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Fall 2017-Spring 2018

Name of University	University of Hawai'i at Hilo
Location	<p>Hilo on the Island of Hawai'i (Big Island) Hilo is located on the western side of the Hawaiian Island chain. Hilo is a city of about 40,000 people and located on Hilo Bay, the Pacific Ocean. Hilo is located on the western side of the Big Island. The temperature is in the 70s and 80s degrees Fahrenheit. Hilo can be reached by a 45 minute airplane flight from Honolulu.</p> <p>For more information about Hilo and the Big Island see: http://hilo.hawaii.edu</p>
Total number of students	About 3,800. About 7 percent are international students from 40 countries.
Website	<p>University: http://hilo.hawaii.edu</p> <p>http://hilo.hawaii.edu/academic/information/</p> <p>English Language Institute: http://hilo.hawaii.edu/academic/eli/index.php</p> <p>International Student Services: http://hilo.hawaii.edu/information/</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>
Application Deadline	<p>Fall 2017 Semester: April 1, 2017 Spring 2018 Semester: October 1, 2017</p>
Academic Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor's degree and one year of college completed. • Entrance in a major requires a 61 iBT TOEFL score or an IELTS score of 5.5. Students who do not have a minimum will be admitted into English Language Institute and required to take the ESL classes before placement.

Applica ion P oced e	<p>1. Le e of Nomina ion (link on Global E change ebpage) h p://hilo.hawaii.edu/e_change/In_e_na_ional/</p> <p>2. Applica ion (link on Global E change ebpage) h p://hilo.hawaii.edu/e_change/In_e_na_ional/</p> <p>3. S pplemen a Info ma ion Fo m fo In e na ional S den (link on Global E change ebpage) h p://hilo.hawaii.edu/e_change/In_e_na_ional/</p> <p>4. Bank S a emen S den need o p o ide a bank a emen indica ing ha a pon o ha f nd o co e he co of i ion and li ing e pen 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 po cop</p> <p>6. Academic an cip in Engli h</p> <p>7. Engli h Lang age Te Sco e 1) TOEFL co e (pape , comp e o in e ne) 2) IELTS co e 3) Eiken co e</p> <p>8. Ho ing Applica ion Fo m (link on Global E change ebpage) h p://hilo.hawaii.edu/e_change/In_e_na_ional/</p>
Mailing add e fo Applica ion	Uni e i of Hawaii a Hilo Cen e fo Global Ed ca ion and E change 200 W. Ka ili S . Hilo, HI 96720 USA
Fa n mbe fo Applica ion	808-932-7487
Co e Ca alog e	h p://hilo.hawaii.edu/catalog/nde_grad_ae-co_e.html (ca alog) h p://hilo.hawaii.edu/hdad/apply.cla_e?i=HIL (on-line co e li ing)
F ll- ime Academic Load	Minim m:

Accommodation option	<p>Exchange students can apply for on-campus dormitory housing or arrange off-campus accommodation.</p> <p>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 either on-campus housing. Those who do not get on-campus housing will be assigned by the Center for Global Education and Exchange. Those who choose to make their own housing arrangements can see the housing office website for information about off-campus options.</p>
Housing Office Website	http://hilo.hawaii.edu/housing/
Housing Office E-mail	hhhoee@hawaii.edu
Application	<p>Housing Application Form (\$10 application fee)</p> <p>See website for application: http://hilo.hawaii.edu/exchange/international/</p>
Housing Application Priority Deadline	<p>Fall 2017 Semester: March 1, 2017</p> <p>Spring 2018 Semester: October 3, 2017</p>
COSTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
Tuition Scholarship (If funding is available)	<p>\$1,500 scholarship per semester for eligible students.</p> <p>Eligibility: Students must be nominated by home institution and institution scholarship must be part of UH Hilo - partner exchange agreement. Students must have 79 TOEFL or a 6.5 IELTS. Criteria may be waived if scholarship funded.</p>
Insurance	<p>All international exchange students need to have health insurance coverage while here attending UH Hilo. Visit the International Student Service website to see</p>

Other Expense	Tuition: The cost is \$1.00 for the individual. Many students choose to buy a bicycle which ranges from \$150 to \$1,000. Some students buy a bicycle which can cost from \$2,500 and up. Students who cannot afford a bicycle legally acquired one at a store in the area and a valid Hawaii state driver's license or a valid international driver's license.	
Visa Information	All exchange students must have a valid passport and an F-1 visa. The student will provide an I-20 before departure from a U.S. Embassy or Consulate. Students bring the I-20 and passport when entering the United States.	
Pre-Arrival Information	Accepted students will be contacted by the Center for Global Education and Exchange at the University of Hawaii. Students will receive information about arrival and orientation. Students should be able to read all email correspondence. Applicants will be notified by email after they have been accepted. Students who are offered a place in the program can make a visit to the campus from the airport. The campus is about 15 minutes from the airport and the airfare costs \$15-\$20. Please visit the International Student Services website for more information: http://hilo.hawaii.edu/international/	
	See video about UH Hilo at: http://hilo.hawaii.edu/properties/video.php http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m-jGVO_OQ http://hilo.hawaii.edu/exchange/international/	
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