

International Academic Advising Resources

Each undergraduate college has international academic advisors (IAAs) dedicated to working specifically with international students. These advisors work closely with students from matriculation to graduation to provide wide-ranging academic advising and cultural adaptation support.

The IAAs assist international students with understanding:

- degree and General Education requirements;
- first-year course scheduling;
- graduation requirement completion;
- academic difficulty and intervention;
- changing majors;
- the UCD grading system and academic expectations;
- transfer course and AP/IP/A-Level exam credit review;
- academic policies, regulations, and petitions; and
- how to navigate UCD and campus resources

Each college's IAA(s) also works closely with campus offices such as other college's IAA(s), campus first-year coordinators, International & Academic English (IAE), Services for International Students and Scholars (SISS) and Global Affairs, Entry-Level Writing, Orientation and Housing, Summer Start, Undergraduate Education, and Student Affairs.

They serve as the primary point of contact for international students throughout their academic career at UC Davis. The IAAs' collaborative partnerships help to determine and implement best practices for the special student population they serve.

Specific Resources for Faculty:

The resource FAQ can be loaded as a page into a Canvas site; this is designed to provide information on general academic, health and wellness, career/internship, and community resources for students. Please link to the site below for information about the FAQ and how to load it to a Canvas site or use it in a course syllabus:

<https://ebeler.faculty.ucdavis.edu/resources/>

International Academic Advising Contact Information

College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences – Undergraduate Academic Programs

150 Mrak Hall

Business Hours: Monday – Friday 8am – 12pm and 1pm – 5pm

Drop in Advising Hours: Monday – Friday 9am – 12pm and 1:30pm – 4pm, except Wednesday mornings

Student Contact Information

Email: caesadvising@ucdavis.edu

Phone: (530) 752-0108

<https://caes.ucdavis.edu/students/advising>

<https://caes.ucdavis.edu/students/advising/internationalstudents>

Faculty Contact Information

Email: bhorton@ucdavis.edu

Phone: (530) 752-4949

College of Biological Sciences – Biology Academic Success Center

1023 Sciences Lab Building

Business Hours: Monday – Thursday 9am – 12pm and 1pm – 5pm; Friday 10am – 12pm and 1pm – 3pm

Student Contact Information

Email: jkdavis@ucdavis.edu

Phone: (530) 752-0410

<https://basc.biology.ucdavis.edu/res/intl>

Faculty Contact Information

Email: msaldana@ucdavis.edu

Phone: (530) 752-6657

<https://basc.biology.ucdavis.edu/>

College of Engineering – Undergraduate Office

150 Kemper Hall

Business Hours: Monday – Friday 8am – 5pm

Drop-in Advising Hours: Monday – Friday 1pm – 4pm

Student Contact Information

Email: engugrad@ucdavis.edu

Phone: (530) 752-1979

<http://engineering.ucdavis.edu/undergraduate/international-student-advising/>

Faculty Contact Information

Email: jwdade@ucdavis.edu

Phone: (530) 752-8009

College of Letters and Science – Undergraduate Education and Advising

200 Social Sciences and Humanities Building

Business Hours: Monday – Friday 8am – 12pm and 1pm – 5pm

Advising Hours: Monday; Wednesday-Friday 9am – 12pm and 1pm – 4pm (Tuesday 10am – 12pm and 1pm – 4pm)

Student Contact Information

Email: Lsinternational@ucdavis.edu

Phone: (530) 752-0392

<https://ls.ucdavis.edu/resources-international-students>

Faculty Contact Information

Email: Lcgraening@ucdavis.edu

Phone: (530) 752-5653

<https://ls.ucdavis.edu/advising>