

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

Certificate in Hospitality & Tourism Management or Certificate in Management





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

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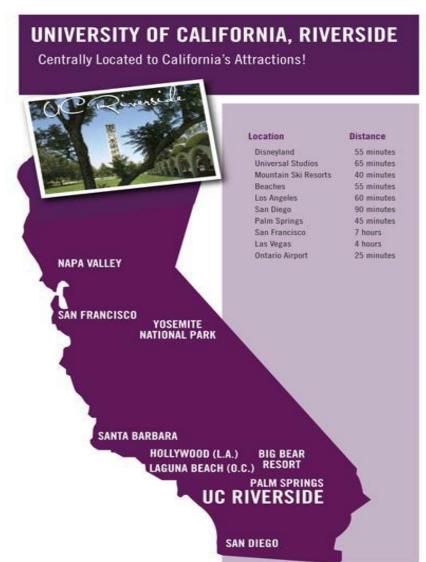
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University of California, Riverside





UC RIVERSIDE RANKS:

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DESIGNATED A BEST VALUE
SCHOOL OUT OF 727 WITH AN AVERAGE
COMPLETION TIME OF 4.4 YEARS AND
AN ENTRY-LEVEL SALARY OF \$51,000.

MONEY MAGAZINE (2018)

NO.35

PUBLIC UNIVERSITY WITH VAST RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES FOR UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE STUDENTS.

U.S. NEWS (2019)

NO. 15

AMONG PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES AND 28TH NATIONALLY, BASED ON SOCIAL MOBILITY, CIVIC ENGAGEMENT AND RESEARCH.

WASHINGTON MONTHLY (2018)

UCR ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE







Program Information

Academic Training Experience at *Walt Disney World*® Resorts includes:

- Work Experience Analysis
- Company and Job Analysis
- A Disney student performance review



2020 Program Dates

- Sat. June 27: Arrive at UCR. Free transportation provided from LAX to UCR.
- Mon. June 29 Fri. July 10: Orientation, academic course work at UCR
- □ Sun. July 12: Evening travel to Orlando, Florida
- Mon. July 13: Arrive at Walt Disney World® Resorts.
 Check in housing.
- Tues. July 14: Paid academic training starts
- September: Coursework starts
- Thurs. Dec. 17: Students depart Walt Disney World®
 Resorts





Sample Calendar



Introduction to the Global Hospitality Industry
UCR Disney Program
June 24 – July 5, 2019

Group A

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
June 23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Free Day	Registration and Mandatory Orientations 9:00AM - 12:00PM Conference Rooms D&E	Team Building Peter Fordos Class 8:30AM - 4:30PM	Hotel and Service Management Ellen Kim Class 8:30AM – 4:30PM	Cross Cultural Perspectives Elena Romine Class 8:30AM – 4:30PM	Customer Service and Loyalty Mariasol Diaz-Gomez Class 8:30AM - 4:30PM	Free Day
	Program Orientation 1:00PM – 3:00PM Conference Room D	1 hour lunch break <u>Suite 3</u>	1 hour lunch break Suite 3.	1 hour lunch break <u>Suite 3</u>	1 hour lunch break <u>Suite 3</u> .	
Free Day	July 1 Principles of Special Events Management Rey O'Day Class 8:30AM – 4:30PM 1 hour lunch break Suite 3	SITE VISIT Sheraton Fairplex Hotel & Conference Center Depart from Homestay Drop-off at 10:00AM Return to UCR by 1:00PM (estimated)	3 Ethics and Tourism Cathy Davis-Dickey Class 8:30AM - 4:30PM 1 hour lunch break Suite 3.	Independence Day Holiday No Classes Campus Closed	Final Exam 8:30AM - 9:30AM Room A Presentations 10:00AM - 1:00PM Cathy Davis-Dickey Room A Mandatory Wrap-Up Meeting 2:00PM - 3:00PM Room D	Free Day
7 Departure to Disney World	8 Arrive in Orlando, Florida Check into Housing 12:00PM-3:00PM	B	Have	fun at Disne	yworld!!	



Activities during the first two weeks







Accommodation for students under 21

Extension Residence Center

- Double occupancy dorm-style rooms
- Conveniently located at the Extension center
- Each room includes bathroom, phone, cable television & wireless internet (no cooking appliances are allowed in the rooms)
- A resident concierge is available to assist students
- Occasional housekeeping services are provided
- Minimum age: 18
- Breakfast included





Accommodation for students over 21

International Village

- Double occupancy apartments
- Conveniently located next to the Extension Center
- Each apartment includes a full kitchen (cooking supplies not included), bathroom, phone, cable television, wireless internet and living area
- A resident advisor is available to assist students
- Breakfast provided at the Extension Center







UCR Academic Requirements

- 2-week Introduction to Hospitality course at UCR
- Students choose one 3-credit online course offered through UCR. Choices include:
 - Consumer Behavior (HOSP 1325 or MARK 3215)
 - Customer Service Management (HOSP 2465 or MARK 3360)
 - Organizational Leadership (HOSP 1115)
 - Strategic Marketing and the Marketing Plan (HOSP 2415, or unassigned MARK credit)
- Students will choose one 3-credit in-person course while at Walt Disney World® Resorts. Choices include courses such as:
 - Advanced Studies in Hospitality Management (BUSN 1200 or HOSP 2455)
 - Corporate Communication (HOSP 2415)
 - Human Resource Management (HOSP 2430; BUSN 1210 if Organizational Leadership is taken as well)
- The courses students choose to take will be granted credit from UCR.







