

University of California Riverside Extension

Certificate in Applied Management for Hospitality and Tourism

(With paid academic training at *Walt Disney World*® Resorts through the Disney College Program)



Disney
INTERNATIONAL
PROGRAMS

UCR University Extension

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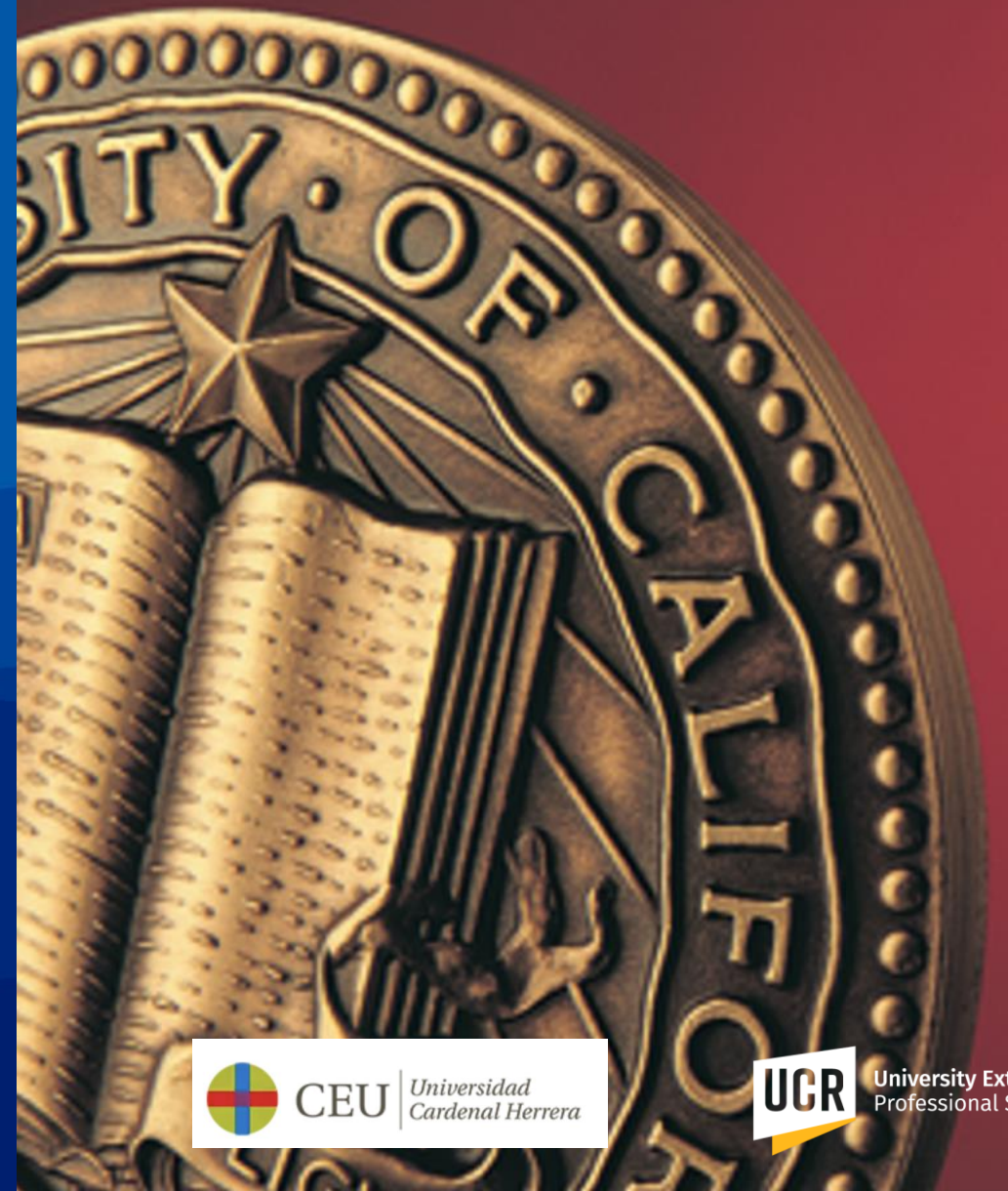
International Professional Programs

