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Section 1

What is SAF?



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What is SAF?

- SAF is a **non-profit organization** established in 2000 in Indiana, USA 於2000年在美國印第安那州，由獨立董事會資助的非營利機構。
- SAF is a **network of top ranked universities** in the USA, Canada, England, Scotland, Ireland, Australia and New Zealand.
- Currently we have regional offices in:
 - Taiwan
 - Korea
 - Japan
 - Mainland China



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SAF Mission 使命

The Study Abroad Foundation (SAF) promotes student mobility around the world. It works with universities worldwide to provide semester and academic year study abroad opportunities for undergraduate students. SAF believes that giving students the opportunity to study abroad increases international understanding and provides students with the intercultural skills necessary to succeed in and contribute to their own societies and the world community.

SAF為促進學生國際交流，與世界各國的優秀大學合作，向在校生提供赴海外進行一學期或一學年的訪問學習機會。我們相信，青少年的國際訪問學習經驗有助於養成對國際社會的了解，跨文化溝通能力，從而成為有競爭力的人才以貢獻社會。



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SAF and Tsing Hua University

- Tsing Hua University and SAF have reached an agreement for Tsing Hua to be a member of the SAF school network.
- 國立清華大學和SAF達成協議加入SAF會員大學聯盟。
- In addition to the Tsing Hua sister schools, students from Tsing Hua can go abroad to any of the 50 schools in the SAF network.
- 國立清華大學學生除了到本校的姐妹校，也可以到SAF會員50多所學府進行訪問學習。





What is the SAF program?

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什麼是SAF海外名校訪學計劃?

The **SAF program** is a Visiting Student program which allows you to:

- Study at a SAF partner university for one year or one semester
- Learn English language as part of the program (if needed).
- Get academic credit transfer (when possible).

SAF提供大專生以訪問學生身份前往SAF聯盟大學修讀一學期或一學年課程的機會。所選修的課程，包括ESL英語，可獲得本校學分抵免。



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SAF Student Support Services & Benefits



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Pre-departure Services 行前準備


- Comprehensive student counselling 學生諮詢服務
- Application assistance 申請協助
- Student visa assistance 簽證協助

Services Abroad 海外服務

- Fully staffed overseas offices 海外駐點辦公室
- Emergency assistance 緊急協助

Post Study Abroad Services 歸國後服務

- Credit transfer assistance 協助辦理學分抵免



Section 3

Choosing a SAF program

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Choosing a SAF program 選擇

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- ✓ Ranking of the university
- ✓ Size of school
- ✓ Field of study
- ✓ Cost
- ✓ Start dates
- ✓ Non academic activities
- ✓ Internship opportunities
- ✓ Location- City, small town country side , country or region, climate, history
- ✓ GPA requirements
- ✓ Language requirement- ESL programs

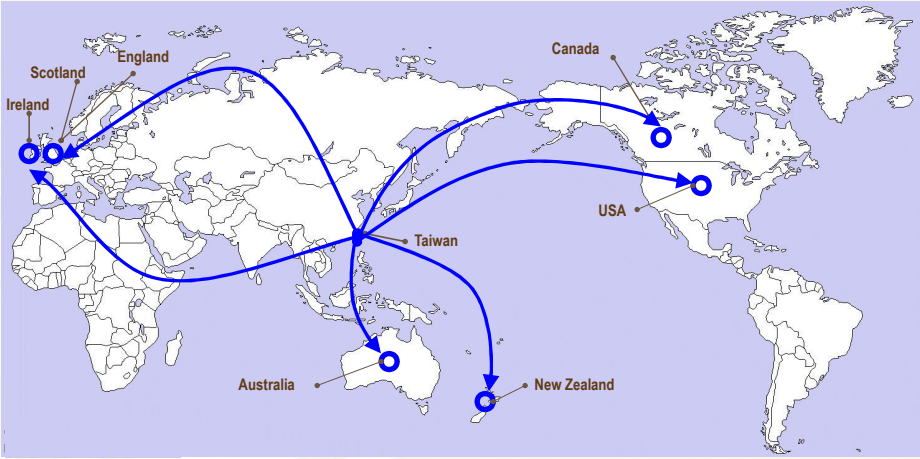
- 學校排名
- 學校規模
- 專業
- 學費
- 開課時間
- 課外活動
- 實習機會
- 學校地點- 都市或鄉村, 都市, 氣候與歷史
- 成績
- 英語能力-英語課程



