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# INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

Maybe you want to earn a degree in the U.S. Perhaps you want to study in the U.S. for a semester and have an internship experience before transferring credits back to your university. Or maybe you want to put your career on the fast track by perfecting your English. Whatever your goals, Chatham University has programs that can help you get to where you want to be, and have a great time doing it!



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#### **UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS**

Many majors may also be studied as a minor. For a full list of academic programs, visit chatham.edu/academics.

#### **SUSTAINABILITY**

Environmental Science Food Studies Sustainability: Natural Resource Management, Sustainable Technology, Sustainable Business & Management, Sustainable Policy & Communication

#### **HEALTH & WELLNESS**

Exercise Science Pathways to Nursing (BSN) Psychology RN-to-BSN (online) RN-to-MSN (online)

#### **BUSINESS & COMMUNICATIONS**

Accounting Applied Data Science Analytics Business Administration Communication: *Graphic Design, Human Communication, Journalism, Public Relations* Economics Healthcare and Business Management (online) International Business Management Management Information Systems Marketing

#### **ARTS & SCIENCES**

Arts Management Biochemistry Biology: Cell & Molecular Biology, Human Biology Chemistry Creative Writing (BFA) Criminology **Cultural Studies** Education, Pre-K-4/Early Elementary English History Immersive Media (beginning fall 2019) Interior Architecture International Studies: Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America, Middle East **Mathematics** Media Arts: Graphic Design, Film & Digital Technology, Photography Music Physics **Policy Studies** Political Science Social Services Administration Social Work Visual Arts: Art History, Studio Arts Women's and Gender Studies

#### **GRADUATE PROGRAMS**

#### SUSTAINABILITY

Master of Arts in Food Studies Master of Sustainability Master of Arts in Food Studies + MBA dual degree Master of Sustainability + MBA dual degree Executive Masters in Sustainability

#### **HEALTH & WELLNESS**

Doctor of Nursing Practice (online) Doctorate of Occupational Therapy (online) Doctor of Physical Therapy Doctor of Psychology in Counseling Psychology Master of Physicial Assistant Studies Master of Science in Athletic Training Entry-level Occupational Therapy program Master of Arts in Psychology Master of Science in Counseling Psychology Master of Science in Nursing: Nurse Educator Track for International Nurses, Informatics Nurse Track for International Nurses Master of Science in Biology

#### **BUSINESS & COMMUNICATIONS**

Master of Accounting Master of Business Administration Master of Communications Master of Professional Writing (online) Master of Healthcare Informatics

#### **WRITING & DESIGN**

Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing Master of Fine Arts in Film and Digital Technology Master of Fine Arts in Interdisciplinary Design Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Design Master of Science in Interior Architecture (online) Master of Interior Architecture

#### **EDUCATION**

Master of Arts in Teaching Master of Education (online)



# English Language Program

The English Language Program (ELP) at Chatham University is known for exceptional personal attention and strong commitment to student success.

#### **ELP FACT SHEET**

Number of levels	<ul> <li>Low Intermediate</li> <li>Intermediate</li> <li>High Intermediate</li> <li>Advanced</li> </ul>
Length of semester	12-14 weeks
Number of hours per week	18-20 hours
Start dates	• January • May • August
2017-2018 Tuition and fees per semester	\$5,392
Fulfills conditional admission (Students can start with the ELP and transition to a degree program without a TOEFL or IELTS score)	Yes
Pathway Program (Combination of ESL and credit courses)	Yes, for students with 61 TOEFL or 5.5 IELTS
Housing on campus	Yes, if applying early
Admission requirements	<ul> <li>Some basic English</li> <li>High school transcript</li> <li>Passport</li> <li>Financial proof</li> </ul>

Learn more by visiting **www.chatham.edu/elp** or contacting **internationalaffairs@chatham.edu**.



# Pittsburgh Pathways

Earn academic credits toward your degree while studying English! Pittsburgh Pathways prepares non-native English-speaking students to attend a degree program at Chatham or another university. Students enroll in Pittsburgh Pathways for two or three terms, depending on their language level. Pittsburgh Pathways offers:

- guaranteed admission to a degree program at Chatham
- a combination of ESL courses and academic courses
- up to 36 academic credits towards an undergraduate degree at Chatham or another college or university
- a living and learning experience on two beautiful and safe college campuses
- · social and cultural activities inside and outside the classroom

For more information on the Pittsburgh Pathways, including tuition and fees, please visit **www.chatham.edu/pittsburghpathways** or contact **internationalaffairs@chatham.edu**.