University of California, Riverside

The University of California (UC)

- 10 Campuses around California
- UC is a public university
- 240,000 students across 10 campuses
- 60 Nobel Prize Winners
- Only the top 10 % California high school students can apply

UCR Academics: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e87qq5o-FZc>



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

Berkeley	Riverside
Davis	San Diego
Irvine	San Francisco
Los Angeles	Santa Barbara
Merced	Santa Cruz

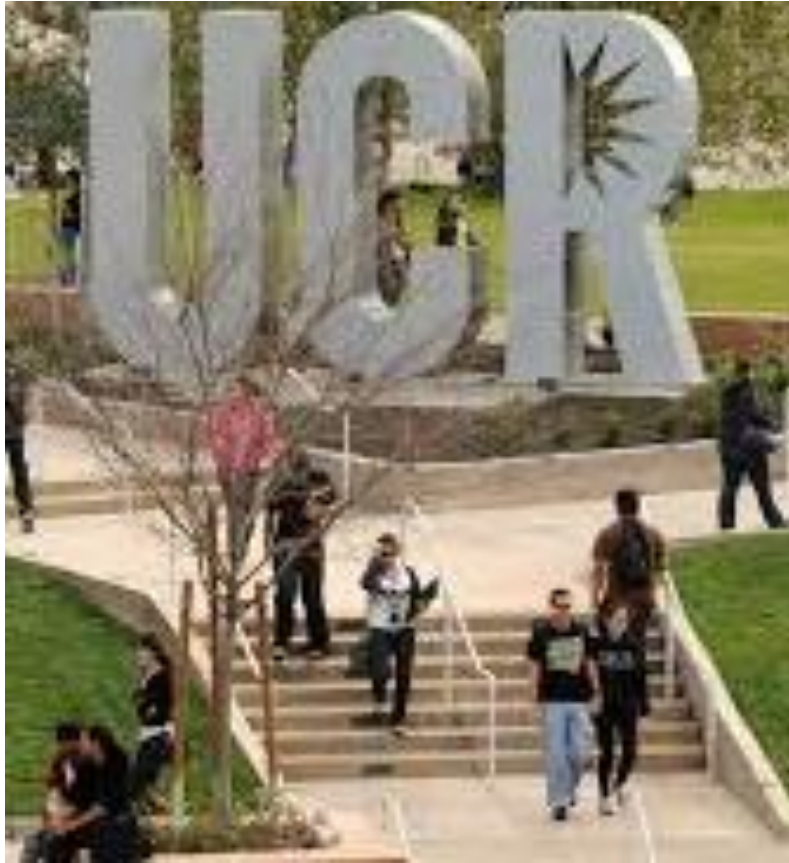
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

Centrally Located to California's Attractions!



Location	Distance
Disneyland	55 minutes
Universal Studios	65 minutes
Mountain Ski Resorts	40 minutes
Beaches	55 minutes
Los Angeles	60 minutes
San Diego	90 minutes
Palm Springs	45 minutes
San Francisco	7 hours
Las Vegas	4 hours
Ontario Airport	25 minutes





The UCR Campus





UCR *from the* AIR

PART 3



University Extension
Professional Studies

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Certificate in
Applied Management for Hospitality and Tourism
30 ECTS

Introduction to
Global Hospitality Class
(at UCR University Extension)

6 ECTS

One in-person class
taught by UCR University
Extension while on-site
at Disneyworld

6 ECTS

One online class
delivered by UCR University
Extension during the
academic training at the
Walt Disney World Resort

6 ECTS

Full-time
UCR University Extension
supervised academic training
at the Walt Disney World Resort

12 ECTS

Students successfully completing all components will receive:
Official UCR University Extension Certificate
Official UCR University Extension Grade Transcripts



Program Dates

January 11, 2026

Students arrive to the UCR campus in California

January 12-23, 2026

UCR 2-week program

January 25, 2026

Students depart for Walt Disney World, Orlando – Florida

January 26, 2026

Arrive at Walt Disney World

July 9, 2026

Students return to Spain. With the J-1 visa you are allowed to stay an additional 30 days in the USA.



