

Waseda University, Study Abroad 2025-26

Waseda CS-R (Customized Study Program-Regular Academic) at Stony Brook University

Location: Long Island, New York

Stony Brook University is located on an attractive 1,100-acre campus in Eastern Long Island, a two-hour train ride to New York City from a railroad station at the edge of campus. The campus is situated in historic Stony Brook, a residential town with a variety of resources for the campus community. Students can travel easily throughout Long Island and into the city. The campus is also served by buses.

Language Requirements:

Min. TOEFL (iBT) requirement at the time of Waseda selection: 80 (SBU does not accept MyBest scores)

IELTS Score: 6.5 min

Dates: The 2025-2026 academic calendar is (subject to change):

Fall: August 21 (orientation)
August 25 – December 18 (classes)
December 15 - 19 (final exams)

Spring: (subject to change)
January 22, 2026 - Orientation
January 26 - May 22 - Classes
May, 18-22, 2026 - Final Exams

Estimated Tuition (subject to change):

Estimated Undergraduate Tuition: \$31, 800 / whole duration of the program – (Academic Year)

Housing and Meal Plan (subject to change):

Estimated Room Board and Mandatory Fees per month - \$2,625

Summary:

Stony Brook University is internationally acclaimed as a leading research university, with over 20,000 students from 193 different countries around the world, award-winning faculty, and a curriculum notable for its wide array of courses with international themes. Many of the university's academic programs are rated among the best in the United States, including those in anthropology, psychology, sociology and political science. It is particularly well known for its work in the physical sciences, which are affiliated with the Brookhaven National Laboratory.

Stony Brook's new business school emphasizes an international perspective on business, and its campus residences emphasize education beyond the classroom.

Academic Study

Students take academic courses each semester so that they are enrolled for a full-time course of study (minimum of 12 academic credits). These courses will be selected from the University's entire undergraduate curriculum, subject to restraints and prerequisites. Each semester Stony Brook offers hundreds of courses in 87 subject areas. A complete listing of courses and course descriptions for the current academic year can be found at:

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/registrar/registration/schedules.html>.

Housing and Meal Plan

Students will live with undergraduates. Residence halls are modern and comfortable with lounges on every floor, Internet and cable TV access in every room. Depending on the housing assignment, students may participate in the University's meal plan, which is valid at all of the dining locations on campus. For more information on housing and dining facilities and options, visit

the Stony Brook Campus Residences website at:
<https://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/studentaffairs/res/>.

Opportunities for Learning through Experience

Stony Brook University prides itself on the access its students have to research opportunities within the institution. Many faculty members are leaders in their fields, and are always willing to accept students into their laboratories, direct a reading project, or establish an independent course of research for any interested student. Students from Stony Brook University have had their work published in important scientific and social scientific journals, presented their research at conferences and been awarded prestigious national research fellowships. Students can obtain credit for research done with a faculty member and in some cases may be paid as research assistants.

Students will also have the opportunity to participate in any of the more than 200 student clubs and organizations on campus and may participate in numerous campus-wide activities scheduled annually for all students (lectures and seminars, social activities, athletic events, student clubs, Homecoming, among others). Through SBU's Volunteers for Community Service program in the Career Center, students may participate in volunteer activities at organizations on Long Island. Some of the most popular volunteer programs are Habitat for Humanity and mentoring for local children.

Facilitation Plan

Students will participate in a one day orientation program prior to the start of classes to acquaint them with the resources on campus, and meet key faculty and staff who will be assisting them while they are in residence. During the orientation session, students will meet with have an opportunity to finalize their course selection. The Office of International Academic Programs will also provide advisory services on curricular and extra-curricular concerns of students.

During the academic year, students will have the opportunity to participate in programs designed to help them adjust to life at the university. Additionally, the University's Charles B. Wang Center for Asian and Asian-American culture, offers a multitude of Asian programming for the university's community.

Credits (24-30 semester credit hours):

Students enrolled in the Abroad at SBU program must take at least 12 credits per semester.

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Stonybrook.edu/studyabroad/incoming