SAF Member Universities

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• 53 universities in 6 countries






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SAF member universities

<p>USA: American University Arizona State University Colorado State University Columbia University Gonzaga University Indiana University Miami University Middlebury College Montana State University Mount Holyoke College Pepperdine University Purdue University San Francisco State University Smith College Trinity University University of Arkansas University of Arizona University of California Santa Barbara University of Colorado University of Delaware University of Hawaii at Hilo University of Iowa University of Minnesota</p>	<p>USA: University of Montana University of Richmond University of St. Thomas University of the South University of Utah University of Vermont Vanderbilt University Washington Semester</p> <p>UK: Middlesex University in London Oxford University Queen Mary, University of London University of Bristol University of East Anglia University of Edinburgh University of Glasgow University of Kent University of the Arts, London University of Westminster</p>	<p>IRELAND: University College Dublin University of Limerick</p> <p>AUSTRALIA: University of Queensland Wollongong University</p> <p>NEW ZEALAND: University of Auckland University of Canterbury</p> <p>CANADA: University of Calgary University of Manitoba University of Toronto University of Victoria Vancouver Island University</p>
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SAF Member Universities (USA)



- Type of Institution: Private
- Date Founded: 1754
- Minimum TOEFL(PBT/CBT/IB): 250/600/100
- Required GPA: 3.3/4.0




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- Ivy League
- In 2008, only 8.7% of applicants were admitted








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SAF program fees per academic year:
US\$ 50, 760 (*that's about NT\$ 1714647 **)





- Location: New York, NY
- Top programs: political science, economics, English, history and sciences

*On April 16th 2009



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- Location: "Twin cities campus"
Minneapolis- Saint Paul, MN

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

- Type of Institution: Public
- Date Founded: 1851
- Required GPA: 3.0/4.0
- Minimum TOEFL (PBT/CBT/IB):
550 / 213 / 79-80