Housing Option IV at UCR



<https://universityvillageriverside.com>

Residence at UCR

International Village

Accommodations for the first 2 weeks.

Near UCR campus

Shared rooms – two or three students per room

No meals are included

- but there is a kitchen, sometimes shared by many students, and a University Village shopping center is nearby with lots of restaurants.

IV is a basic accommodation.



Academic Courses

- One online course offered through UCR University Extension. Choices include*:
 - Organizational Leadership
 - Creativity and Innovation Course
 - Advanced Studies in Hospitality Management
 - Strategic Marketing and the Marketing Plan
- Students will choose one in-person course while at Disneyworld. Choices include courses such as*:
 - Corporate Communication
 - Human Resource Management

Students will receive academic credit from UCR University Extension for all completed courses.

*Courses are subject to change



Select Disney Learning Opportunities

- **Harvard University Certificates on-line**
 - https://support.disneyprograms.com/hc/en-us/article_attachments/4411133008148
- **Multi-Week Series**
 - Earn Mouseter's Certificates
 - Examples of series: Leadership 101, Exploring Disney Hospitality, The Magic of Storytelling
- **Career Readiness Workshops**
 - Resume writing, Interview Skills, Networking 101, Personal Branding etc
- **Experiential Learning**
 - An exciting way to explore the parks and resorts that make up the Walt Disney World® Resort in a whole new way
 - Topics include Costuming Vault Tour, Discover Disney, The Story unfolds
- **Exclusive offerings**
 - Career Spotlights
 - Executive Conversations
 - Special Engagements
- **Personal & Professional Development**
 - Financial Fitness, Emotional Fitness, Improv for Improvement etc



Harvard Certificates

Over **40** possible Certificates

For example:

- Business Plan Development
- Crisis Management
- Customer Focus
- Innovation Implementation
- Performance Measurement
- Project Management
- Team Creation
- Marketing Essentials
- Global Collaboration
- Difficult Interactions

HARVARD MANAGEMENTOR®

Content Summary by Topic

Updated April 2018

Harvard ManageMentor® is an on-demand learning and performance support resource that delivers critical management skills when and where your leaders need them most. Harvard ManageMentor has the highest quality content—topics, videos, tools, and on-the-job activities—that engage and motivate learners. Harvard ManageMentor is fueled by the latest in thinking and proven practices from Harvard Business Publishing's world-class experts.

TOPIC STRUCTURE

LESSON: Each topic contains Lessons, which are comprised of three sections: Learn, Practice, and Reflect. Some Lessons only contain a Learn section.

PERFORMANCE GOAL: Performance-based skills tied to each Lesson.

LEARN: Learn presents the key concepts of the Lesson and reinforces them with polls, callouts, infographics, tools, and handouts. The Learn content also includes short videos featuring leading global business experts and executives.

PRACTICE: These activities provide an opportunity to practice skills and further reinforce the learning. There is one Practice activity per performance-oriented Lesson.

REFLECT: Reflect provides an opportunity for a learner to reflect on the key concepts in the Lesson.

ASSESSMENT: The multiple-choice, scenario-based test measures comprehension of the material and one's ability to apply it.

ON-THE-JOB: On-The-Job helps identify opportunities to apply and develop skills that will have the most impact for the learner and their organization.

ADDITIONAL FEATURES

DEVELOP OTHERS: Managers use the Develop Others materials to lead team discussions about how the topic concepts apply to and can be used in their teams' work.

EDITOR'S CHOICE: Regularly updated curated content from trusted sources across the web.

FROM THE COLLECTION: Articles from Harvard Business Publishing experts and thought leaders.

QUICK-READ: The Quick-Read presents only the key concepts in a topic for a learner to review in approximately 20 minutes.

