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Fall 2017-Spring 2018

<p><b>University of Hawaii - Hilo</b></p>	
Name of University	University of Hawaii - Hilo
Location	<p>Hilo on the Island of Hawaii (Big Island)  Hilo is located on the northernmost island of the Hawaiian Island chain. Hilo is a city of about 40,000 people and located on Hilo Bay on the northeast coast. Hilo is the second largest city on the island of Hawaii. Hilo is located about 100 miles north of Honolulu, the capital of Hawaii. Hilo is the largest city on the Big Island. The climate is semi-arid with annual rainfall of about 17-29 inches. Hilo can be reached by a 45 minute air plane flight from Honolulu.</p> <p>For more information about Hilo and the Big Island see:  <a href="http://www.hilo.hawaii.edu">http://www.hilo.hawaii.edu</a></p>
Total number of students	About 3,800. About 7% are international students from 40 countries.
Website	<p>University: <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu">http://hilo.hawaii.edu</a></p> <p><a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/international/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/international/</a></p> <p>English Language Institute: <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/academic/eli/index.html">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/academic/eli/index.html</a></p> <p>International Student Service: <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/international/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/international/</a></p>
<p><b>Academic Year</b></p>	
Academic Year	<p>Fall 2017 Semester:  Orientation: August 14 - August 19 (enrollment)  Classes: August 21 - December 15</p> <p>Spring 2018 Semester:  Orientation: January 2 - January 6 (enrollment)  Classes: January 8 - May 11</p>
<p><b>Application Deadline</b></p>	
Application Deadline	<p>Fall 2017 Semester: April 1, 2017  Spring 2018 Semester: October 1, 2017</p>
Academic Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor's degree and one year of college completion.</li> <li>• Entrance into a major requires a 61 iBT TOEFL score or an IELTS score of 5.5. Students who do not meet these requirements will be admitted into English Language Institute and enrolled in the ESL classes here.</li> </ul>

<p>A lica ion P oced e</p>	<p>1. Le e of Nomina ion (link on Global E change eb age) <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/Inernational/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/Inernational/</a></p> <p>2. A lica ion (link on Global E change eb age) <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/Inernational/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/Inernational/</a></p> <p>3. S llemen a Info ma ion Fo m fo In e na ional S den (link on Global E change eb age) <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/Inernational/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/Inernational/</a></p> <p>4. Bank S a emen S den need o o ide a bank a emen indica ing ha a on o ha f nd o co e he co of i ion and li ing e en e hile he den a e in he Uni ed S a e . T o Seme e : \$ 36,112 One Seme e : \$ 18,100</p> <p>5. Pa o co</p> <p>6. Academic an ci in Engli h</p> <p>7. Engli h Lang age Te Sco e 1) TOEFL co e ( a e , com e o in e ne ) 2) IELTS co e 3) Eiken co e</p> <p>8. Ho ing A lica ion Fo m (link on Global E change eb age) <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/Inernational/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/echange/Inernational/</a></p>
<p>Mailing add e fo A lica ion</p>	<p>Uni e i of Ha aii a Hilo Cen e fo Global Ed ca ion and E change 200 W. Ka ili S . Hilo, HI 96720 USA</p>
<p>Fa n mbe fo A lica ion</p>	<p>808-932-7487</p>
<p>Co e Ca alog e</p>	<p><a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/catalog/nde.gad.ae-co.e.html">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/catalog/nde.gad.ae-co.e.html</a> (ca alog) <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/hdad/aail.cla.e?i=HIL">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/hdad/aail.cla.e?i=HIL</a> (on-line co e li ing)</p>
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<b>ACCOMMODATION</b>	
Accommodation options	Exchange students can apply for on-campus dormitory housing or off-campus accommodation.  The University of Hawaii at Hilo cannot guarantee housing. However, we will assist students in locating suitable housing near campus. Due to the shortage of on-campus housing, international students must meet the application deadline for off-campus housing. Those who do not get on-campus housing will be assigned to the Center for Global Education and Exchange. Those who choose to make their own housing arrangements can use the housing office website for information about off-campus options.
Housing Office Website	<a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/housing/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/housing/</a>
Housing Office E-mail	<a href="mailto:hhhousing@hawaii.edu">hhhousing@hawaii.edu</a>
Application	Housing Application Form (\$10 application fee) See website for application: <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/exchange/international/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/exchange/international/</a>
Housing Application Priority Deadline	Fall 2017 Semester: March 1, 2017 Spring 2018 Semester: October 3, 2017
<b>COSTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b>	
Tuition Scholarship (If funding is available)	\$1,500 scholarship is available for eligible students.  Eligibility: Students must be nominated by home institution and institution scholarship must be a part of UH Hilo - a new exchange agreement. Students must have 79 TOEFL or a 6.5 IELTS. Criteria may be adjusted if scholarship is found elsewhere.
Finance	All international exchange students need to have health insurance coverage while here and living at UH Hilo. Visit the <a href="#">International Student Service website</a> for more information. ( )-4 eH\$2 17.56 e W n /C23.292 177.12.8 ET e W n -5 ( ) -5 ( -5 (g)

Other Events	<p>Tuition: The cost is \$1,000 for the individual. Many students receive a scholarship which ranges from \$150 to \$1,000. Some students receive a scholarship which can cost from \$2,500 and more. Students can also apply for financial aid. A valid Hawaii driver's license is required for the international student.</p>
Visa Information	<p>All exchange students must have a valid passport and an F-1 visa. The student will also need an I-20 form issued by the U.S. Embassy in Honolulu. Students must bring the I-20 and passport when entering the United States.</p>
Pre-Arrival Information	<p>Accepted students will be contacted by the Center for Global Education and Exchange at the University of Hawaii System. Students should read all information about arrival and orientation. Students should be prepared to read all email correspondence. Arrivals are available on designated dates for orientation. The date will be announced by email after the date has been accepted. Students should also be aware of the designated arrival date and take a taxi from the airport. The taxi is about 15 minutes from the airport and the taxi fare is \$15-\$20. Please visit the International Student Services website for more information: <a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/international/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/international/</a></p>

	<p>See video about UH Hilo at:</p> <p><a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/office/video.htm">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/office/video.htm</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m-jGVOOQ">http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m-jGVOOQ</a></p> <p><a href="http://hilo.hawaii.edu/exchange/international/">http://hilo.hawaii.edu/exchange/international/</a></p>
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**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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