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THE UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSIDADE FEDERAL DE OURO PRETO

Universidade Federal de Ouro Preto - Federal University of Ouro Preto (UFOP) is a higher education and research institution located in Minas Gerais State, southeastern Brazil. It was founded in 1969, from the merger of two traditional schools: Escola de Farmácia - School of Pharmacy (from 1839) and Escola de Minas - School of Mines (from 1876). The institution comprehensively covers various fields of knowledge distributed across thirteen academic units, spread across four campuses located in the cities of Ouro Preto, Mariana and João Monlevade.

CAMPI



OURO PRETO



MARIANA - ICSA



MARIANA - ICHS



JOÃO MONLEVADE - ICEA

UNIVERSITY RESTAURANT

International students at UFOP have access to the University Restaurants (RUs), open from Monday to Friday on business days. The RUs provide low-cost lunch and dinner.

ACCOMODATION

The cities of UFOP campuses offer several options for individual and collective housing. Students have the opportunity to live a unique living experience in collective dwellings. Known as Republics, these student residences can be federal (belonging to the University) or private.

The members of the Welcome Project will assist mobile students in finding a suitable place to live. In addition to this support, DRI prepares a catalog with housing options every six months, a document that is shared with students appointed and duly approved to carry out mobility at our institution.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

ACADEMIC CALENDAR*

1st academic semester: From March to July

2nd academic semester: From August to December

*Check dates on the website: <https://www.prograd.ufop.br/calendario-academico>

APPLICATION DEADLINE FOR MOBILITY

1st semester:

- Nomination: November 15th
- Submission of application: November 30th

2nd semester:

- Nomination: May 15th
- Submission of application: May 30th

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

After selecting the students that will come to UFOP, the partner university needs to send an e-mail to international@ufop.edu.br indicating their names (nomination), contact emails and study programs.

In order to send the application, the nominated student must access our website and fill out an online application form, available at: <https://dri.ufop.br/international-students/application-forms> (Form A)

The student is supposed to fill it out with their personal information, upload the required documents and send it to us for evaluation. If everything is alright, the Acceptance Letter will be issued and sent to the student and to the home university with detailed information about the following steps and procedures.

We do not have a specific number of students from your institution that we can receive each semester. You can nominate as many interested students as you wish. Their applications will be analyzed according to our availability.

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION AND REQUIRED PROFICIENCY

The majority of the classes are taught in **Portuguese**. Therefore, although we don't require a Portuguese proficiency certificate, it is highly recommended that the candidate has an intermediate level of Portuguese.

Concerning the courses in **English**, the offer vary from semester to semester, so prior verification is necessary. Please contact us: international@ufop.edu.br.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

CURRICULUM AND GRADING SYSTEM

Undergraduate Programs:

UFOP's undergraduate programs curriculums can be found on <https://en.ufop.br/undergraduate>

The description of program content (syllabi for individual courses) can be found on: <https://drive.google.com/drive/u/0/folders/1bxYSaGre12mcLC3086DWTQ6mg2ZFfxj2>

UFOP uses a 10-scale grading system and the current passing mark is 6.0, combined with a minimum attendance of 75% of the academic activities.

Graduate Programs:

UFOP's graduate programs curriculums can be found on <https://en.ufop.br/graduate>

STUDENT VISA

Students who intend to spend more than 90 days at UFOP must apply for a *Temporary Student Visa IV (VITEM-IV)*, mandatory for foreigners pursuing undergraduate or graduate academic studies in Brazil. Your student visa must be requested at the closest Brazilian Consulate.

For information about it, please access: <https://www.gov.br/pt-br/servicos/obter-visto-para-viajar-ao-brasil>.

ATTENTION: citizens from countries which are part of the **Mercado Común del Sur (Mercosul)** or members from the **Comunidade dos Países de Língua Portuguesa (CPLP)** may have more favorable visa conditions, due to the partnership Brazil have with those countries. It is the candidate's responsibility to obtain information about it.