Harvard ManageMentor



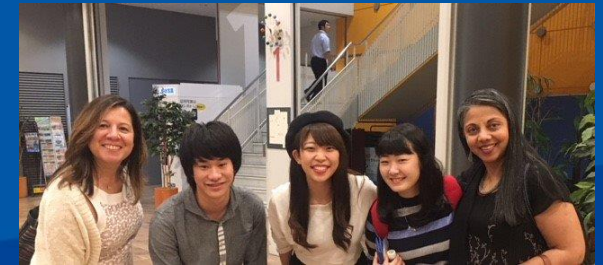
Academic Training at Walt Disney World® Resorts

A 5.5-month academic training

Current Positions include:

Role Rotation (2 positions in 5.5 months)

- Quick Service Food and Beverage
- Merchandise
- Attractions



Transferable skills for your future

Guest Service

Responsibility/
Time
Management

Safety

Problem
Solving

Teamwork

Networking





Living at Disney World

- Two- to four-bedroom fully furnished apartments
- Costs are automatically deducted from your paychecks weekly. Rent is between \$215 and \$261 per week.
- Rent includes utilities, internet, telephone, TV, Washer & Dryer and 24-hour security in complex
- Volleyball Court, Swimming Pools, Billiard Center, 24-hour Fitness Center
- Free bus transportation is provided to and from Disney World and to grocery stores, post office and shopping malls. 10 – 15 minute to Flamingo Crossing Town Center: Supermarket, Pharmacy, Restaurants, Cafes,
- <https://www.americancampus.com/student-apartments/fl/disney/flamingo-crossings-village>



Disney
PROGRAMS

FLAMINGO CROSSINGS VILLAGE



AN AMERICAN CAMPUS COMMUNITY

FLAMINGO CROSSINGS VILLAGE



CEU | Universidad
Cardenal Herrera



University Extension
Professional Studies

Program Admission Requirements

Must have **completed first year** of your Grado (**60 ECTS**) before start of program

Enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student at your university

Have an upper intermediate level of English:
B2, TOEFL iBT 80, IELTS 6.5 or Duolingo 100.

Remember that test results are only valid for up to 2 years.

If you have not taken an exam, UCR will send you a “code” to take the Duolingo exam online free of charge after you apply.

Take a practice test: <https://englishtest.duolingo.com/applicants>

Recommended by CEU.

Pass interviews with UCR and Disney recruiters
(Interviews will take place 5-7 November, exact dates and details TBD)



Earning at Disney World

You will work in a range of roles in one of Disney World Theme Parks and Resort in Florida

30 – 37 hours on average when classes are in session

Up to 40 or more hours during peak season and **when no classes in session.**

Base pay \$17.00/hour

Hourly rate of pay is determined by the role at the *Walt Disney World*® Resort





Estimated Disney Program Costs

Fixed Program Cost

UCR Tuition and other fees

\$7340.00

Includes

Application Fees \$200 (payable when you accept)

Medical Insurance \$1690 (\$65 x 26 weeks - may vary by intake)

Tuition \$4,480

Housing at UCR \$850 (15 nights accommodation and cleaning fee)

Student Service Fee \$120

Disney Program Assessment Fee

\$455.00

Includes

First week of housing cost, events and activities

Estimated program cost \$7795.00

Personal Expenses and Additional Costs to keep in mind

SEVIS Fee \$220.00

Visa Processing Fee \$185.00

Personal expenses at UCR 2 weeks (food/travel) varies

Additional costs in Orlando (24 weeks)

Books & Materials for Courses \$100 (variable)

Housing in Orlando, FL \$215-\$261/wk. (subject to change)

Personal expenses (food/travel/gifts) varies

- ❖ Your estimated wages earned through your Disney employment are **\$15,300** (based on \$17/hr. at 37.5 hrs. per week)
- ❖ We recommend that you bring additional funding for personal travel & gifts
- ❖ Almost all student come back to Spain with some money in their pockets, from \$0 to \$3,000



Costs before you start earning money	Costs in US\$
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1 Costs before you leave Spain	
UCR Application Fee	450
Disney Program Assessment Fee	455
SEVIS fee	220
J-1 Visa Processing Fee	180
UCR Tuition Fee	5200
Medical Insurance (\$65 per week - 26 weeks)	1690
VLC - Los Angeles flight / Orlando - VLC	950
Transportation to UCR (UBER - 1,2 or 3 passengers)	30-90
	\$9,175-9,235