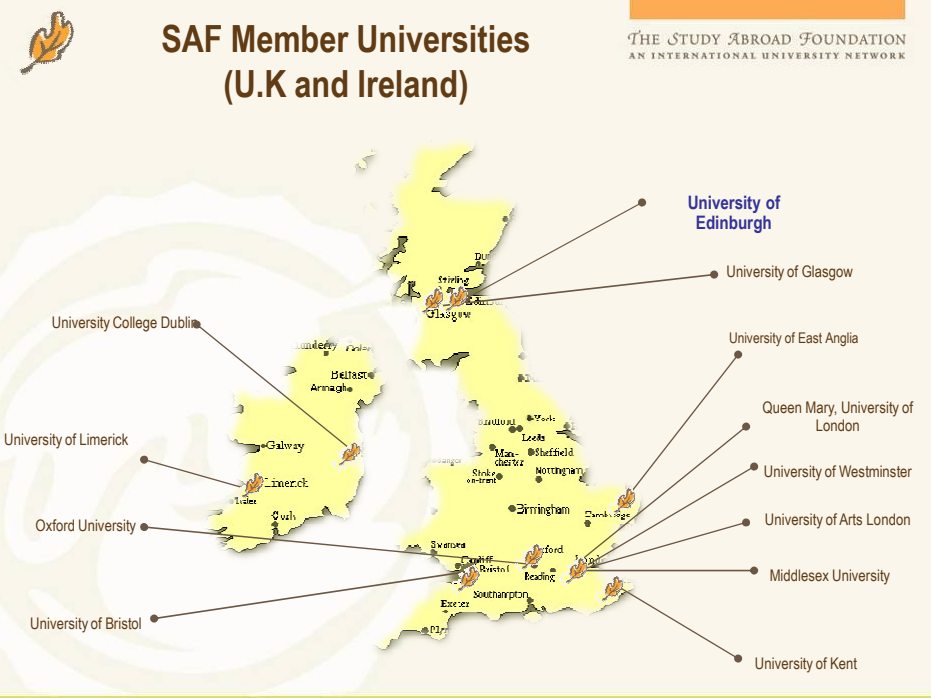




UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

- 150 fields of study at the undergraduate level
- Top programs: Engineering, psychology and economics
- SAF program fees per academic year: US\$ 25,240 (*that's about NT\$ 852594 **)


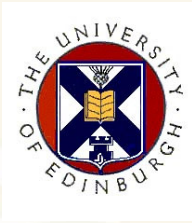
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- University of Edinburgh
- University of Glasgow
- University of East Anglia
- Queen Mary, University of London
- University of Westminster
- University of Arts London
- Middlesex University
- University of Kent
- University of Bristol
- Oxford University
- University of Limerick
- University College Dublin

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- Location: Edinburgh, Scotland
- More than 170 societies and 50 sports clubs

- Date founded: 1583
- Requested GPA: 3.0/4.0
- Minimum TOEFL: 580/237/92





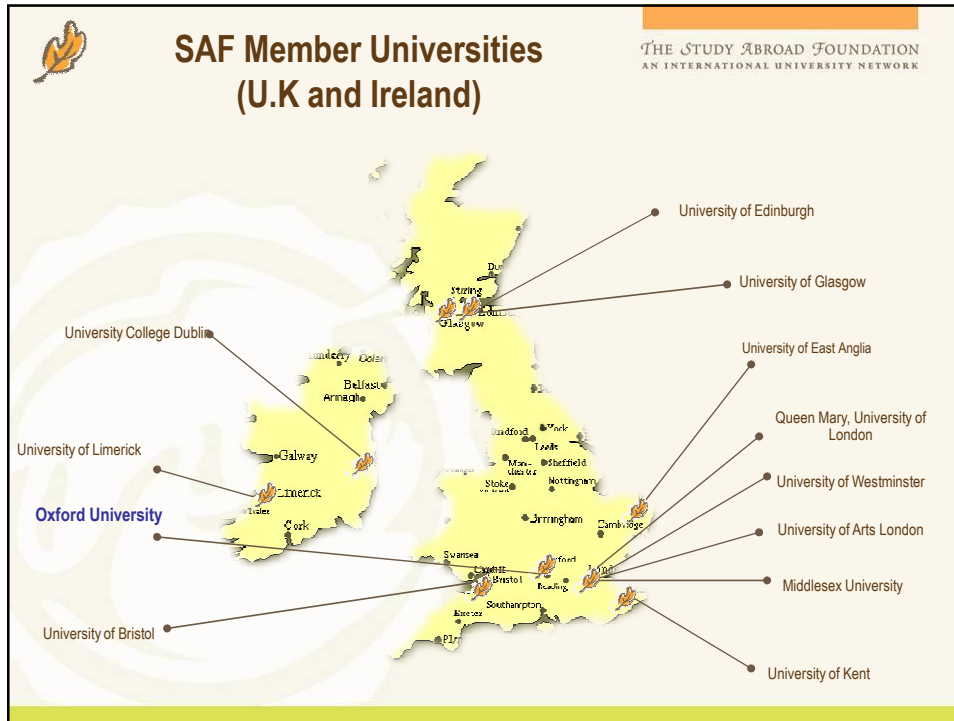
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- SAF program fees per academic year: £15,475
*(that's about NT\$ 782073 *)*

- Top programs: sociology, languages, English, micro-electronics, and biotechnology.



