



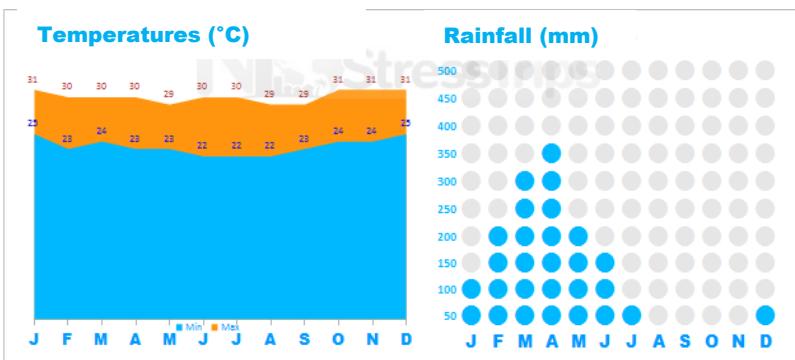
UNIVERSIDADE FEDERAL DO CEARÁ

FACT SHEET 2019

General Information	
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UFC in numbers (2017)	
General Indicators	312.363 students 26.726 undergraduate, 5.647 graduate 2.166 academic staff 3.420 other staff 118 courses
Academic Indicators	2.857 Graduates 1.025 Master's degrees 436 Ph.D. degrees 3.305 publications
University Hospital and Maternity Clinic	362 beds 13.388 surgeries 201 transplants 4.853 deliveries
General Information for Exchange Students	
Website for Exchange Students	http://www.prointer.ufc.br/en/academic-mobility/
Course Offerings	In principle, exchange students are given access to all courses as long as they have met the necessary prerequisites and have no scheduling conflicts. The decision to accept an international student lies with each individual Program, according to its capacities. Undergraduate programs: http://ufc.br/ensino/cursos-de-graduacao Graduate programs: http://ufc.br/ensino/programas-de-pos-graduacao-stricto-sensu
Number of places	10% of every Program – which is hardly ever reached, except for Medical Internships, which are much sought-after.
Language of Instruction	At UFC the main language of instruction is Portuguese . There are free courses of Portuguese as a foreign language, but students should acquire a working knowledge before arriving.
Tuition Fees	There are no tuition fees at Brazilian public universities.
Requirements for Exchange Students	
Application Procedure	Please see: http://www.prointer.ufc.br/en/academic-mobility/foreign-students-at-ufc/procedures-of-

	application-and-enrollment/																								
General Requirement	Candidates for Academic Mobility In, including Internships, must be regularly enrolled at their home institution . There are no GPA requirements.																								
Language Requirement	Although there is no formal requirement , it is strongly recommended that foreign students be able to communicate in Portuguese.																								
Required Documents	1. Application Form (please see the site indicated above) 2. Academic transcript 3. Motivation letter 4. Letter from the Coordinator of International Affairs at the home university (Nomination) 5. Copy of the passport																								
Internships	The application procedure for Internships (medical or otherwise) is the same as for Academic Mobility in general. However, there is a special Application Form for Medical Internships and some additional information on the site indicated above. As for Academic Mobility in general, students must be regularly enrolled at their home institution . The application process may take longer for normal exchange students, especially for medical internships, and places are limited.																								
Visa Requirements	Foreign students at UFC must hold a Student Visa which they will obtain at the Brazilian Consulate in their country before entering Brazil , with the documents provided by UFC. This requirement also applies to Internships , even if their duration is shorter than the period covered by a tourist visa.																								
Health Insurance	It is the responsibility of incoming students to provide for their Health Insurance.																								
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General Structure of the Academic Year at UFC	<table><tr><td>Jan</td><td>Feb</td><td>Mar</td><td>Apr</td><td>May</td><td>Jun</td></tr><tr><td></td><td></td><td colspan="4">1st Semester</td></tr><tr><td>Jul</td><td>Aug</td><td>Sep</td><td>Oct</td><td>Nov</td><td>Dec</td></tr><tr><td></td><td colspan="4">2nd Semester</td><td></td></tr></table> DATES MAY VARY CONSIDERABLY – always check: http://www.ufc.br/calendario-universitario/2019	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun			1 st Semester				Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		2 nd Semester				
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Lecture Period	18.02.2019-26.06.2019	05.08.2019-06.12.2019																																																																	
Exam Period	28.06.2019-04.07.2019	07.12.2019-14.12.2019																																																																	
Application Deadline	15.12.2018 (may be extended)	01.06.2019																																																																	
Students should submit their application at least two months (not counting holidays) prior to the beginning of the period they intend to spend at UFC, so that there is enough time for the procedure at UFC as well as for that of their visa application.																																																																			
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Manual for Exchange Students	For detailed information, see our Manual for Exchange Students: http://www.prointer.ufc.br/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/manual-estudante-estrangeiro-ufc.pdf																																																																		
Buddy Program	If a student is accepted as an exchange student at UFC, we will inform our Buddy Program PAI (Projeto de Apoio ao Intercambista), who will get in contact with her/him. See also: https://paiufc.wordpress.com/ And: https://pt-br.facebook.com/pai.ufc																																																																		
Accommodation	UFC does not provide accommodations for foreign students. However, students of our Buddy-Program PAI will endeavor to help our guests to find accommodation.																																																																		
Expenses (approx. budget per month)	Ca. R\$ 1.300, depending largely on the students' individual lifestyle (it is possible to live on less)																																																																		
Climatic Conditions	 Temperatures (°C) <table><thead><tr><th>Month</th><th>Min</th><th>Max</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>J</td><td>25</td><td>31</td></tr><tr><td>F</td><td>23</td><td>30</td></tr><tr><td>M</td><td>24</td><td>30</td></tr><tr><td>A</td><td>23</td><td>30</td></tr><tr><td>M</td><td>23</td><td>29</td></tr><tr><td>J</td><td>22</td><td>30</td></tr><tr><td>J</td><td>22</td><td>29</td></tr><tr><td>A</td><td>22</td><td>29</td></tr><tr><td>S</td><td>23</td><td>31</td></tr><tr><td>O</td><td>24</td><td>31</td></tr><tr><td>N</td><td>24</td><td>31</td></tr><tr><td>D</td><td>25</td><td>31</td></tr></tbody></table> Rainfall (mm) <table><thead><tr><th>Month</th><th>Rainfall (mm)</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>J</td><td>100</td></tr><tr><td>F</td><td>150</td></tr><tr><td>M</td><td>200</td></tr><tr><td>A</td><td>250</td></tr><tr><td>M</td><td>300</td></tr><tr><td>J</td><td>350</td></tr><tr><td>J</td><td>400</td></tr><tr><td>A</td><td>450</td></tr><tr><td>S</td><td>400</td></tr><tr><td>O</td><td>350</td></tr><tr><td>N</td><td>300</td></tr><tr><td>D</td><td>250</td></tr></tbody></table>		Month	Min	Max	J	25	31	F	23	30	M	24	30	A	23	30	M	23	29	J	22	30	J	22	29	A	22	29	S	23	31	O	24	31	N	24	31	D	25	31	Month	Rainfall (mm)	J	100	F	150	M	200	A	250	M	300	J	350	J	400	A	450	S	400	O	350	N	300	D	250
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