2 Costs at UCR, California (2 weeks)	
2 weeks meals at UCR (3 meals per day)	350-840
Laundry	8-16
Los Angeles-Orlando flight	170-230
	\$528-1,086

3 First week at Flamingo Crossings Village	
Transportation to Flamingo Crossings Village	20
Meals 1st week at Flamingo Crossings Village	50-140
Books and materials	50-100
	\$120-260

Total before starting to earn money: \$9,823-10,581

Costs after you start earning money	Costs in US\$
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4 23 weeks at Walt Disney World Resort	
Housing in Flamingo Crossings Village	4945-6003
Food estimate	1150-3193

Total after starting to earn money: \$6,095 - \$9,196

Estimated costs 26-week program

Costs before you leave Spain	\$9,175 - \$9,235	Before first salary
Costs 2 weeks UCR	\$528 - \$1,086	
Costs 1 week at WDW*	\$120 - \$260	
Costs during paid internship at WDW	\$6,095 - \$9,196	After first salary

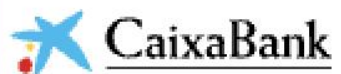
*Housing and activities 1st week at WDW included in the Disney Program Assessment Fee

TOTAL Costs Estimates (low - high)	\$15,918 - \$19,777
Estimated SALARY (\$17 per hour - 37.5 per week, 2	\$15,300*

*≈13,800€

Oferta financiación UC RIVERSIDE

9194- Oficina All in One Madrid



Calidad, confianza y compromiso social

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Préstamo Personal

Se trata de una financiación que permite **cubrir el coste total** de los estudios incluidas la manutención, seguros, materiales, viaje, etc..

01

IMPORTE MÁXIMO Y PLAZOS

- > Financiación de **matrículas académicas y gastos relacionados.**
- > Plazo máximo **hasta 6 años.**
- > Importe máximo **hasta 30.000 euros.**

02

TIPO DE INTERÉS Y COMISIONES

- > Tipo **fijo del 6,75%**
- > Comisión de **apertura 0%**
- > Comisión de **estudio 0%**

03

DOCUMENTACIÓN Y REQUISITOS NECESARIOS PARA EL ESTUDIO

- > El estudio del riesgo es **personalizado y la documentación necesaria puede variar de una solicitud a otra.**
- > El riesgo se evaluará para **cada solicitud de forma individual.**

¿Cómo contactarnos?

Desde la oficina os daremos soporte, haremos el estudio de la operación y os informaremos de cualquier duda o consulta que podáis tener, queremos acompañaros en esta experiencia mágica.

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Scholarships and Benefits!

Scholarships

There are 3 scholarships of \$1,000 available!

Benefits

Entry passes to Disney World discounts on Disney Cruises, Disney Shows and hotels for you and your family and friends