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University of Edinburgh

University of Glasgow

University of East Anglia

Queen Mary, University of London

University of Westminster

University of Arts London

Middlesex University


University of Kent

University College Dublin

University of Limerick


Oxford University

University of Bristol



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- Date founded: Unknown, teaching existed since 1096. It is the oldest university in the English-speaking world.




- Required GPA: 3.3/4.0
- Minimum TOEFL: 600/ 250/ 100
- Location: Oxford, England



UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

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- Top programs: Politics, Physiological Sciences, English, Fine Art, Business Studies, Materials technology, Middle Eastern and African Studies, Music, Philosophy, Education and Linguistics.
- SAF program fees per academic year: £23, 305
*(that's about NT\$ 117784 *)*




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The Washington Semester

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- Required GPA: 2.5/4.0
- Minimum TOEFL (PBT/CBT/IB): 510 / 180 / 61
- Type of Institution: Private
- Date Founded: 1893
- Location: Washington DC



Each week, students spend three days on **two seminar courses** and two days on an **internship**



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The Washington Semester

Examples of seminars and internships:

- **Peace & Conflict Resolution** (Amnesty International, Human Rights Watch, United Nations High Commission for Refugees)
- **Journalism** (CNN, Sports America Inc, National Geographic Television and Film)
- **Economic Policy** (Consumer Federation of America, World Bank Group, US Department of Commerce)
- **American Politics** (National Abortion Rights Action League, White House, US Department of Education)





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The Washington Semester

Sample Schedule

- Monday 9:00am: Class discussion on arms control in preparation of speaker
- Monday 1:00pm: Travel with class to National Council on U.S.-Arab Relations to hear speaker
- Tuesday 10:30am: Class visit to Saudi Arabian Embassy to discuss Middle East policy
- Tuesday 3:00pm: Class discussion and debate on U.S. involvement in the Middle East
- Wednesday 8:30am: Class trip to Brookings Institution to meet with Policy Consultant
- Wednesday 5:30pm: Elective class, "Third-World Politics"
- Thursday: Internship at Institute for Policy Studies
- Friday: Internship at Institute for Policy Studies



- SAF program fees per semester:
US\$13,135 (that's about NT\$ 443693*)

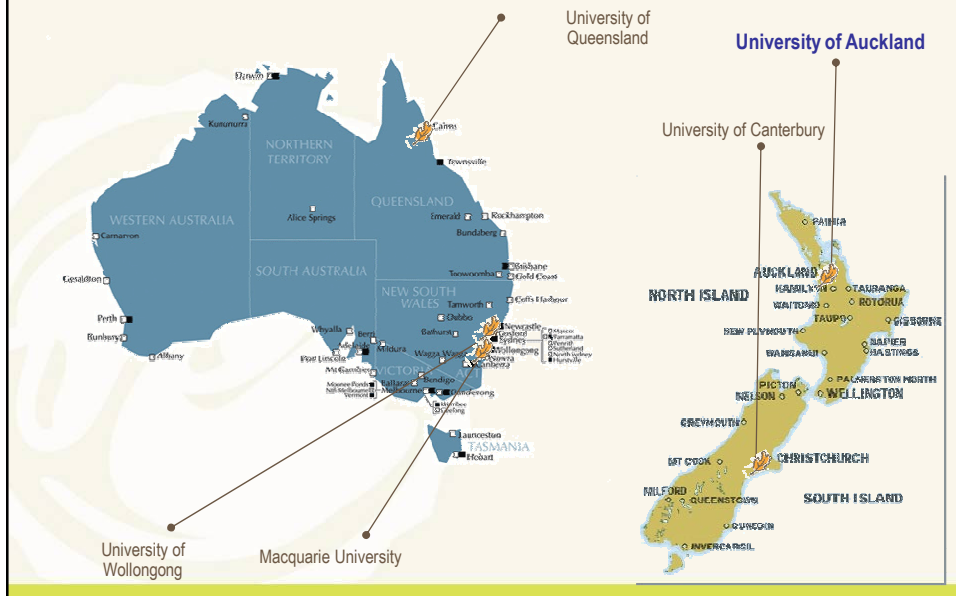


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- Location: Auckland,
- New Zealand




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- Date founded: 1883
- Minimum TOEFL: 550/213/80
- Required GPA: 3.0/4.0



THE UNIVERSITY OF AUCKLAND
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- Top programs: engineering, science, business, sociology and Maori studies.