UCR Academic Requirements

Additional Academic Requirements

 Supervised Training course that includes assignments which correlate directly to the internship experience







Optional Learning Opportunities

Exploring Disney Series

- Disney Exploration Seminars (2 hrs X 4 weeks)
 - Integrated series' exploring the various elements of our business
 - Topics include Animal Sciences and Event Operations
- Spotlight On (2-3 hrs per session)
 - Stand-alone sessions that provide insight into various elements of Disney's business.
 - Topics include The Epcot Story and Disney Traditions
- Discover Disney (2-4 hours per session)
 - An exciting way to explore the parks and resorts that make up the Walt Disney World® Resorts in a whole new way.
 - Topics include Costuming Valut Tour and Expedition Everest Backstage Tour



Optional Learning Opportunities subject to change and availability Further information available through DORMS



Optional Learning Opportunities (cont.)

Career Connection Series

Conversations With

- provides participants with the opportunity to learn about different topics and/or career paths at Disney through the personal stories shared by guest speakers.
- Topics include Guest Relations and Disney Auditions

Career Insights

- exclusive events that showcase career possibilities based on participants indicated major and/or area of study or interest.
- Topics include Culinary and Stage Management

Career + Life Preparation

- designed to assist participants with resume writing, networking, interviewing, and wellness, including financial, emotional, physical, and intellectual dimensions.
- Topics include Networking 101 and Stress Busters





Academic Training at Walt Disney World® Resorts

- Offers participants the opportunity for valuable work experience within a Fortune 100 Company
- Directed working and learning experience to expand knowledge of successful career practices
- Supervised employment extending classroom based occupational learning at on-the-job learning stations







Academic Training at Walt Disney World® Resorts

Students earn semester credits for a 5.5-month supervised training

Positions include:

5.5-month positions

- Lifeguard
- Costuming
- Character Performer

Role Rotation (2 positions in 5.5 months)

- Quick Service Food and Beverage
- Merchandise
- Attractions







Living at Disney World

- Two- to four-bedroom fully furnished apartments.
- Costs are automatically deducted from students' paychecks weekly.
- 24-hour security in apartment complexes
- Bus transportation is provided to and from Walt Disney World®
 Resorts and to grocery stores, post office, and shopping malls

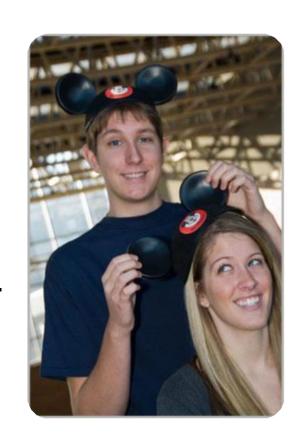






Earning at Disney World

- Participants will work in a range of roles in Disney World Theme Parks and Resorts
- □ 30 37 hours/week on average when classes are in session
- ☐ Up to 40 or more hours/week during peak season and no classes in session.
- Base pay US\$10.00/hour
- Hourly rate of pay is determined by the role at the Walt Disney World®
 Resorts





Program Admission Requirements

- Must have completed first year courses before start of program
- Enrolled as a full-time <u>undergraduate</u> student at your home institution
- Recommended by your institution
- In good academic standing
- Pass oral interviews with UCR and Disney recruiters





Program Procedures

- Students complete UCR application, including essay and copy of transcripts, photo page of passport
- Students are pre-screened by their home institution and recommended to UCR
- UCR assesses student application and recommends list to Disney for interviews
- Normally, UCR and Disney conduct the interviews on campus
- Once interviewed by Disney, successful applicants will be offered a role at Walt Disney World® Resorts, normally within one week.
- Students will have one to two weeks from the offer date to accept the role and are required to pay \$450 nonrefundable application fee to UCR. Proof of financial support is also required at that time.





Financial Statement Requirements

Fixed Program Cost

Cost at UCR

\$5,450.00USD

Includes

Application Fees \$450USD

Medical Insurance \$1300USD (\$50 x 26 weeks)

Tuition \$4,200USD Scholarship worth \$500

Breakfast and UCR Housing included

Cost at Disney in Orlando, FL

\$375.00USD

Includes

Program Assessment Fee \$135

Housing Fee \$240 (includes first room payment)

Estimated program cost \$5,825.00USD

Personal Expenses Additional Costs to keep in mind

SEVIS Fee \$220.00USDVisa Processing Fee \$160.00USD

Airfare to L.A., Orlando, and back home
 \$????????

Personal expenses at UCR 2 weeks (food/travel)

varies

Orlando (24 weeks)

Books & Materials for Courses
 \$100

Housing in Orlando, FL
 \$99 - \$130/week

Personal expenses (food/travel/gifts)
 varies

- ☐ Your estimated earnings through your Disney employment are \$9,000.00USD (based on 37.5 hours a week x 24 weeks).
- ☐ You must demonstrate \$2,400.00USD to be eligible for the Visa
- ☐ We recommend that you bring additional funding for personal travel & gifts



Things to Remember – Visa Fees

- J-1 Student Visa is sponsored by UCR
- Visa Fees (to US Department of State)
- SEVIS Fee \$220
- Visa Processing Fee \$160



Program Procedures

- Once deposit and financial statement has been received, UCR will issue DS-2019.
- International applications when you receive DS-2019, you can make an appointment to be interviewed by the U.S. Embassy for the J-1 visa.
- Once visa has been approved, students can make airline reservation as a school group for arrival (pick up by UCR included only when travelling as a group)

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