

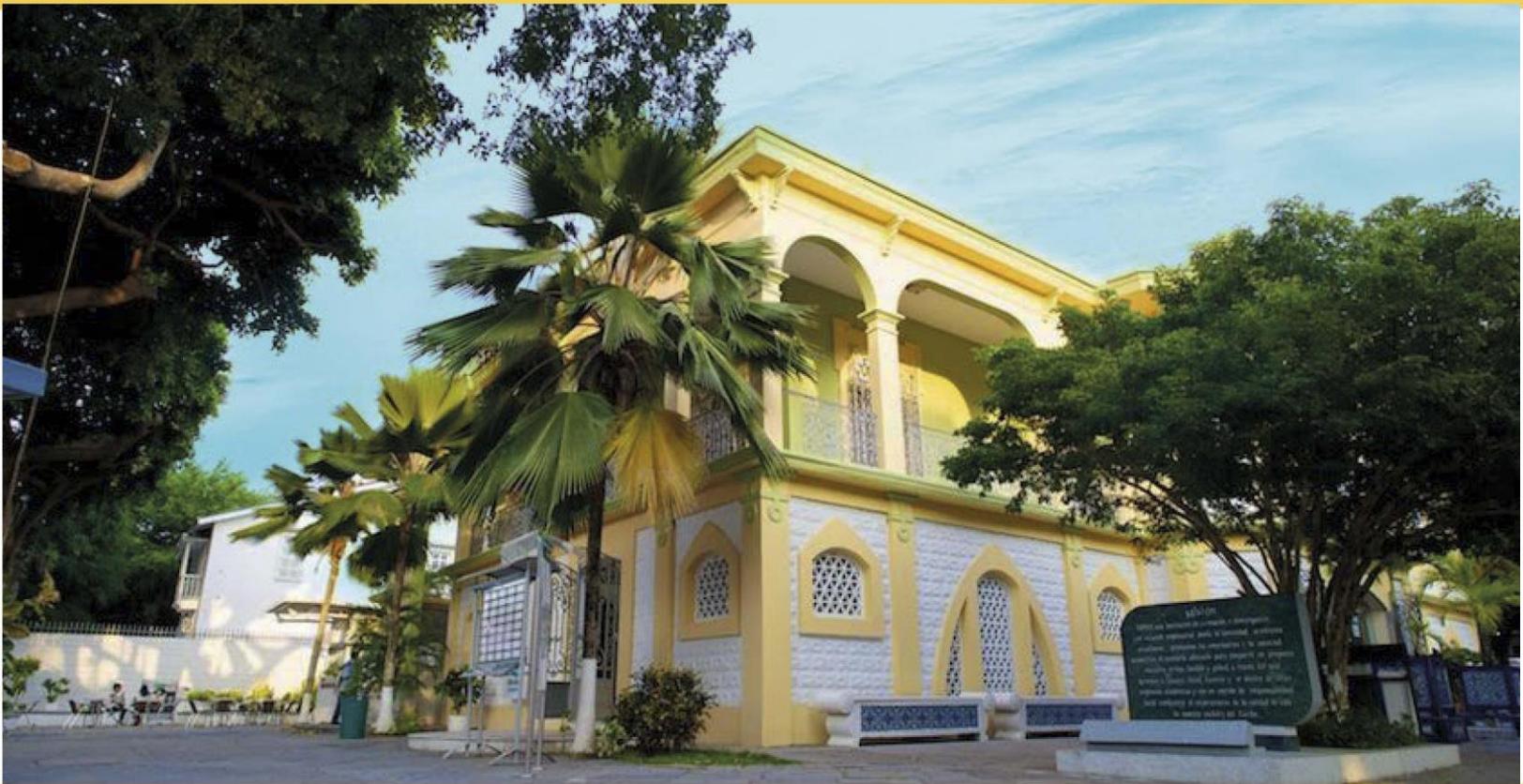


# Universidad Tecnológica de Bolívar

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CARTAGENA DE INDIAS

# STUDY ABROAD IN CARTAGENA / COLOMBIA



## EXCHANGE PROGRAM – UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLÓGICA DE BOLÍVAR (UTB)

### Overview

**Universidad Tecnológica de Bolívar (UTB)** is a private, non-profit higher education institution, founded in 1970 and managed by the most important business associations in the region. The UTB exchange program offers an excellent study abroad opportunity for international students in Cartagena de Indias, Colombia. This study abroad initiative allows students from partner universities around the world to directly enroll for one semester, up to twenty credits at UTB. The International office provides a buddy program and city tours.

<https://programas.UTB.EDU.CO/PREGRADO>



## LOCATION

Cartagena de Indias is a fascinating place to study. Declared by UNESCO as a World Historical and Cultural Heritage site in 1984, Cartagena combines its rich history and culture with a large industrial complex that includes petrochemicals, bio-fuels and agro industry, as well as maritime ports, logistic centers and shipyards.

Cartagena is a prized tourist destination, visited by people from all over the world. It has developed a large hotel infrastructure and hosts many international cultural events, such as the Hay Festival, an International Music Festival, the Cartagena Film Festival and many more. Cartagena is also a great place for sports. It hosts multiple tournaments, such as windsurfing, sailing and yachting. All of the above offers students, faculty, and visitors to Universidad Tecnológica de Bolívar an unforgettable academic and cultural experience.

# WHY STUDY IN COLOMBIA?

## **Experience the Quality of our Education:**

LEARN in one of Colombia's best universities.