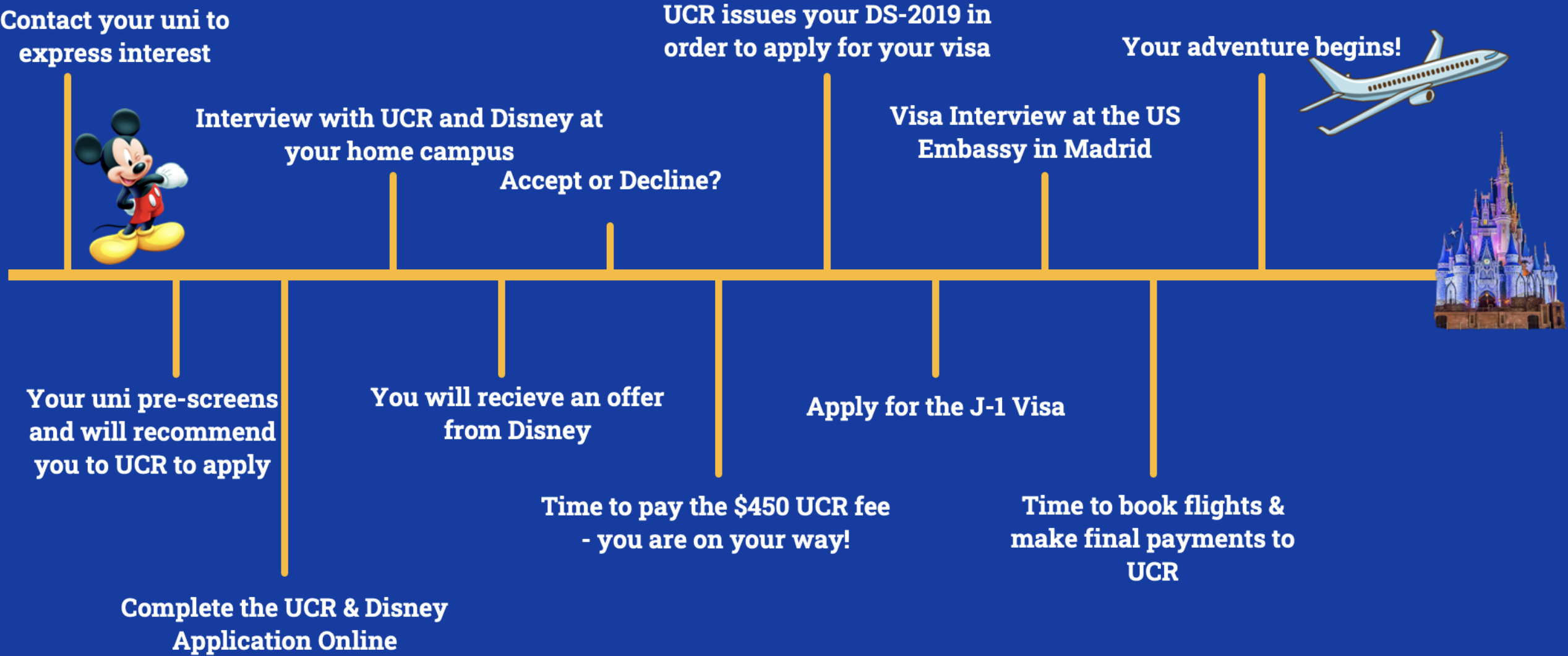
UCR Health Insurance

Anthem Blue Cross and Health Insurance.



- **ALL** international students studying in the USA are required to have an insurance coverage.
- The UCR Health Plan by Anthem Blue Cross and Health Insurance Company: <https://ext-ucr.mycare26.com/>
- On the web site you can easily find an Anthem approved doctor at UCR and at Disney World. A call number is available in Spanish too. (1) 800 888 2108.
- We suggest students also have travel insurance, such as **Europe Assistance**. It is not expensive and will cover things Anthem won't, like a travel costs if your parent needs to visit you in the US for a medical emergency.
- Students will receive a Health Insurance Orientation with detailed information upon arrival to UCR.
https://myahpcare.com/wp-content/uploads/2023_UCX_Snapshot.pdf

Program Procedures





Interested in applying for **January 2026?**

Get started now.

The applications open mid-September, but there is a lot you can do now

1. Request your official **Academic Record**.

2. Prepare the UCR application **Essay**.

One page, double spaced. Answer the following questions and provide as much details as you can:

- a) *What is your goal for the University of California program?*
- b) *How does this program relate to your academic and career goals?*
- c) *Can you describe how the academic work and training will benefit you, your university and your country?*

3. Prepare your **CV/Resume**

1 Page

4. Are your parents in agreement?

*If needed, get in contact with **Caixabank** or your own bank for financial support for the initial/up front costs.*

5. Ensure your **Passport** is valid and up-to-date.

You will need a passport that is valid for the duration of your studies in the US. (Program dates: January 12-July 9.)

6. Do you have an official **English language level?**

Remember exam results are valid **only 2 years**.

You can take the Duolingo online and will get your results in about 48 hours.

<https://englishtest.duolingo.com/applicants>

7. Discuss the **Program credit transfer** with your academic tutor



Thank You!

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