AI & Automation for Business

Methodology

The academic workload is flexible and tailored to each student's interests and goals. Participants may choose the number of courses they wish to take, combining theoretical subjects with practical and applied components, **all 100% English taught.**

This structure allows students to build personalized learning paths in fields such as economics, finance, business administration, international business, and technology.

Students who successfully complete the equivalent of 15 credits within the program will receive the:

- **Certificate** in GlobalBusiness, Economics&Technology.

Students who extend their participation and complete a total of 20 credits will be eligible to obtain the:

- **Diploma** in GlobalBusiness, Economics&Technology.

➤ [Webpage](#)



Nomination

Partner Universities must nominate their candidate(s) through the [Nomination form](#) prior to the nomination deadlines specified below:

Undergraduate	1st semester (March – July) October 30	2nd Semester (August – December) April 1
Graduate	1st Term (March – June) & 2nd Term (June – September) October 30	3rd Term (September – December) April 1
Global Semester *	1st semester (March – July) December 15	2nd Semester (August – December) May 15

*Limited spots available, assigned on a first-come, first-served basis.

Application

Students must submit the following documentation electronically, within the period specified below:

- **Application Form** signed by the student and their home university:
- A. Students must download and complete the [Application form](#)
- B. Home University should verify the information provided by the student and sign it
- **Official University transcript** in English or Spanish
- **Passport**
- **Curriculum Vitae / Resumé**
- **Statement of Purpose** describing academic goals and motivation for participating in the exchange program (maximum one page in length)
- **Proof of Language Proficiency** – B2/C1 level of Spanish
B2/C1 level of English is highly recommended for courses taught in English.

Undergraduate	1st semester (March – July) October 15 – November 15	2nd Semester (August – December) March 15 – April 15
Graduate	1st Term (March – June) & 2nd Term (June – September) October 15 – November 15	3rd Term (September – December) March 15 – May 15
Global Semester *	1st semester (March – July) December 15	2nd Semester (August – December) May 15

*A differential administrative fee applies

Health Insurance & Visa

Exchange students must be covered by a health insurance valid in Argentine territory for the entire duration of the semester.

Depending on the length of study in Argentina and the country of citizenship, students will need to obtain different types of visas. We recommend contacting the [corresponding Argentine Consulate](#) for specific visa/residence permit requirements.

For completing their enrollment to UCEMA's International Program, exchange students must submit proof of their health insurance and their student visa/residence permit prior to their arrival in Argentina

Housing

Students are responsible for finding, arranging, and covering the cost of their accommodation during their stay. UCEMA does not offer on-campus housing. Accommodation recommended by the government of the City of Buenos Aires [here](#).

Estimated Living Expenses

Accommodation (shared apartments)	USD 450 – 600 per month
Utilities (water, electricity, internet, gas)	USD 60 – 70 per month
Public transport	USD 30 per month
Meal (inexpensive restaurant)	USD 13 – 15
Coffee	USD 4 – 5

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