

Tuition and Credit Guidelines for Term Abroad

The annual tuition at Union College allows a student to register for three terms taking three courses per term. You have been accepted to a semester-length term abroad that carries four courses rather than the usual load of three. In this instance, we believe the four-course Term Abroad to be an enriched academic experience, and it will appear on your transcript in accordance with the College-wide Policy on Fourth Courses, found in the Academic Register.

Please read the following carefully and make sure you understand the financial and course credit implications. **Please note that you are not allowed to register for only three courses on this Term Abroad.**

If you are currently making satisfactory progress towards your degree, you will receive four course credits on the Term Abroad and these courses will appear on your transcript with their grades factored into your GPA. The fourth course credit on this Term Abroad can be used towards fulfilling requirements in your academic programs, including the General Education program; however, it may not be used for purposes of graduating early. There will be no additional financial charges.

However, if you are currently behind in credits and wish to use the fourth course credit on this Term Abroad towards graduation, **you will be responsible for a fourth course fee.** Please contact Student Accounts at 518-388-6106 for current academic year fee amount; future year academic year fees will be slightly higher. As above, all courses taken on a Term Abroad can be used towards fulfilling requirements in your academic programs, including the General Education program.

I have read the above and understand how the fourth course credit will appear on my transcript.