- SAF program fees per academic year: NZ\$ 38,805
(that's about NT\$ 754034)*

*On April 16th 2009- includes meals and health insurance



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Section 4

SAF Preparation Timeline



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Spring 2010 admission:

4月-8月

- Take your TOEFL

8月-10月

- Apply to SAF

1月-2月


- Go abroad



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September 2010 admission:

- 4月-11月 • Take your TOEFL
- 12月-3月 • Apply to SAF
- 7月-9月 • Go abroad



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Section 5

Program Fees



SAF Program Fees- SAF費用

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SAF offers one comprehensive “program fee”-
SAF合併費用說明

The SAF Fee includes: SAF費用包含

- Host University tuition 接收大學學費
- Mandatory Student fees 學雜費
- Housing (upgrades are at additional cost)
宿舍 (申請宿舍升等者, 須補繳差額)
- Transportation from airport to university 機場接駁
- Visiting student programming and administrative fees
訪問學生規劃及管理費用

In some **particular schools*** the following are also included:

- Meal plans 餐食費
- Health insurance 保險

* Refers to the fee charts for more details




Scholarships

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- The MOE supports study abroad with generous merit based and income based scholarships.
- Go see your International Office for more details.
- 教育部大力支持海外訪學並提供學海飛颺及學海遺珠獎學金
- 請與貴校相關部門詢問申請辦法


JSA	Academic Year	Fall Sem. Academic	Spring Sem. Academic	Full Year ESL	Fall Sem. ESL	Spring Sem. ESL	Fall ESL + Spring Acad.
American University	\$25,250	\$14,425	\$14,450	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Arizona State University (Homestay)	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$17,885	\$10,645	\$10,645	n/a
Arizona State University (Off Campus Apartment)	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$16,460	n/a	n/a	n/a
Colorado State U.	\$30,890	\$17,420	\$17,420	\$19,005	\$11,435	\$11,435	\$25,070
Columbia University	\$50,835	\$27,560	\$27,560	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Gonzaga University	\$32,360	\$17,965	\$17,930	\$15,910	\$9,890	\$9,890	\$24,040
Indiana University	\$34,785	\$19,455	\$19,455	\$16,190	\$10,120	\$10,120	\$25,630
Miami University	\$34,630	\$19,300	\$19,300	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Middlebury College	\$43,400	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Montana State University	\$21,465	\$12,670	\$12,670	\$19,455	\$11,755	\$11,755	\$20,850
Mount Holyoke College	\$39,705	\$21,715	\$21,715	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Pepperdine University	\$51,405	\$27,540	\$27,540	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Purdue University	\$30,870	\$17,345	\$17,345	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
San Francisco State University	\$29,615	\$16,750	\$16,750	\$22,640	\$13,405	\$13,405	\$26,320
Smith College	\$45,615	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Trinity University	\$34,790	\$19,320	\$19,320	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Vanderbilt University	\$41,405	\$22,630	\$22,630	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
University of Arizona	\$29,150	\$16,485	\$16,485	\$20,765	\$12,300	\$12,300	\$25,060
University of Arkansas	\$16,065	\$10,025	\$10,025	\$16,905	\$10,410	\$10,410	\$16,620
University of California - Santa Barbara	\$22,120	\$10,075	\$10,015	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
University of Colorado	\$38,010	\$21,130	\$21,015	\$24,110	\$14,085	\$14,085	\$31,195
University of Delaware	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$26,260	\$15,135	\$15,135	n/a
J. of Hawaii at Hilo (ESL Hawaii Community College)	\$21,100	\$12,430	\$12,430	\$18,045	\$11,205	\$11,205	\$20,060
University of Iowa	\$33,300	\$18,485	\$18,485	\$18,535	\$11,535	\$11,535	\$25,700
University of Minnesota	\$25,240	\$14,455	\$14,455	\$20,540	\$12,110	\$12,110	\$22,940
University of Montana	\$23,540	\$13,720	\$13,720	\$15,380	\$9,605	\$9,605	\$19,525
University of Richmond	\$41,590	\$22,910	\$22,910	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
University of St. Thomas	\$25,615	\$14,610	\$14,610	\$22,330	\$13,015	\$13,015	\$24,050
University of the South	\$46,200	\$24,985	\$24,710	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
University of Utah	\$24,730	\$14,280	\$14,280	\$13,795	\$8,795	\$8,795	\$19,345
University of Vermont	\$23,465	\$13,595	\$13,595	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

