WELCOME TO URI

With globally focused academic offerings and hundreds of international learning experiences to choose from, the University of Rhode Island educates students to be culturally competent and ready for an interconnected, interdependent world.

Undergraduate admission is competitive, and each candidate receives individual consideration. Students applying for admission must meet all admission requirements for their level.

FIRST-YEAR APPLICANT

You are a first-year applicant if you are graduating from secondary school and have never enrolled in college, or if you have attended secondary school and college during the same time period (dual enrollment) or have taken some college-level courses during secondary school.

TRANSFER APPLICANT

You are a transfer applicant if you have attended college or university in any capacity after graduating from secondary school – even if you haven’t earned any credits.

REQUIRED MATERIALS

It is the applicant’s responsibility to request these documents. Your school counselors can assist you in submitting the following documents electronically via the Common Application:

- Secondary school documents, including results and certificates of completion from national secondary school examinations (if applicable).
- Official translations of secondary school documents.
- Letter of recommendation.
  - Pharm.D. requires an additional letter of recommendation from a math/science teacher.
- Official TOEFL/IELTS/Duolingo scores (sent to URI directly by the testing agency).*
- College transcripts (if you have attended a post-secondary school).
- SAT/ACT not required.

*Please see English language requirements for details.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Complete the Common Application and submit all required documents. There is a $65 application fee payable online.

MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

International students with a record of outstanding academic achievement are eligible for partial tuition merit scholarships. Awards range in amount and are renewable each year as long as the student maintains the minimum required grade point average. Awards do not cover the costs of room and board or miscellaneous fees.

All applicants are considered when they submit a completed Common Application. There is no separate scholarship application.

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION DEADLINES

FALL SEMESTER (SEPTEMBER)

FIRST-YEAR

DECEMBER 1

Early Action

JUNE 1

Regular Decision

TRANSFER

JULY 31

SPRING SEMESTER (JANUARY)

FIRST-YEAR

DECEMBER 1

TRANSFER

DECEMBER 15

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

All international applicants whose first language is not English must provide proof of English language proficiency in the form of official TOEFL/IELTS/Duolingo scores sent to URI directly by the testing agency.

- Required minimum scores:
  - TOEFL 79; IELTS 6.5; Duolingo English Test 105.
- Note that Pharm.D requires minimum scores of
  - TOEFL 100; IELTS 7.0; Duolingo English Test 125

Applicants who have attended a secondary school or post-secondary school where the language of instruction is English may be exempt from submitting an English proficiency examination depending upon their English grades (AP, IB, O-level, A-level, GCSE, American Curriculum) and their SAT and/or ACT scores (if submitted). Such exemptions are determined on a case-by-case basis.

PRIMARY CONTACTS

International Admission: internationaladmission@uri.edu

Office of International Students and Scholars: issoff@etal.uri.edu

Learn more about international admission. uri.edu/admission/international/
UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS:
100+ majors and minors, and countless combinations.

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
Africana Studies
Anthropology
Art (Art Studio, Art History, B.F.A.)
Chemistry
Chinese
Computer Science
Criminology and Criminal Justice
Data Science
Economics
English
French
Gender and Women’s Studies
German
Global Language and Area Studies
History
International Studies
Italian
Mathematics
Music
Music Composition
Music Education
Music Performance
Music Therapy*
Philosophy
Physics
Physics and Physical Oceanography
Political Science
Sociology
Spanish
Theatre

HARRINGTON SCHOOL OF
COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA
Communication Studies
Film/Media
Journalism
Public Relations
Sports Media and Communication
Writing and Rhetoric

COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES
Clinical Neuroscience
Communicative Disorders
Dietetics*
Health Studies
Human Development and Family Science
Kinesiology
Nutrition*
Psychology

COLLEGE OF NURSING
Nursing*

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY
Neuropharmacology
Pharmaceutical Sciences (bachelor’s degree)
Pharmacy (six-year doctoral degree)*

ALAN SHAWN FEINSTEIN COLLEGE OF
EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
Early Childhood Education*
Elementary Education*
Health and Physical Education*
Secondary Education*
Interdisciplinary Studies (Providence Campus only)
  General Studies
  Learner Designed
World Language Education*

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
Accounting*
Business Analytics and Intelligence
Finance
General Business Administration
Global Business Management
Innovation and Entrepreneurship
Management
Marketing
Supply Chain Management
Textile Marketing
Textiles, Fashion Merchandising and Design
International Business Program
  (dual degree in Chinese, French, German, Italian, or Spanish)

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
Biomedical Engineering*
Chemical Engineering*
Civil Engineering*
Computer Engineering*
Electrical Engineering*
Industrial and Systems Engineering*
Mechanical Engineering*
Ocean Engineering*
International Engineering Program
  (dual degree in Chinese, French, German, Italian, or Spanish)
Engineering and M.B.A. Program

COLLEGE OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND
LIFE SCIENCES
Animal Science and Technology
Aquaculture and Fisheries Science
Biological Sciences
Biology
Biotechnology
Cell and Molecular Biology
Environmental and Natural Resource Economics
Environmental Science and Management
Geology and Geological Oceanography
Landscape Architecture*
Marine Affairs
Marine Biology
Medical Laboratory Science*
Molecular Neuroscience
Plant Sciences
Sustainable Agriculture and Food Systems
Wildlife and Conservation Biology

PRE-PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
Pre-Dental
Pre-Law
Pre-Medical
Pre-Physical Therapy
Pre-Physician Assistant
Pre-Veterinary

ALSO AVAILABLE
Center for Student Leadership Development
Honors Program

*Please see applicable academic websites for information about licensure requirements.