RUC AT A GLANCE

As the first modern university founded by the People's Republic of China, Renmin University of China (RUC) is a research-oriented comprehensive university focusing on humanities and social sciences.

· It is directly under the Ministry of Education of China.
· 14 disciplines of RUC made onto the list of China's "double first-class" initiative.
· In the 4th discipline evaluation by the Chinese Ministry of Education, 14 RUC disciplines were ranked A, among which 9 disciplines, namely theoretical economics, applied economics, law, sociology, journalism and communication, statistics, business administration, public administration, and Marxist theory were ranked A+.
· Renmin's number of A+ disciplines is the 4th largest among all Chinese universities.
· As of March 2022, RUC has established partnership with 306 higher education institutions and international organizations from 61 countries and regions.

STUDENT BODY 28363

-Undergraduates 11738
-Postgraduates 11615
-PHD student 5010
-Degree international students 854

FACULTY 1986

-Professors 768
-Associate professors 777

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

-Name of university: Renmin University of China ｜ 中国人民大学 ｜ RUC
-Location: Beijing, China
Office involved with exchange: International Students Office, International Office
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ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Academic calendar:
Spring Semester: Late February to End June (16 weeks)

Fall Semester: Early September to Middle January (16 weeks)
https://www.ruc.edu.cn/calendar

Full-time workload:
-Minimum workload allowed per semester for junior visiting program is 10 credits (usually 5 courses)
-Minimum workload allowed per semester for Chinese language program is 18 credits (5 Chinese language courses necessarily taken by exchange students in Chinese language program)

Information on courses open to exchange students:
-Consistent with its emphasis on global education, Renmin University of China offers a variety of courses taught in English.

-University-level exchange students may select the courses in Renmin University of China according to the language requirements and course situation by each school.

-School-level exchange students may select the courses which provided by the exchange school in Renmin University of China according to the language requirements.

-All the course selection should be done within the first two weeks after the start of the semester. For the methods of university-level course selection, please contact Ruting FANG(MS) for details.

Course list & description:

The updated list of courses is confirmed one to two months before each semester. Please refer to the existing course list respectively as a reference to the courses to be offered in the same semester.

English course list (2022 fall semester tentative)
http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/ENGLISH/Apply/Juniorvisitingprogram/index.htm
Chinese language course list (2022 fall semester tentative)
http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/ENGLISH/Apply/Chineselanguageprogram/index.htm

Grading system

Grade	Letter grade	Grade point
90-100	A	4.0
86-89	A-	3.7
83-85	B+	3.3
80-82	B	3.0
76-79	B-	2.7
73-75	C+	2.3
70-72	C	2.0
66-69	C-	1.7
63-65	D+	1.3
60-62	D	1.0
0-59	F	0
60-100	P(pass)	

Academic transcript:

For university level exchange students:

Students must get the *Grade Record Form* his/her own School in Renmin University of China, and then submit it to Ruting Fang(MS) in International Students Office before leaving China. International Students Office will issue the official transcripts and mail it directly to the student's home university.

If students cannot get the Grade Record on time, the students have to send the *Transcript Request form* (http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/ENGLISH/Download/NonDegreeStudents/index.htm) to fangruting@ruc.edu.cn before leaving Renmin University of China.
The original academic transcript will be sent to the home university within 2 months after the semester ends.

Study duration: one semester or two semesters

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Nomination deadline

Spring semester: September 15 to November 15

Fall semester: March 15 to May 15

Application deadline-nominated students should apply through application system within the deadline.

Spring semester: October 15 to November 30

Fall semester: March 15 to May 30

Application system: https://international.ruc.edu.cn/application/

-Students DO NOT need to pay for the application fees.

Eligibility:

· Exchange students must be nominated by the RUC's partner universities.

· Exchange students must be full-time students in one of RUC's partner universities and have completed at least one year study at home university.

Language proficiency:

-Chinese-taught courses will require HSK6 certificate.

-English-taught courses will require English proficiency including TOEFL 90+, IELTS 6.0+, or the official document on the language medium of instruction. And this requirement will not be required from English native speakers or students from universities in English-speaking countries.

Application documents (all the documents will be required to be uploaded in the application system)

1. The official transcripts in English version (minimum GPA 3.0)

2. The official certificate of enrollment in English version

3. One recommendation letter from the Dean or Vice Dean. The recommendation letter can also be written by academic advisor.

4. The photocopy of passport (The validity of the passport must be later than July 31st, 2023)

5. The signed Guarantee Statement (please download it at our website. The specific link is: http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/ENGLISH/Download/ApplicationDocuments/index.htm)

6. The official HSK certificate (new test, level 6), the English proficiency certificate (TOEFL 90+ or IELTS 6.0+) or the official document on the language medium of instruction

7. The electronic ID picture of the students, name the picture by using student's passport number, the picture must be in white background and in jpg format, between 100k to 500k.