

Cyprus UCEAP Advising Notes

Objective of the Advising Notes Document

This document is an advising tool written by a Berkeley Study Abroad adviser to review program specific details that may impact a student's *decision to apply* for a UCEAP program. The document is *not* a summary of eligibility requirements, academic, housing, application and other logistical details freely available to students on the <u>UCEAP</u> and <u>BSA</u> websites. If any concerns you have are not addressed on the UCEAP website or in the Advising Notes document, please contact the BSA adviser for this program.

Advisor Contact Information

For BSA Adviser name, email and drop-in advising hours, visit http://studyabroad.berkeley.edu/advising

The UCEAP University of Nicosia program administered on-site by the University of Nicosia Global

Semesters Program. To learn more about the program, study these links: <u>Visit the UCEAP University of Nicosia website</u> Visit the University of Nicosia Global Semesters Program

IMPORTANT: UC Berkeley students are <u>not eligible</u> to participate in the <u>fall quarter</u> University of Nicosia program. UC Berkeley students are, however, eligible for the spring semester University of Nicosia program.

Application Process

All UCEAP students must initiate their application through the Berkeley Study Abroad Applicant Portal to be considered for UCEAP participation: <u>http://studyabroad.berkeley.edu/uceap-how-apply</u>. Please take care to follow the provided instructions!

Competitiveness of the Program

Students who meet and maintain the minimum eligibility requirements and submit a complete and wellprepared application with an articulate Statement of Purpose will have a very good chance of being selected.

Scholarships

All UCEAP students are encouraged to apply for a UCEAP Scholarship, which offers a \$2000 award for semester programs. For more information, visit the <u>UCEAP Scholarships</u> page.

US Citizen Pell Grant recipients are encouraged to apply for the Gilman Scholarship, which offers a possible award of up to \$5000. For more information, visit <u>gilmanscholarship.org</u>

More information on financial aid and scholarships can be found on our website: <u>http://studyabroad.berkeley.edu/finances</u>

Special Demands of the Program





Students are responsible for reviewing all informational materials

and resources provided by UCEAP and the University of Nicosia and are expected to do independent research on the country of Cyprus and city of Nicosia and the University of Nicosia. Students should also familiarize themselves with the role of race, gender, sexuality, and religion while studying in Cyprus, and develop appropriate expectations according to personal backgrounds and self-identification.