## FEAUSP Fact Sheet 2019/2020

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## **2019/2020 ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

Undergraduate programs (4 years)	<b>1st Sem. 2020:</b> February 17 – July 4 <b>2nd Sem. 2020:</b> August 3 – December 2
Master of Research and Doctorate	1st Sem. 2020: March 2 – late-June
Programs	2nd Sem. 2020: August – December (tba)
Orientation Session for Exchange	<b>1st Semester 2020:</b> February 13-14 ( <i>tba</i> )
Students	<b>2nd Semester 2020:</b> July 30-31 ( <i>tba</i> )
Deadlines	Nominations: April 15, November 1 Applications: May 1, November 15

#### **APPLICATION FOR THE EXCHANGE PROGRAM**

Online Nomination	Partner universities will receive a link for the Online Nomination in mid-March and mid- September. Nomination should include students' full name, email address, gender, level and area of studies.
Online Application	After that, nominated students will receive by email a link for the Online Application, where they must fill out a form and upload a number of documents (photo, passport, transcript of grades, CV, diploma), according to their level of studies.

#### **ACADEMIC INFORMATION**

#### Undergraduate Level

Bachelor Programs (4 years)	<ul> <li>Business Administration</li> <li>Economics</li> <li>Accounting</li> <li>Actuarial Sciences</li> </ul>
Workload	We recommend students to complete 12 USP credits per Semester. Therefore, 1 USP credit = 2.5 ECTS. FEAUSP courses are 2 or 4 credits: one or two classes of around 2 hours per week, in a semester of 15 weeks.
Course Registration	There are a limited number of spots available in each course. Registration is done on a first come, first served basis. Therefore, we are not able to guarantee that all students will be placed according to their first preferences, and we expect some flexibility on their choice of courses. First year and most second year core courses are usually not available for Exchange Students.
Grading System	Grading system at USP ranges from 0.0 (zero) to 10.0 (ten). To pass a course, a student must fulfill two conditions: minimum score of 5.0 (five) and minimum attendance of 70%. Students with grades between 3.0 and 4.9 - and minimum attendance of 70% - will be able to apply for a reassessment.
Final Assessment	Exchange Students must take their exams in the same conditions as regular students. They are not authorized to organize exams individually with their professors. All students are expected to take their exams during the official periods (normally the last

#### Graduate Level: Master and Doctoral

Master and Doctoral Programs	. Business Administration (Management, Finance, Human Resources, Marketing, Production & Operations, Quantitative Methods) . Economics (Development Economics, Economic Theory) . Accounting & Controllership	
Workload	The majority of courses are 8 USP credit considering contact hours (one class of arour 4 hours per week, in a semester of 15 week and research time. We recommend 2 cours per semester.	
Course Registration	Master courses at FEAUSP are <b>research-based</b> , demanding a lot of time for reading, writing, and researching. Master and Doctoral students share the same courses. To apply for Graduate courses, <b>students must</b> <b>have already finished the 1st year of a Master</b> <b>of Science program in their home institution</b> ( <b>MSc 1</b> ) by the time the exchange starts, or be attending a research-based Master or a Doctoral program. In other words, they must have completed at	
	least 4 years of higher education and earned a Degree. Since FEAUSP Undergraduate programs last for 4 years, students who are still in the first year of a Master of Science program should take courses from the last year (4th) of FEAUSP Bachelor programs. Professors at the Graduate level are usually very strict to the rules: students should avoid delays and absences. They also expect to meet motivated students who participate actively in class discussions, group works, read the books and papers, and hand in all the reports according to professors' instructions.	

Grading System	Grading system is based on four grades: A (excellent), B (good), C (pass) and R (fail). Minimum attendance required to pass a course is 75%.
Final Assessment	Master and Doctoral students are usually required to write an academic article in the end of each course.

## **ACCOMMODATION AND COST OF LIVING**

Accommodation	A Housing List, updated every semester, is sent to the students around one month before the beginning of classes. On campus accommodation is not available.
Cost of living	<ul> <li>Accommodation (on average): R\$ 800 - 1200 monthly for a single room;</li> <li>Each meal at the University central restaurant: R\$ 2.00;</li> <li>Each Bus or Metro ride: R\$ 4.00. After arrival, students can apply for a Student Card which allows them to pay half the price (R\$2.00);</li> <li>Federal Police fees (for the mandatory residence permit application): R\$ 204.77.</li> </ul>

## LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

For courses taught in Portuguese	Recommended levels are <b>A2</b> for Bachelor and <b>B2</b> for Master. No certificate is required.
For courses taught in English	We trust our partners' selection.
Portuguese as a foreign language course at USP Language Center	. One-week Intensive Basic course: R\$ 25 . Intermediate and Advanced Courses: R\$ 180/semester

#### **COURSES IN ENGLISH**

# First semester 2020 (February-June) (courses so far confirmed)

• Undergraduate level

	USP credits *	
	<b>Class Credits</b>	Work Credits
<b>Competitive Intelligence Process and Techniques</b>	2	-
Decision Making for Accountancy	2	2
International Management: Doing Business in Brazil	2	1
International Taxation	2	-
Management of Organizations in Brazil	2	-

• Master level

	USP credits *	
	<b>Class Credits</b>	Work Credits
<b>Operations Strategy</b>	8	-
Managing for Stakeholders	8	-
Strategy and Innovation in Multinationals	8	-
Strategic Planning	8	-
Mergers, Acquisitions and Financial	8	-
Restructuring		

\* 1 Class credit = 15 contact hours; 1 Work credit = 30 hours of extra class activities

#### Second semester 2019 (August-December)

	USP credits *	
	<b>Class Credits</b>	Work Credits
Accounting Measurement and Disclosure	2	2
Accounting Control Systems	2	2
International Management: Doing Business in Brazil	2	1
Project Conception and Evaluation	4	-
Management of Organizations in Brazil	2	-

• Undergraduate level

• Muster level		
	USP credits *	
	Class Credits	Work Credits
The Management of Product and Process Innovation	8	-
Science, Technology and Innovation	8	-
Corporate Compliance & Ethics	8	-
Enterprises and the World of Economic Environment	8	-
Introduction to Research and Quantitative Methodologies in Managerial Accounting	4	-
Systems of Governance and Organizational Performance	4	-
Empirical Research in Management Accounting and Control	4	-
Behavioral Finance	4	-
Contemporary and Intelligent Careers - Lessons for Aspiring Scholars	4	-
Digital Transformation in Organizations	4	-
The Institutions of Capitalism	4	-
Marketing & Sustainability	4	-

• Master level

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#### First semester 2019 (February-June)

#### • Undergraduate level

	USP credits *	
	<b>Class Credits</b>	Work Credits
Decision Making for Accountancy	2	2
Principles of Responsible Management	2	-
International Management: Doing Business in Brazil	2	1
<b>Competitive Intelligence Process and Techniques</b>	2	-

#### • Master level

	USP credits *	
	<b>Class Credits</b>	Work Credits
Strategy in Operations	8	-
Economics of Industrial Innovation	8	-
Managing for Stakeholders	8	-
Strategy and Innovation in Multinationals	8	-
Strategic Planning	8	-
Mergers, Acquisitions and Financial Restructuring	8	-
Marketing and the Evolution of Markets	8	-
The Research on Organizational Behavior and HRM	8	-
Global Innovation	4	-
Intellectual Property Management	4	-
Exponential Growth of Startups: Triggers Context, Impact	4	-
Entrepreneurial Effectuation	4	-

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