

THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES

ST. AUGUSTINE

Information Sheet For Specially Admitted/Occasional Students

General Information

- If you are registered at another University and wish to follow courses at The UWI by special arrangement for credits at your own University.
- If you are sponsored by your Government or employer to read certain courses, as not for credit towards a University qualification.
- If you are a UWI graduate wishing to pursue a specific course/s to equip yourself for a particular job; increase your efficiency in the performance of a job, satisfy entry requirements to a programme at The UWI or in another institution; or update or improve your knowledge in a subject.
- Normally, a specially admitted student will be allowed to take no more than 12 credits in an academic year, and no more than a total of 24 credits under this category of registration.
- Specially admitted students are permitted to write examinations in the courses for which they have registered.
- Occasional students are not permitted to write examinations in the course(s) for which they are registered.

Application Procedure and Application Deadlines:

Full details on how to apply and deadline dates for applications are available on The UWI Website: http://sta.uwi.edu/admissions/apply/dom_enrollsa.asp.

Application forms can be downloaded from the following website at http://sta.uwi.edu/admissions/apply/dom_enrollsa.asp.

Application forms should be carefully completed in duplicate and returned with the required supporting documentation to:-

The Senior Assistant Registrar Student Affairs (Admissions) The University of the West Indies St. Augustine Campus Trinidad & Tobago W.I.

Documents Required – [Copies Certified by Secondary School/Vice-Principal or Notary Public]

- (i) Birth Certificate
- (ii) Marriage Certificate (where applicable)
- (iii) Legal Affidavit or Deed Poll, if present name is different from that on the Birth Certificate and/or academic certificate(s)
- (iv) Academic Certificates (GCE/CXC/Other)
- (v) CSEC/CAPE (CXC)/GCE Grade Slips (Accepted <u>Only</u> in cases where certificates are not yet available)
- (vi) Professional Certificate/Diploma
- (vii) An up-to-date official *transcript
- (viii) A statement of intent: Reasons for reading courses indicated

 $^{{}^*}T$ ranscripts should be sent directly from the awarding Institution.

^{*}UWI graduates need not request transcripts.

Application Fee:

The non-refundable application fee of TT\$90.00 (US\$30.00 for non-Caribbean applicants) must be submitted with the completed application forms. The application fee **must** be paid at any Branch of Republic Bank Ltd on the Application Deposit slip provided. If mailed, the fee should be submitted by Bank Draft made payable to <u>"The</u> University of the West Indies".

English Language Requirement:

Applicants whose first language is not English are required to furnish satisfactory evidence that your competency in English is adequate.

EITHER

The Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) Certificate with a score of 500 or greater on the paper-based test (82 computer-based).

OR

A certificate showing a minimum score of 6.5 on the University of Cambridge International English Language Testing System (IELTS).

Financial Information:

Financial information is available on The UWI, St. Augustine Campus Website: https://sta.uwi.edu/admissions/financial/fees_ocsa.asp.

Note that this category of registration is NOT covered by Government Assistance for Tuition Expenses (GATE) Programme.

NOTES:

- 1. This category of registration is **NOT** covered by Government Assistance for Tuition Expenses (GATE) programme.
- 2. Documents which are defaced or which appear to be altered in any way **WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**.
- 3. The submission of documents in support of applications or the applications themselves for admission and/or registration that are forged, fraudulent, altered from the original, obtained under false pretenses or otherwise deceptive is prohibited.
- 4. The University reserves the right to reject an application for admission, withdraw an offer and/or prohibit registration if the offer for admission is found to be based in whole or in part on deception or fraud.
- 5. Transcripts for professional Certificates, Diplomas and/or University degrees are must be submitted directly from the granting Institution to the Senior Assistant Registrar, Student Affairs (Admissions), UWI St. Augustine campus, Trinidad & Tobago W.I.
- 6. It is the responsibility of the applicant to request and ensure that such transcripts are forwarded to the UWI-Admissions Office by the stipulated deadline.

The Registry UWI St. Augustine 2014/04/22