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STUDY IN LONDON AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTMINSTER



WELCOME TO WESTMINSTER!

Located in the heart of London, ranked as the best city in the world for students (QS best Student Cities 2019), the University of Westminster is a truly international institution embracing global engagement in all its forms. With a distinguished history since 1838, we continue to attract over 20,000 students from over 169 nations, placing us 6th in the UK (20th in the world), for international students in the 2021 Times Higher Education's World University Rankings.

Through our valued partnership with Los Medanos College, following completion of specified courses students can transfer into the second year of a number of Westminster programmes. Students coming through these routes will be entitled to a 10% discount on the first year of fees and will have the support of the International Partnerships team throughout the application process.

Our courses are taught across four London campuses – three in central London and a fourth in Harrow, north-west London, which is just a 30-minute tube ride away from central London. Our Regent and Cavendish Campus are minutes away from Oxford Street by foot, whilst our Marylebone Campus is within easy walking distance from both Regent's Park and Marylebone High Street.

London is your campus when you study with us at the University of Westminster.

ACCOMMODATION



The University has four halls of residence and all provide easy access to our campuses. The vast majority of rooms are single occupancy and ensuite, with up to six students sharing a kitchen.

We will support and help you to find the accommodation that suits your needs.

[westminster.ac.uk/accommodation](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/accommodation)



CAREERS & POST-STUDY WORK

Whether you're looking for a part-time job while you study, wondering what career would suit you, or would like to improve your transferable skills, the Careers and Employability Service can help.

[westminster.ac.uk/careers](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/careers)

The Graduate Route is a new visa route for students in the UK who want to work or look for work following the successful completion of their degree at Undergraduate level or above. Applications must be made on completion of study on the GOV.UK website using [the 'Graduate' form](#). You will be able to work in most jobs, be self-employed or do voluntary work. For further details see: gov.uk/graduate-visa

STUDY OPTIONS

UNDERGRADUATE (Bachelors)

Students who have completed Contra Costa College's specified courses in IGETC, AA-T, AS or AS-T may receive credit toward the first year of study, allowing transfer into year 2 of the following programmes at Westminster:

- **BA Politics and International Relations**
- **BA Politics**
- **BA International Relations**
- **BA International Relations and Development**
- **BA Digital Media and Journalism**

Duration (full time): Contra Costa students study for two years at Westminster (without placement or study abroad year)

Overseas tuition fees:

The standard fees for Sept 2022 are £14,400 per year, discounted to **£12,960** (10% fee discount) for students transferring to one of the above programmes from Los Medanos (discount applicable to first year of studies only)

[westminster.ac.uk/fees](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/fees)

Start date: September

To apply: Applications should be made through the direct partner online [application form](#). To obtain further details please contact: partneradmissions@westminster.ac.uk

Application deadline: We encourage you to make an application as early as possible, and no later than the **end of May** for September start. This allows for application and visa processing time

Visas: If you are **not** an **EU, EEA or Swiss national** you require immigration permission to study in the UK. We have a dedicated team to support you through the process, who can be contacted via our website:

[westminster.ac.uk/international/visas-and-advice](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/international/visas-and-advice)

UNDERGRADUATE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

Successful completion (60 units) of AA-T or AS-T with an overall minimum GPA of 2.7 to include the specified number of major units which may include IGETC.

Speak to your counsellor about specific entry requirements for your pathway.

In addition to the course entry requirements, if you are not a national of one of our specified Majority English Speaking Countries (MESCC), or have not completed your high school in the USA, you will be required to provide a recognised English language qualification, e.g. IELTS, TOEFL or equivalent (subject to UKVI regulations).

For more information visit our website:

[westminster.ac.uk/study/english-language-requirements](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/study/english-language-requirements)



POSTGRADUATE (Masters)

Students who successfully complete the Bachelors degree at Westminster and wish to continue their studies at Masters level will be entitled to further 15% alumni discount on all Masters or PhD programmes.

Duration (full time): one year

Overseas tuition fees:

£13,000 - £19,500
See individual course information webpages

[westminster.ac.uk/fees](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/fees)

Start date: September (some courses also have a January start)

To apply: via 'Apply' button on course webpages





“Westminster is an international university with extraordinary character. It offers a fantastic opportunity to study in one of the most culturally rich cities in the world, under the direction of exceptionally skilled and forward-thinking instructors. The curriculum combines the best of applied experience with a deep foundation in theory.”

PAUL ASHE
MARKETING
COMMUNICATIONS MA



“The multiculturalism that characterises this institution has been more than enriching; not only in terms of my career but also personally. I would highly recommend this university to anyone that has the opportunity to apply for it. It has been an outstanding experience in my life.”

ROCÍO GARCÍA
INTERNATIONAL
RELATIONS BA



FINANCE AND FUNDING

US students interested in applying for Federal Student Aid can find information on our [US loans page](#).

Westminster is certified by the UK Department of Education to provide Federal Direct Loans and private student loans via Sallie Mae.

Any questions:

usstudyloans@westminster.ac.uk

STUDENTS' UNION

Life at Westminster is more than an excellent academic experience – you will have the opportunity to take up a whole range of new sports and hobbies.

uwsu.com

WE ALSO OFFER

Research programmes:

westminster.ac.uk/research

Academic Summer School (July, August):

westminster.ac.uk/summerschool

One semester/one-year study abroad:

westminster.ac.uk/studyabroad

QUESTIONS?

westminster.ac.uk/international

internationalpartnerships@westminster.ac.uk



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