

9 UCSB EAP- Working & Getting Involved

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Dear UCSB EAP Students,

I'm looking forward to meeting you all one week from today! This email has info on working, meeting other students, and reminders. I will send another email later this week with information about crashing classes.

EAP Welcome Reception

You are invited to the EAP Welcome Reception on Friday, September 28th from 5:30-7pm in the Student Resource Building multipurpose room. EAP, OISS, and the International Student Association (ISA) welcome you to UCSB! Enjoy free cake and snacks, and meet UCSB students who have just returned from studying abroad as well as other international students. This is the perfect place to start making friends!

Working & Academic Training

Work, internships, and research are great ways to meet Americans while boosting your resume and making extra money.

Working On-Campus: As a J-1 visa holder you are allowed to work up to 20 hours/week on-campus during the term, and full time over breaks. After you receive a job offer, but *before you start working*, you must get approval by OISS using this [form](#). After approval, OISS will guide you in applying for a Social Security Number.

Academic Training: Academic Training is any work, internship, or research that is directly related to the field of study on your DS-2019. You can do Academic Training on or off campus, paid or unpaid, for up to 20 hours/week during the term, and full time over breaks, or full time after your UCEAP exchange ends. After you receive a job offer, you will need to have it approved by EAP (me) and OISS *before you start working*. Here are the [instructions](#) and the [form](#).

To learn more and meet employers:

- **On-Campus Jobs & Internship & Research Fair**
Tuesday, September 25 from 9am-noon on the lawn outside Santa Rosa Hall & De La Guerra Commons
Bring your resume and meet on-campus employers and departments offering jobs, internships, and research positions. ([more information](#))
- **Academic Training Information Session for UCEAP Reciprocal Exchange Students**
Monday, October 8 from 4:00-5:30pm in Arts 1353.
Learn how to find work, internships, and research opportunities in your field of study (even after your EAP studies end), and how to keep your legal visa status.
- **Career & Internship Fair**
Thursday, October 18 from 11am-2pm in the Events Center (the Thunderdome).
Dress professionally, bring your resume, and meet many local and national employers. ([more information](#))
- **Handshake:** <http://career.sa.ucsb.edu/career-resources/handshake-information>
Use this online website to search and apply for jobs and internships.
- **UCSB Career Services:** <http://career.sa.ucsb.edu/>
Visit the Career Services office on campus for help looking for an opportunity, writing an American style resume or cover letter, practicing an interview, and more.

Clubs, Organizations, and Activities

The [Week of Welcome](#) from September 22-30 will be filled with events, concerts, and activities hosted by various clubs and organizations.

We encourage you to participate in all that UCSB has to offer! There are over 300 clubs and organizations you can join, browse them [here](#). The Excursion Club is popular for EAP Reciprocal Exchange students to participate in outdoor activities and explore California.

There are also plenty of weekly events and sports activities so there is never a dull moment on campus! Check out the [UCSB Events Calendar](#) and the [Office of Student Life Events Calendar](#) (more events will be posted later).

Reminders

- **Online CALI Training**

You must complete the mandatory online CALI Training *before* you attend the in-person CALI Training on September 24. It covers many topics that will not be discussed in-person such as **banking, buses, cell phones, health & safety resources**: <http://oiss.sa.ucsb.edu/programs/cali-training> (click on the one for EAP Students).

- **In-person CALI Training**

Your mandatory orientation starts at **9:00am Monday, September 24** at the Isla Vista (IV) Theater on Embarcadero Del Norte and Trigo Roads (quadrant F8 on the [campus map](#)), followed by a walking tour and lunch. Check in will be open from 8-9am to pick up a free EAP t-shirt and other welcome information. Please eat breakfast before you come, and wear comfortable shoes.

- This is also the EAP Check In, you do not need to go to the EAP Office to check in.

- **UCSB Mandatory Education**

See the [UCSB Mandatory Education website](#) for detailed instructions and links to start the online courses and register for Gaucho FYI. **Missing a deadline will result in a registration block.**

- AlcoholEdu, Sexual Assault Prevention, and Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (three online courses). Deadline to complete Part 1: **September 27**.
- Gaucho FYI (in person in October). You must register for a session **now**.

- **Pay your Fees in BARC**

Check your [BARC](#) account and pay any fees by **October 5**. If you have UC SHIP insurance you must pay the \$1,120 UC SHIP fee for fall quarter by October 5. Other fees will be added to your account throughout the quarter. Refer to our email [7 UCSB EAP- Health Insurance, Immunizations, Payments](#) for details.

- **Immunizations**

If you have not yet submitted your immunization records to Student Health please do so immediately. If you need to you can receive some vaccinations after you arrive at UCSB. Information and instructions can be found here: <http://studenthealth.sa.ucsb.edu/medical-services/immunization-information>. **If your immunization requirement is not complete by mid-October your registration will be blocked.** If you have any questions please contact SHSEntranceImmunizations@sa.ucsb.edu.

All of our previous emails are posted on our [website](#) for easy reference.

If you have any questions please feel free to ask!

Best,
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