Undergraduate

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE
FACT SHEET 2026-2027

Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM) is a private, highly specialized, and prestigious academic institution. Intentionally small, ITAM is known for the rigor of its programs and its close academic community. Its business school holds the Triple Crown accreditation (AACSB, EQUIS, AMBA) and the curriculum combines strong analytical training, ethical leadership, critical thinking, and humanities. Located in Mexico City, ITAM offers international students a window into Mexico and Latin America's dynamic markets. A curated selection of English-taught courses allows exchange students to study alongside a diverse and highly motivated student body. Students can also take part in an active student life beyond the classroom. ITAM's alumni network includes many of Mexico's leaders in business, government, and academia. Together, these elements provide a rigorous and enriching academic experience in Mexico.

NOMINATION AND APPLICATION PROCESS

Exchange students:

- Contact exchange@itam.mx for an access code.
- Home university coordinators must nominate students online via https://itamexchange.itam.mx/register?returnUrl=%2F
- Nominated students will receive direct follow-up instructions to submit their application alongside the following documents:
  - Passport copy.
  - Portrait photo (.jpg).
  - Official transcript.
  - CV/Resume.
  - Learning Agreement.
  - Medical Insurance Policy.
  - Medical Insurance Data Form.

Visiting students:

- Visiting students are welcomed, but they must be full-time students registered in a university-level program. Additionally, they must have successfully accredited one full year of their degree.
- Please contact exchange@itam.mx and provide an updated academic transcript and a school letter indicating that you are a registered full-time student. Admissions will depend upon availability

ACADEMIC COURSES

ITAM offers undergraduate courses in both Spanish and English across all academic departments. Incoming exchange students can consult the course catalog, syllabi, schedules, and language of instruction in our respective Fall or Spring Padlet. At the undergraduate level, students with B2 Spanish proficiency may enroll in any course except those with an ENG code, subject to prerequisites and home-university approval.

TIMELINE

	FALL	SPRING
Nomination by Partners	Deadline October 26th	Deadline May 26th
Application	Deadline October 31st	Deadline May 31st
Course selection	Early August	Early January
Add/Drop period	Mid August	Mid January
Orientation sessions	August 5th and 6th	January 7th and 8th
Lectures	Early August – Late November	Early January – Mid May
Exam Period	Mid December	Late Mate

GRADING

Exchange students are recommended to enroll in a minimum of 4 courses per semester to maintain full-time status. Each course represents 48 contact hours and 6 ITAM credits, which are generally equivalent to 5–6 ECTS or 3 US credits. All classes are conducted 100% in person, and a minimum of 80% attendance is required to be eligible for final examinations. Academic performance is evaluated on a scale of 0 to 10, with 6.0 being the minimum passing. Official digital transcripts are emailed directly to both the student and their home institution once all final grades are reported.

Please note that all detailed and updated information regarding housing options, health insurance requirements, and upcoming student orientation and campus activities can be found directly in the corresponding Fall or Spring Padlet.

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Nomination Link

Padlet Link