

International Exchange Studies Program Application 2018-2019

Applicant Name: _____

DEADLINE FOR ALL MATERIALS: February 1, 2019, 5:00 pm

Instructions: All responses must be typed, and completed in full. Be sure to save an electronic copy in your own file. Please obtain the required signatures after printing. Make sure your name is in the footer on all pages of the application, put each of the following parts of your application into one sealed envelope, and turn in to the Office of Student Programming by 5:00 pm on February 1st. Do not send applications via email.

1. **Application**
2. **General Letter of Reference**
3. **Faculty Reference**
4. **Personal Essay**

Late applications, non-typed applications, and incomplete applications will not be considered.

Mark the International Studies Program that is your primary preference:
(Please select one. Below, you may indicate other programs of interest.)

Academic Exchange Program:

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|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| University of Helsinki (Finland) | Wesley House/Cambridge (England) | Trinity Theo. College (Singapore) |
| St. Paul's University (Kenya) | Methodist Theo. Univ (Korea) | Univ. of Kwazulu-Natal (S. Africa) |
| Africa University (Zimbabwe) | Stockholm School of Theo. (Sweden) | Aarhus University (Denmark) |
| Seminario Evangelico de Puerto Rico (Puerto Rico) | | |
| Universidade Metodista de Sao Paulo, Methodist University of Sao Paulo (Brazil) | | |
| Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Department of Religious Studies (Ghana) | | |

Internships:

- Bahamas Summer Internship (Bahamas)

Semester or year applying for: Fall 2019 Spring 2020 Fall 2019 - Spring 2020

Anticipated Graduation Date: Spring 2018 Spring 2019 Spring 2020 Others: _____

Other programs in which you are interested, listed in order of preference:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Name: _____

Applicant Information:

_____ Name

_____ Date of Birth

_____ Address

_____ Phone Number

_____ Emory Email address

Year in Seminary

_____ 1st Year

_____ 2nd Year

_____ 3rd Year

Degree Program

_____ M.Div. _____ MRL

_____ M.T.S _____ MRPL

_____ Th.M.

Joint Degree Program

Please specify: _____

Denomination/Tradition (Please specify): _____

Number of hours completed by the end of the current semester _____ **GPA** _____

Previous Education:

_____ Undergraduate College _____ Degree

_____ Major _____ GPA

_____ Other Graduate Education _____ Degree

_____ Major _____ GPA

Languages:

What other languages do you read and/or speak:

Reading Fluency

Speaking Fluency

Language	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent

Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent

Name: _____

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Non-Academic Letter of Reference:

Please include a letter of reference from someone who knows you well and can speak to your work or travel experiences, maturity, character, adaptability, and other factors relevant to an international, cross-cultural program (not a family member).

Name

Phone

Title

E-mail

Request Date

Relationship to applicant

Academic Reference:

Please include the name of a Candler faculty member (may be but does not have to be your academic advisor), whom we may contact about your suitability for the program.

Name of Faculty Recommender: _____

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Academic Advisor:

Name of Faculty Advisor: _____

Signature of Faculty Advisor: _____

Date

Registrar:

Certification of Academic Standing: _____

(Student name)

is in good academic standing at Candler School of Theology throughout the application process.

Authorized Signature (Registrar)

Date

Name: _____

PERSONAL ESSAY

Please provide a typed essay on a separate page (750-1000 words) that addresses the following questions for the program to which you are applying.

Academic Exchange Programs Essay:

1. Please explain your reasons for wanting to study at the institution for which you are applying.
2. Please summarize your previous travel and cross-cultural experiences and how they have improved your theological understanding and knowledge.
3. How will participation in this program enhance your educational experience at Candler, your development as a leader, and your ministry?
4. What new learning do you hope to gain from this program?
5. For Wesley House/Cambridge, describe your commitment to international community life revolving around daily prayers in the college chapel, a weekly service of holy communion, shared meals, and seminars.

Bahamas Seminar Internship Essay:

1. Please explain your reasons for wanting to participate in the Bahamas Seminar Internship.
2. Please summarize your previous travel and cross-cultural experiences and how they have improved your theological understanding and knowledge.
3. How will participation in this internship enhance your educational experience at Candler, your development as a leader, and your ministry?
4. What new learning do you hope to gain from this program?

PASSPORT

Do you have a current passport?

Yes

No

Country and Issuance: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Applicant's Signature

Date

Received by OSP staff (Signature)

Date

**Please return this form by February 1, 2019, 5:00 pm to:
The Reverend Ellen Echols Purdum, Assistant Dean of Student Life and Spiritual Formation
Office of Student Programming
RARB Suite 311**

Name: _____