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UNITED KINGDOM	Academic Year	Fall Sem. Academic	Spring Sem. Academic	Full Year ESL	Fall Sem. ESL	Spring Sem. ESL	Fall ESL + Spring Acad.	
Middlesex University (GBP)	14,935	9,035	8,385	n/a	6,580	n/a	12,430	
Oxford University-St Anne's College (GBP)	23,305	n/a	16,305	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Queen Mary University (GBP)	14,420	7,960	8,750	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
University Arts London (GBP)	18,050	7,475	12,525	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
University of Bristol (private) (GBP)	17,295	9,650	10,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
University of Bristol (public) (GBP)	13,860	7,930	8,280	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
University of East Anglia (GBP)	15,190	8,470	9,215	12,755	7,015	11,535	13,735	
University of Edinburgh (GBP)	15,475	8,670	9,300	12,880	6,160	n/a	13,125	
University of Glasgow (GBP)	13,575	7,430	8,070	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
University of Kent (GBP)	16,290	7,705	10,255	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
University of Westminster (GBP)	15,015	8,550	9,255	10,905	5,945	7,865	12,615	
IRELAND	Academic Year	Fall Sem. Academic	Spring Sem. Academic	Full Year ESL	Fall Sem. ESL	Spring Sem. ESL	Fall ESL + Spring Acad.	
University College Dublin (EUR)	22,525	12,860	12,860	17,215	8,300	12,185	17,150	
University of Limerick (EUR)	17,795	10,370	10,370	15,445	7,875	10,595	15,300	

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AUSTRALIA	Full Year Academic	Sem 2, Academic	Sem 1, Academic	Full Year ESL	Sem 2, ESL	Sem 1, ESL	Sem 2 ESL + Sem 1 Academic
J. of Queensland (AUD)	35,655	20,365	20,060	23,120	14,640	14,640	29,030
J. of Wollongong (AUD)	31,070	18,455	18,675	20,875	13,420	13,420	26,465

New Zealand	Full Year Academic	Sem 2, Academic	Sem 1, Academic	Full Year ESL	Sem 2, ESL	Sem 1, ESL	Sem 2 ESL + Sem 1 Academic
J. of Auckland (NZD)	38,805	22,955	22,955	35,535	21,970	21,970	37,890
J. of Canterbury (NZD)	37,005	22,665	22,665	27,805	18,065	18,065	33,050



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Next Steps

- Talk to your International Office and Professors
與貴校國教處及教授討論海外訪問學習計劃
- Call, email or talk to SAF Taiwan
與SAF臺灣聯絡
- Discuss taking part in a SAF program with your parents
與父母親商量海外訪問學習計劃
- Look at the website: 瀏覽SAF網站
<http://www.studyabroadfoundation.org/taiwan>
- Get ready to go!



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