Students in Chatham's international programs come from China, India, Japan, South Korea, Vietnam, Colombia, Thailand, and 18 other counties.

# Chatham Semester

Come to the United States to study for a semester or year! The Chatham Semester is open to undergraduate students from outside the United States who are not seeking degrees at Chatham. Credits earned at Chatham transfer back to your home university. You can study in the Chatham Semester program for one or two semesters. Participants take regular academic classes with American students, and all courses are taught in English. Seats are normally available in nearly all academic subjects.

# Chatham International Internship (CII)

Gain professional experience by participating in an academic internship for a semester! Qualified students who are participating in the Chatham Semester can follow their classroom learning with real-world experience by doing a semester-long Chatham International Internship. The CII is full-time, and students may intern for up to 40 hours per week. Internships might be paid or unpaid.

The semester before the internship, student will take a Career Preparation course that will teach them how to write an American-style resume and cover letter. It will also cover:

- interviewing techniques
- professional networking
- developing a professional web presence
- writing a professional statement
- managing conflict in the workplace
- making ethical decisions

During the internship semester, students will take a course that meets once per week in which they will receive support from the Office of Career Development and their faculty advisor. During this course, students will:

- reflect upon and discuss their internship experience
- talk about how to deal with unexpected situations and solve problems
- examine motivation and independence



### Where have international students at Chatham interned in the past?

Chatham international and exchange students have interned at the following sites:

- WQED
- Global Solutions Pittsburgh
- Green Building Alliance
- Good Shepherd Veterinary Hospital
- League of Women Voters
- Center for Women's Entrepreneurship
- Eastman Tribe Interiors

### **APPLYING**

#### Requirements and deadlines

Deadline to enroll

Grade Point Average (on a 4-point scale)

Standardizes language exam scores

What else?

#### What application materials do I need to submit?

Completed online application, including GPA and standardized test scores

Official transcript from all universities attended

At least one letter of recommendation

Copy of passport

Proof of financial support

Admission essay or Statement of Intent

	English Language Program	Pittsburgh Pathways	Chatham Semester	Chatham International Internship	
	• Fall: July 1 • Spring: November 1 • Summer: March 1	• Fall: July 1 • Spring: November 1 • Summer: March 1	• Fall: April 1 • Spring: November 1	• Fall: April 1 • Spring: November 1	
	Not applicable	Not applicable	2.5	3.0	
	Not applicable	61 TOEFL or 5.5 IELTS	550/79 on TOEFL, 6 on IELTS*	550/79 on TOEFL, 6 on IELTS	
	<ul> <li>Have completed secondary education (high school)</li> <li>Have some basic English</li> </ul>	Meet the conditional admission requirements of Chatham	Must be a degree seeking student at a university outside the United States	At least two (2) years of full-time enrollment as an undergraduate	
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	Х	Х	Х	X	
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\*If your language scores fall under the requirement, you may be required to either take both academic courses and English language courses or complete Chatham's ELP program before you are eligible for the Chatham Semester.

### LIFE AT CHATHAM



### International Student & Scholar Services

Chatham is authorized by the U.S. government to issue immigration certificates of eligibility (I-20 & DS 2019) for qualified students and scholars in both the F and J categories. Our professional staff will work with you from the time you apply through the time you are interning or applying for work authorization in the U.S. Throughout your stay, there are ongoing orientations, workshops and seminars on immigration regulations and how to be a successful student.

### Living Options

Shadyside Campus houses approximately 500 undergraduates and 100 graduate students in a mixture of traditional residence halls and apartments. The residence halls located on the upper portion of campus are rich in tradition and beauty, while the apartments offer a balance of independent living, residence life amenities, and services. Depending on your program, there are opportunities for living with a host family in the city of Pittsburgh.

# Extracurricular Activities

Chatham offers an array of educational programs, activities, trips, and excursions to integrate students into the campus life and city. Shadyside Campus is home to the Athletic and Fitness Center, featuring squash courts, a climbing wall, an eight-lane swimming pool, whirlpool, sauna, and steam-room along with gym equipment and a yoga/dance studio. It also offers Café Rachel, the Carriage House with TV and juice bar, and plenty of grassy spaces for playing Frisbee, enjoying the sun, or just relaxing with friends.

### **ABOUT CHATHAM UNIVERSITY**



Chatham University is **consistently ranked as a best college** by U.S. News & World Report in the Regional Universities North category. Chatham is a private university founded in 1869 and has three distinct locations: Shadyside Campus, Chatham Eastside, and Eden Hall Campus.

