



RISD Global Exchange

APPLY SEMESTER BEFORE
YOU PLAN TO ATTEND.
FOR SCHOOL-SPECIFIC
DEADLINES VISIT:
GLOBAL.RISD.EDU

ONE SEMESTER, FALL/SPRING, 12+ CREDITS

+WS credits, dependent on partner institution's semester dates

THE EXPERIENCE —

On Global Exchange, juniors and seniors from all RISD departments inhabit the lives of art and design students at one of RISD's 40+ leading partner institutions around the world, for one semester. Best suited for mature and independent students who seek an immersive cultural experience, the exchange program gives you the freedom to explore and create on your own terms in a cross-cultural context.

As a Global Exchange student you will absorb and learn from the unique perspective, approach to making, and craftsmanship mastered by renowned local faculty at your host institution in one of 23 different countries. Upon your return, a new evolution of your thought and practice, sparked by your exchange experience, will fuel your work in the studio and your outlook in crit going into your final semesters at RISD.

Students interested in attending a semester at one of the 41 additional partner schools in the US and Canada can apply through RISD's partnership with AICAD Exchange (Association of Independent Colleges of Art and Design).

THE PLACE —

Attend one semester at one of over 80 unique leading art and design partner institutions around the world:

GLOBAL EXCHANGE: 40+ partners throughout Asia, Australia, Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East

AICAD EXCHANGE: 41 partners throughout the USA and Canada

The possibility for exchange at partner schools varies department-by-department. Check that exchange at your chosen host institution is available within your department at global.risd.edu. Courses at some partners are delivered only in the local language.

THE GLOBAL EXCHANGE PARTNERS —

ASIA

CHINA: The Central Academy of Fine Arts (CAFA)

INDIA: National Institute of Design (NID)

JAPAN: Kyoto Seika University | Tama Art University

SOUTH KOREA: Ewha Womans University

AUSTRALIA: School of Art | RMIT | Sydney College of the Arts

NEW ZEALAND: Victoria University of Wellington

EUROPE

CZECH REPUBLIC: Prague Academy of Arts

DENMARK: Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts (KADK)

UK: Chelsea College of Arts (UAL) | Edinburgh College of Art | Glasgow School of Art (GSA)

ESTONIA: Estonian Academy of the Arts

FINLAND: Aalto University

FRANCE: ENSCI | Beaux-Arts de Paris (ENSBA) | Strate School of Design

GERMANY: UdK | KISD | Fachhochschule Erfurt | Technische Universität München (TUM) | Hochschule für Technik

IRELAND: National College of Art and Design (NCAD)

ITALY: Politecnico di Milano

THE NETHERLANDS: Design Academy Eindhoven (DAE) | Royal Academy of Art, the Hague | Utrecht School of the Arts (HKU)

SPAIN: ELISAVA | Universidad Politécnica de Madrid

SWEDEN: School of Design and Crafts, Gothenburg University (HDK) | Konstfack University College of Arts, Crafts and Design

SWITZERLAND: HGK Basel | HEAD Geneva | ÉCAL, Lausanne | ZhdK

LATIN AMERICA

ARGENTINA: Universidad Torcuato di Tella (UTDT)

CHILE: Universidad de Artes, Ciencias y Comunicación (UNIACC)

MEXICO: Universidad de Monterrey (UDEM)

MIDDLE EAST

ISRAEL: Bezalel Academy of Art & Design

NORTH AMERICA

AICAD EXCHANGE: 41 additional schools in US + Canada

THE CREDITS —

You must maintain the equivalent of 12 RISD credits while on exchange. In order to ensure smooth credit transfer back to RISD, you'll complete a learning agreement with your RISD department and the Liberal Arts division (if applicable) to pre-approve your exchange coursework.

THE MONEY —

2020/2021 Global Exchange semester costs include:

Standard RISD tuition and student activity/technology fees, less any RISD financial aid received.

Mandatory International Travel Health Insurance **\$310**

Need-based scholarships are available. Apply within your RISD Global Exchange application. Funds are awarded to selected applicants once accepted by their host institution.

THE APPLICATION —

To be eligible for exchange, you must first apply for RISD's nomination. RISD Global nominates only two RISD students per partner school each semester. A 3.0 minimum GPA is required. Apply for exchange in Fall 2020 throughout Spring 2020. See school-specific deadlines on our website:

global.risd.edu

To apply for nomination:

1. Research partner schools and check their application deadlines on **global.risd.edu**.

2. Schedule a 1:1 Advising Session at RISD Global on **risdglobal.youcanbook.me**.

3. Submit your application materials online:

- Statement of Purpose
- 10-15 images of portfolio pieces
- Resume
- One Faculty Recommendation
- Department Head + Academic Advisor Approval

3. Once nominated by RISD Global, apply directly to the partner school.