## **LIVE the warmth of our people:**

Colombia is the result of a unique history which created a blend of Spanish, Indigenous and African customs, and Colombia is considered one of the happiest nations on earth.

## **Explore the Beauty of our landscapes:**

Colombia is the only South American country facing two oceans and is home to all major Latin American types of ecosystems, from the Amazon to the Andes, from the pristine Caribbean beaches to the waves of the Pacific.

## **Enjoy Colombia's cultural richness:**

Thanks to more than 40 folklore festivals and carnivals that are organized each year, Colombia is one of the most diverse artistic, cultural, and gastronomical scenes in Latin America.

## **Discover the richness of our Biodiversity:**

Colombia is one of the World's Mega Diverse countries, it has around 14% of the planet's diversity.

## **Feel the magic of our culture:**

A beautiful combination of nature, people, culture and knowledge makes Colombia a great campus for students looking to challenge their understanding of the world we live in.



# PROGRAMS OF STUDY

## UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

### School of Engineering

Industrial Engineering  
Civil Engineering  
Electronic Engineering  
Mechatronic Engineering  
Mechanical Engineering  
Computer Engineering  
Environmental Engineering  
Electrical Engineering  
Chemical  
Naval and Ocean Engineering

## GRADUATE PROGRAMS

### MASTER'S DEGREES

Culture and Development  
International Business  
Tourism Management  
Business Administration (MBA)  
Marketing  
Finances  
Environment and Development  
Finance  
Applied Statistics  
Innovation Management  
Engineering  
Integrated Logistics  
Production Engineering  
Project Management

### School Business

Finance and International Business  
Business Administration  
Accounting

### Institute of Studies in Development, Economy and Sustainability (IDEEAS)

Economics

### School of Humanities and Social Sciences

Communication  
Psychology  
Political Science and International Relations  
Law  
Bioinformatics  
Human and Organizational Development  
Education

## DOCTORAL DEGREE

Engineering



# APPLYING TO UTB EXCHANGE PROGRAM

## Applying to UTB exchange program

### Application Deadlines:

Spring semester (February – June): October 30

Fall semester (August – December): April 30

### Requirements:

- Application form:  
<https://forms.gle/FQb628CZYKLgPqMF8>
- One photo (passport size).
- Official transcripts.
- Passport copy.
- Motivation letter addressed to the academic program explaining why you want to come to UTB (written in Spanish).
- Letter from your academic director or advisor (a proof that he/she agrees with the exchange).
- Learning agreements: letter with the list of course you want to study in the UTB signed by your program director.
- Language Proficiency Certificate (minimum B2).
- International health insurance (could be sent before traveling).

**Note:** Exchange Students are responsible for air tickets, monthly living expenses, textbooks, insurance and other personal expenses. Once you SUBMIT the documentation, the UTB will be answering YOUR REQUEST within 15 days. With the acceptance letter, STUDENTS will receive visa and traveling information.

## academic calendar

### SPRING TERM:

1st week of february-4th week of may

### FALL TERM:

1st week of august-1st week of December

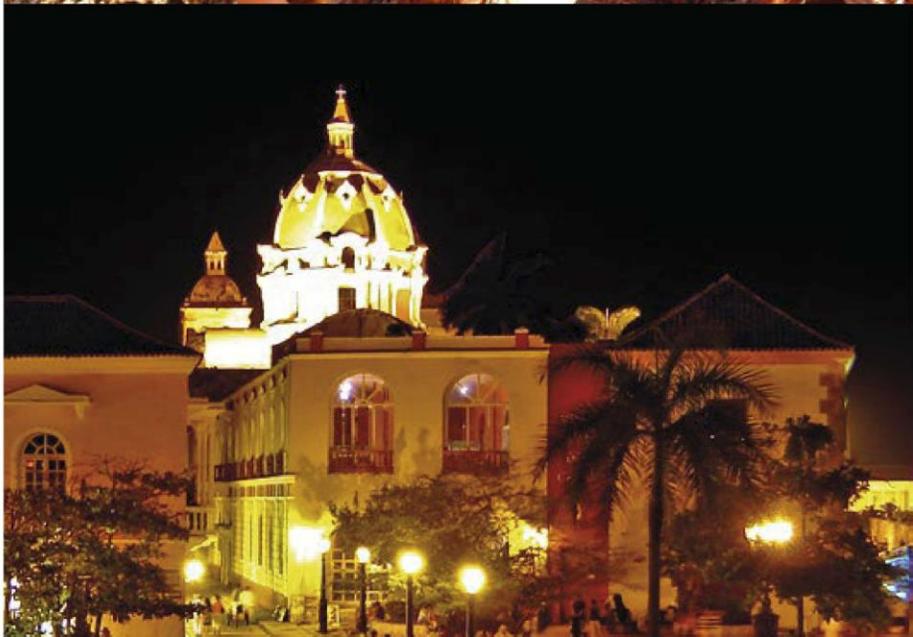
## living expenses in cartagena

**Room:** it depends if you want to live near Cartagena's downtown or outside the walled city.  
Average price **USD250 – USD300/monthly**

**Local transport:** USD100/monthly

**Meals:** USD200/monthly

**Other expenses:** USD100/monthly



“AND, WITH TIME, WHEN I HAVE TO CALL  
UP MEMORIES, I WILL ALWAYS BRING  
BACK AN INCIDENT FROM CARTAGENA,  
A PLACE IN CARTAGENA,  
A CHARACTER IN CARTAGENA.”

GABRIEL GARCÍA MARQUEZ

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