Chatham is large enough to deliver strong academic programs and experience-based learning opportunities, yet small enough to allow each student to receive personalized attention. The average student-to-faculty ratio is 10:1 at the undergraduate level. Chatham offers over 60 **undergraduate and graduate programs** in our areas of excellence: sustainability; health & wellness; business & communications; and the arts & sciences. We offer academic challenge, and plenty of support. With our small size, committed faculty, and local connections, we can offer students opportunities that bigger schools cannot.

Chatham's programs offer a combination of liberal arts skills (like effective communication and critical thinking) and professional preparation (like internships and networking opportunities) that prepare students to be leaders in the fields that they're passionate about.

#### Selection of Awards



Visit www.chatham.edu/about to learn about all of our awards and accolades

### Chatham's locations

Shuttles runs throughout the day between Shadyside Campus and Chatham Eastside and Eden Hall Campus for students to attend classes, events, and other activities. **All locations offer round-the-clock safety and security.** 

The historic **SHADYSIDE CAMPUS** encompasses a 32-acre arboretum and is one of the most idyllic locations in the city of Pittsburgh. Built using elements designed for the original Andrew Mellon estate, Chatham's Shadyside Campus is home to the School of Arts, Science & Business and is home to many beautiful trees, charming mansions, and roaming animals. Shadyside is 15 minutes from downtown Pittsburgh and within walking distance to vibrant neighborhoods like Shadyside, Squirrel Hill, and Oakland.

A mile from Shadyside Campus, **CHATHAM** Health Sciences, and is in the heart of one of neighborhoods. Eastside is just down the road Pittsburgh office.





**EASTSIDE** is home to the School of Pittsburgh's fastest-growing and historic from Bakery Square, home to Google's The 388-acre **EDEN HALL CAMPUS**, home to the Falk School of Sustainability & Environment, is the world's first academic campus built for the study of the environment and sustainability. Eden Hall is a living-learning campus, which doesn't just house classrooms, but is a classroom. It uses environmentally responsible technologies to reduce carbon emissions, manage waste on campus, and produce more energy than it consumes. Eden Hall is located in Richland, Pennsylvania, about a 40-minute shuttle ride from Shadyside.



Pittsburgh is an American success story—a city once reliant on steel manufacturing transformed into an education and medical hub with a focus on technology and sustainability—a big city with small-town safety,



charm, and hospitality. Pittsburgh is frequently voted one of the most livable cities in the United States. Diverse and cosmopolitan, Pittsburgh has about 310,000 residents, including over 7,000 international students studying at its universities. Like to attend major sporting events? Visit a world-class zoo or amusement park? Chatham is in a great location, offering students the comforts of a peaceful campus with access to a vibrant city and activities within minutes. In Pittsburgh, you'll find a wide range of cultural offerings, such as the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra, Pittsburgh Opera, ballet, art museums (including the Carnegie Museum of Art and the Andy Warhol Museum), and many shopping opportunities. The beautiful 640-acre Frick Park is a 15-minute walk from campus and has many trails for hiking and mountain biking. You can explore exciting caves, take hikes in pristine landscapes, and go camping and white water rafting in one of the many nearby state parks. Pittsburgh is home to several professional sports teams including the Pittsburgh Steelers, Pirates, and Penguins.



Many of Chatham's campus buildings (including residence halls) are historic mansions in the upscale Pittsburgh neighborhoods of Shadyside and Squirrel Hill. These small, friendly neighborhoods are located just minutes from the arts and commerce of Pittsburgh. The culinary scene is exceptional with regional and international cuisines. All Chatham students receive bus passes that permit easy access to the amenities of the city. You can also rent a bicycle from Chatham's bike shop. Chatham is a short ride from the Pittsburgh International Airport, which has easy connections to other major U.S. cities and international destinations.



# **Quick Facts**

#### LOCATIONS

- Shadyside Campus
- Chatham Eastside
- Eden Hall Campus

#### **ENROLLMENT**

- Total: 2,269
- Graduate: 1,061
- Undergraduate: 1,208

#### DIVERSITY

- Chatham students come from 47 states and 24 foreign countries
- Minority: 16.1%
- International: 4.8%

#### **PROGRAMS OF STUDY**

- Undergraduate Degree Majors: 42
- Master Degree Programs: 26
- Doctoral Degree Programs: 4

#### **STUDENT TO FACULTY RATIO**

• Total University, 10 to 1

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