Information of Wenzhou University for Exchange Student (Fall 2023)



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Brief introduction to Wenzhou University

Wenzhou University (WZU) is a comprehensive and regional institution of higher learning, which can be traced back to Wenzhou Normal College founded in 1933. WZU is in the beautiful and prosperous city of Wenzhou in the south of Zhejiang Province. The Chashan Campus and Xue Yuanlu Campus altogether cover an area of 157 hectares. Its main campus (Chashan Campus) is in Wenzhou Higher Education Park with Luoshan Mountains to its south and Sanyang wetlands to its north, the picturesque location provides an ideal place for both personal enrichment and academic learning.

It carries forward its long-standing tradition of "Nurturing Virtues and Exploring Truth" and forges ahead with its motto of "Keep learning and seeking truth with robust pioneering spirits". The principle of "serving local society by placing people first" gives priority to

quality in the development of competitive advantage, based on distinctive features and the pursuit of excellence.

Brief Introduction to Wenzhou

Wenzhou is a prefecture-level city in southeastern Zhejiang province in the People's Republic of China. Wenzhou is located at the extreme south east of Zhejiang Province with its borders connecting to Lishui on the west, Taizhou on the north, and Fujian to the south. It is surrounded by mountains, the East China Sea, and 436 islands, while its lowlands are almost entirely along its East China Sea coast, which is nearly 355 kilometers (221 miles) long. Most of Wenzhou's area is mountainous as almost 76 percent of its 11,784-square-kilometre (4,550 s.q. meter) surface area is classified as mountains and hills. It is said that Wenzhou has 7/10 mountains, 1/10 water, and 2/10 farmland.

At the time of the 2010 Chinese census, 3,039,500 people lived in Wenzhou's urban area; the area under its jurisdiction (which includes two satellite cities and six counties) held a population of 9,122,100, of which 31.16% are non-local residents from regions outside Wenzhou.

Wenzhou, which translates to "a mild and pleasant land", derives its name from its climate, as it is neither extremely hot in summer nor extremely cold in the winter.

Number of Exchange Students

The number is determined by bilateral agreement. More exchange students can be accepted with notice in advance.

Areas of study open for exchange students

Exchange students can study Chinese language in the College of International Education and select other courses (taught in English or Chinese) based on their academic background at home university. For general courses, please fill in the Nomination Sheet. The English-taught course list can be available at the end of each semester.

Academic Calendar

September 1st, 2023 to January 10th, 2024 (estimated and may be adjusted a bit)

Students can apply for one semester or one academic year.

Nomination Procedure

The program coordinator from the home university shall fill in the information sheet (see *attachment1 Nomination Information Sheet for Exchange Students Fall 2023*) for the nominated students which include the personal information such as name, gender, nationality, passport no., etc. and the courses the students plan to study in the receiving university and send it back to the program coordinator of Wenzhou University, who will then check whether the courses filled in the information sheet are available and discuss

with the home university. After the courses are confirmed by both universities, the nomination process is completed and students begin the online application.

Online Application

The candidates should be firstly nominated by the program coordinator from the home university before registering and completing the online application at https://wzu.17gz.org/member/login.do.

Scan the QR Code for quick access



Remarks: After you complete the online application, your application will be reviewed within one week and if all the documents you submit meet the requirements, the admission letter and the Visa application form will be sent to the program coordinator of your school; then, with the admission letter, the Visa application form and other required documents, you apply to the embassy for your Visa.

Nomination and Application Deadline

Please nominate your students by May 15, 2023 and your students shall complete the online application before June 15, 2023.

Application Documents

- 1. Study certificate of the home university in English;
- 2. An official transcript in English from the college you have recently attended;
- 3. A photocopy of the passport in English;

4. Bank statement in English (normally the balance is enough for your living expense here, around 20,000 RMB);

5. Health report in English (within the validation period) and regarding the report format, please refer to *attachment2 Physical Examination Form for Exchange Students*.

Language Requirement

1. For English-taught courses: IELTS 6.0 or TOEFL iBT 70, or English Proficiency Certificate issued by the home university

2. For Chinese-taught courses: HSK4

Housing assistance

On-campus dormitory is available. The rooms will be reserved for exchange students.

Living cost (If students come to WZU in person.)

Tuition: waivered by the bilateral agreement. Double room: 4000RMB/semester; Water and Electricity: charged by use, Internet: 20RMB/month; Textbooks: around 400RMB Insurance: 800RMB/year; Physical examination: 350RMB/person Residence Permit: 800RMB/year Meal plan in canteen: around 30RMB/day Note:

- 1. The mattress and sheet are **NOT** included in the dormitory;
- 2. The accommodation does NOT cover summer/winter vacation.
- 3. Fees can be paid in cash or bank card (Industrial and Commercial Bank of China)

Insurance (If students come to WZU in person.)

The exchange students are required to buy insurance in China.

Physical Examination (If students come to WZU in person.)

All exchange students are required to do physical examination in China.

Scholarship

There is no scholarship available for exchange students.

Visa requirements (If students come to WZU in person.)

X1 visa: for students who study in China for more than 180 days (residence permit is required after registration);

X2 visa: for students who study in China for less than or equal 180 days.