■ INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

FACT SHEET2025-2026









The **International Relations Office** manages international mobility programs for studies, internships and visits for short stays from foreign institutions. Our role is to advise students/visitors on issues related to their exchange procedures and help them settle in.

INTERNATIONAL TEAM



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GENERAL INFORMATION



IQS has 2 schools: **School of Engineering** and **School of Management**. It offers Undergraduate Programs, Master's Degrees, and PhD Programs.

SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

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- Business Administration & Management
- International Business
- Marketing 🗹
- Tourism & Hospitality Management

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Undergraduate Programs:

- Chemistry 📑
- Chemical Engineering
- Biotechnology
- Biomedical Sciences
- Pharmacy 🗂
- Industrial Engineering

Dual Undergraduate
Programs ☐

Master's Degrees

PhD programs

REGISTRATION PROCESS



The **Exchange** and **Free-Mover** registration processes will be carried out in several stages, as outlined below. Detailed information about each stage will be shared as the dates approach.

1. Nomination

University Partners & Free-Movers must complete the

Online Nomination Form



- → Fall 2025 & Yearly 25-26 Feb. 24th to Apr.11th
- → Spring 2026 Jul. 21st to Sep.14th

2. Application

Students must complete an online form and submit the following documentation:

- Passport copy
- ID card photo
- Transcript of Records
- Language certification (if required)
- Insurance form

Acceptance letters will be sent once this step is completed.

- → Fall 2025 & Yearly 25-26 Mar. 3rd to Apr. 30th
- → Spring 2026 Sept. 15th to Oct. 12th

3. Enrolment

Exchange students should stay flexible as course availability depends on prerequisites, capacity, timing, and cancellations.

Places are assigned based on enrollment order, and groups close once full.

Students will receive confirmation of their enrollment.

IQS reserves the right to modify courses in the interest of academic development.

- → Fall 2025 & Yearly 25-26 May - July
- → Spring 2026 October - November

Free-Movers

Fee Rate: 229€/ECTS

ACADEMIC INFORMATION





SEMESTER DATES

Fall: September - January **Spring**: January - May

Retakes Fall & Spring: June - July



WELCOME DAYS

Fall: Sept. 8th - 9th -10th (*TBC*) **Spring:** Jan. 29th - 30th - 31st (*TBC*) (Compulsory)

Language Requirements

Courses are mostly taught in English, with some offered in Spanish. Applicants must demonstrate language proficiency:

- English: TOEFL 75 IBT, IELTS 6, or equivalent (except students from Canada, UK, USA).
- **Spanish**: B2 Certificate, or equivalent (except students from Latin America).

Semester Workload

Up to 30 ECTS / term (No minimum)

The full-time workload for a semester at IQS is 30 ECTS. However, students should verify the requirements set by their Home University and check any specific VISA-related ECTS requirements.

Attendance

It is compulsory to attend at least 75% of class days. If this requirement is not met, the student will lose the right to take exams and retakes, resulting in an immediate failure.

Grading System

0 to 4.9 → Fail

5 to 6.9 → Satisfactory

7 to 8.9 → Good

9 to 10 → Excellent

Transcript of Records

The official electronic certificate

will be sent directly to the students and coordinators at the end of the semester.

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION



Visa Requirements

All applicants from **non-EU countries** need a **visa** to study in Spain.

Students requiring a visa will be given priority in the acceptance letter to allow more time to apply for their visas.

Health Insurance

All students must be under an insurance policy that covers:

- ✓ Accidents
- ✓ Medical, surgical, pharmaceutical hospitalization and ambulance expenses
- ✓ Repatriation or medical transport in case of injury or illnes
- ✓ Repatriation or transport of the deceased
- Civil liability

If interested, foreign students can purchase **OnCampus** insurance through Universitat Ramon Llull, which offers favorable coverage tailored to students.

Housing & Cost of Living

Accomodation

IQS does not provide its own student accommodation. However, we have agreements with several student residences. Explore the available options

Estimated cost of living

Accommodation → 500 - 1200 €

Food → 450 €

Miscellaneous → 120 €

Public transportation → TMB 📑

Studentfy

IQS collaborates with **Studentfy** \square an association that helps international students settle in the city, offers discounts at various locations, and organizes activities for students.

