Located in the city of Abu Dhabi on the Arabian Gulf’s southern coast, NYU Abu Dhabi combines the best of a research university curriculum with the advantages of a liberal arts and sciences education. Subject courses are taught in English, and language courses are available in Arabic and Chinese. Students experience the United Arab Emirates and the neighboring region through regional academic seminars, research assistantships, extracurricular activities, athletic competitions, and personal travel during school breaks.

African Studies  
Ancient World Studies  
Anthropology  
Applied Mathematics  
Arab Crossroads Studies  
Arab Music Studies  
Arabic  
Art and Art History  
Art Practice  
Biology  
Business, Organizations and Society  
Chemistry  
Chinese  
Computer Science  
Design  
Economics  
Engineering  
Bioengineering  
Civil Engineering  
Computer Engineering  
Electrical Engineering  
General Engineering  
Mechanical Engineering  

Environmental Studies  
Film and New Media  
Heritage Studies  
History  
Interactive Media  
Legal Studies  
Literature and Creative Writing  
Mathematics  
Music  
Natural Sciences  
Peace Studies  
Philosophy  
Physics  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Social Research and Public Policy  
Sound and Music Computing  
Theatre  
Urbanization
WHEN
Fall/spring/academic year/Summer Session/January Term.* Opportunities during Summer Sessions and January Term are subject to availability, and they are often specialized programs with different admissions processes and academic offerings than the fall and spring semesters or full academic year. Visit the Global Programs website to learn more.

ACADEMICS
Courses are crafted to uphold the academic rigor expected from NYU. Students can select courses from a rich array of disciplines taught by an exemplary faculty of scholars, artists, and professionals.

Students earn 12 to 18 NYU credits per semester. Subject areas listed on the reverse side are generally offered during the fall and spring semesters.

THE PROGRAM
Students are invited to join the community of more than 1,800 NYU Abu Dhabi students from over 120 countries, work with full-time faculty in classes that have fewer than 15 students on average, and select from over 300 courses. Students enjoy the support of superior career services, academic advising, athletics programs, student government, and student interest groups.

Unique among study away offerings is the wide selection of science, mathematics, and engineering courses that NYU Abu Dhabi offers at both lower- and upper-division levels. Instructional labs include multipurpose wet and dry labs, organic chemistry and engineering labs, three digital manufacturing labs, a nanoparticle research lab, a smart environment lab, and a robotics lab.

ENGAGEMENT WITH THE LOCAL COMMUNITY
Many students participate in community-based experiential learning and volunteer with organizations in Abu Dhabi. These students develop a deeper connection to and understanding of the wider United Arab Emirates community, hone leadership skills, and give back to the local society. Through the Career Development Center, students are supported in internships, which can be on or off campus and paid or unpaid.

Weekend excursions and athletics events bring students closer to different communities in the United Arab Emirates.

CAMPUS
The campus, located on Saadiyat Island—a 6,672-acre natural island less than a mile by bridge from the main island of Abu Dhabi—is designed to promote interaction between the academic disciplines and foster community among the students, faculty, and staff. State-of-the-art facilities include a variety of instructional spaces such as experimental laboratories in the sciences and engineering, an interactive media space, film production rooms, digital recording studios, art studios, art exhibition spaces, performance spaces, a black box theatre, and music practice and production rooms as well as student and faculty accommodations. These facilities ensure that students have ample opportunities to supplement their classroom learning. The library, student center, health and wellness centers, dining halls, recreation and athletic facilities, and performing arts center all enrich the campus community.

HOUSING
Students live in apartment-style residences within a short distance from classrooms and centers of student activity.

STUDY AWAY PROCESS
Students interested in studying away can visit the NYU Office of Global Programs website at nyu.edu/global-programs and submit a brief online interest form. The Office of Global Programs considers the unique program requirements and each student’s complete academic and university records when reviewing student submissions. Submission deadlines per semester are posted online. After each deadline, the NYU Office of Global Programs reviews submissions on a rolling basis.

2022–2023 EXPENSES (PER SEMESTER)
NYU Abu Dhabi tuition and fees are $29,084, with the following exceptions: Stern School of Business and Tisch School of the Arts students pay their regular school charges. The costs of a visa application and required textbooks are included in tuition and fees. Airfare, housing, meals, personal travel, and other related expenses are additional costs.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID
Students receive the same financial assistance package at all NYU locations. Those who are offered admission by the Office of Global Programs and who have a FAFSA or CSS Profile on file are automatically reviewed for a variety of scholarships. Global Programs staff are also available to assist students with external scholarship opportunities. Please visit the financial aid section of our website at nyu.edu/global-programs/financial-aid for further information.

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