

**UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL DEL LITORAL
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT
PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE**

AUDIT STATUS FOREIGN STUDENTS

All foreign students who wish to perform an academic activity at the Universidad Nacional del Litoral, outside the prevailing Exchange Programs, are institutionally classified as "Audit Status Foreign Students".

1. Modalities

- a) To take some courses of a study.
- b) To do a research training, internship or fieldwork.

In both cases the UNL designates a member of the academic staff to act as academic coordinator or tutor of the activities, as appropriate.

2. Rates

- a) 150 Euros for each course taken.
- b) Other activities: 150 euros per month plus material expenses (if it were appropriate)

3. Letter of acceptance

In order to facilitate obtaining the visa, the UNL provides a letter of acceptance.

Information that must be included in the letter:

- 1) Activity to perform at the UNL.
- 2) Full (official) name of the University of origin.
- 3) Name of the Faculty or Institution of origin.
- 4) Name of the studies in course.
- 5) Zip code and fax number of the addressee.
- 6) Passport number.

It should be noted that the letter of acceptance has to be signed by the Rector of the UNL and then sent to the Ministry of Education to certify his signature. This procedure takes between 10 and 15 days and it is done by this Office.

4. Obtaining the student visa

According to the prevailing law, every foreign student must obtain his/her visa at the Consulate within his/her jurisdiction before being admitted into the country.

As stated in the Resolution 502/02 of the Ministry of the Interior of this country, foreigners willing to perform internships or funded activities, either an educational one, an specialization of university or college level, or an educational or academic exchange, are allowed to stay in the country for periods no longer than SIX (6) months, which can be extended only once THREE (3) more months before the national migratory authorities prior to its expiration.

In order to obtain the visas, the foreigners included in the previously mentioned regulations should fulfill the following requirements at the consulate:

- Valid passport
- Health and medical insurance
- Present a letter from the University of destination stating the activity to be performed in the Argentine Republic and the length of this activity. The letter in question should be appropriately

superintended by the Ministry of Education of the country (therefore, the letter of acceptance should be signed by the Rector of the University of destination).

- Proofs that you have the means to afford the stay in the Republic and also that you have a comprehensive health insurance valid during the length of your stay in the country.
- The cost of the visa to enter Argentina is approximately U\$S 54 (fifty-four American dollars)

5. Accommodation options (suggested)

- [1] RAE (Residencia de Alumnos Extranjeros) de la UNL
9 de julio 2655 – Santa Fe
Downtown (8 blocks from the Rectorship)

Type of accommodation: shared rooms (3 to 4 beds)

Facilities: kitchen, microwave oven, fridge with freezer compartment, cooking utensils, cable TV, personal computer with Internet.

Optional: Two meals provided by a catering service (not included in price).

Throughout the year, the RAE accommodates exchange students of different nationalities in a friendly atmosphere.

For more information contact: internacional@unl.edu.ar

Other options of accommodation:

- [2] Meridien Suites (Apart Hotel)
25 de mayo 2620
3000 – Santa Fe
Tel: +54 342 456-6111
Fax: +54 342 452-8966
E-mail: meridiensuites@arnet.com.ar
<http://usuarios.arnet.com.ar/meridiensuites>

- [3] Hotel Colon
San Luis 2862
Tel: +54 342 452-1586
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