More information can be found on: <https://www.gov.br/mre/pt-br/assuntos/portal-consular/vistos/informacoessobre-vistos-para-estrangeiros-viajarem-ao-brasil>

<https://www.gov.br/mre/pt-br/assuntos/portal-consular/reparticoesconsulares-do-brasil>

PARTICIPATION IN ACADEMIC PROJECTS - OPPORTUNITIES

Besides the traditional study mobility, UFOP can also receive students who are interested in academic projects: research, internship, extension and/or cultural projects.

The main objective is to offer an opportunity for students who can't/don't want to attend regular classes at UFOP. There are opportunities in all areas of knowledge and for English, Spanish, French and Portuguese speakers.

The instructions and procedures to be followed by the candidates can be found [here](#).
The open positions can be found [here](#).
The application form is available [here](#).



The cover of the catalog features a vibrant illustration of a laboratory with various glassware and equipment. In the background, a window offers a view of a town with a prominent church and rolling hills. A map of Brazil is overlaid on the sky, with a red dot indicating the location of UFOP. The UFOP logo is in the top left, and the DRI UFOP logo is in the top right.

**RESEARCH/INTERNSHIP
AVAILABILITY CATALOG**


PROCEDURES


CATALOG


APPLICATION
FORM

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

OURO PRETO

Architecture and Urban Planning (B)
Biological Sciences (B/L)
Chemistry (B/L)
Civil Engineering (B)
Computer Science (B)
Control and Automation Engineering (B)
Environmental Engineering (B)
Food Science and Technology (B)
Geography (L)
Geological Engineering (B)
Industrial Chemistry (B)
Industrial Engineering (B)
Law (B)
Mathematics (B/L)
Mathematics (L)
Mechanical Engineering (B)
Medicine (B)
Metallurgical Engineering (B)
Mining Engineering (B)
Museology (B)
Music (L)
Nutrition (B)
Pedagogy (L)
Performing Arts (B/L)
Pharmacy (B)
Philosophy (B/L)
Physical Education (B/L)
Physics (B/L)
Public Administration (B)
Statistics (B)
Tourism (B)
Urban Engineering (B)

MARIANA - Institute of Human and Social Sciences (ICHS)

History (B/L)
Language Studies - Portuguese (L)
Language Studies - English (L)
Language Studies - Translation (B)
Language Studies - Literary Studies (B)
Pedagogy (L)

MARIANA - Institute of Applied Social Sciences (ICSA)

Business (B)
Economic Sciences (B)
Journalism (B)
Social Work (B)

JOÃO MONLEVADE - Institute of Exact and Applied Sciences (ICEA)

Computer Engineering (B)
Electrical Engineering (B)
Industrial Engineering (B)
Information Systems (B)

B: Bachelor - the degree provides its holder with skills for the exercise of academic or professional activities in a particular field of knowledge

L: Licentiate - the degree allows its holder to be a teacher both in primary and secondary education

More information can be found on <https://en.ufop.br/undergraduate>

GRADUATE EDUCATION

MASTER'S PROGRAMS

Applied Economics	History
Biological Sciences	Industrial Engineering
Biotechnology	Language Studies
Chemistry	Law
Civil Engineering	Mathematics Education
Communication	Materials Engineering
Computer Science	Mechanical Engineering
Crustal Evolution and Natural Resources	Mineral Engineering
Ecology of Tropical Biomes	Performing Arts
Education	Pharmaceutical Sciences
Electrical Engineering	Philosophy
Environmental Engineering	Production Engineering
Geotechnics	Sciences - Materials Physics
Health And Nutrition	Tourism and Heritage

PHD PROGRAMS

Biotechnology
Biological Sciences
Civil Engineering
Chemistry
Computer Science
Crustal Evolution and Natural Resources
Education
Environmental Engineering
Geotechnics
Health and Nutrition
History
Language Studies
Materials Engineering
Mineral Engineering
Multicentric Chemistry
Pharmaceutical Nanotechnology
Pharmaceutical Sciences
Philosophy

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