

Marbella International University Centre (MIUC)

Frequently Asked Questions

For Prospective Students

1. About MIUC and Your Degree

What is MIUC?

Marbella International University Centre (MIUC) was established in 2014 and is located in Marbella, in the province of Málaga, southern Spain.

What degree will I receive?

Students on eligible programmes receive a UK degree awarded by the University of West London (UWL).

Is my degree internationally recognised?

The United Kingdom is a member of the European Higher Education Area (EHEA), which promotes the comparability and recognition of higher education qualifications across participating countries. UWL awards recognised UK degrees. Recognition in other countries depends on local regulations.

What is the relationship between MIUC and UWL?

MIUC has a long-standing academic partnership with the University of West London (UWL), delivering programmes leading to degrees awarded by UWL.

2. Programmes and Teaching

What programmes does MIUC offer?

MIUC offers undergraduate and postgraduate programmes. Contact us for the current programme list.

What is the language of instruction?

All courses are taught in English.

How long does it take to complete a degree?

Undergraduate (UG) programmes typically take 3 years (6 semesters), while postgraduate (PG) Master's programmes typically take 1 year (2 semesters), students have another 3 to 5 months to finish up their thesis and prepare for its defense.

What is the teaching methodology?

MIUC combines academic learning with practical, career-oriented education.

Does each student have a personal tutor?

Yes. Each student is assigned a personal tutor who provides individual guidance and support throughout the academic year.

What is the general daily schedule?

Classes are normally held Monday to Thursday. Fridays are dedicated to self-study, group assignments, meetings with lecturers and extracurricular activities.

3. Admissions and Fees

How do I apply to MIUC?

Complete the online application form and submit the following documents:

- A copy of your passport or ID.
- A passport-sized digital photograph.
- Your academic certificates and transcripts.
- A 500-word Statement of Purpose.
- Proof of English proficiency, if required.
- MA students need to provide a copy of their CV.

Undergraduate (UG) applicants must provide their high school qualifications, while postgraduate (PG) applicants must provide their bachelor's degree qualifications.

Once your documents have been reviewed, you will be invited to a short admissions interview. Successful applicants will receive an acceptance letter. Alba Education Partners can assist you throughout the admissions process, including preparing your application and providing guidance and support for your admissions interview with no cost for the candidates. Contact us at info@albaeducationpartners.org

What are the tuition fees for the 2026/2027 academic year?

- Undergraduate (UG) programmes: €20,800 per academic year.
- Postgraduate (PG) programmes: €21,300 per academic year.
- Registration fee: €1,200 (one-time, non-refundable).

What level of English is required?

Applicants must demonstrate sufficient English proficiency. Specific requirements depend on the programme.

Are scholarships or payment plans available?

Contact MIUC's admissions team to enquire about financial support. There are payment plans available and early-payment discounts available.

When can I start my studies?

MIUC offers two intakes per year:

- Fall Intake: October.
- Spring Intake: February.

For 2026/2027, application deadlines are the last week of September 2026 and the first week of February 2027, respectively for EU students. For non-EU students and considering the visa process, students are required to deposit the documents at the embassy or consulate minimum 60 days before the commencement of the semester.

Can I transfer to MIUC from another university?

Yes. MIUC welcomes transfer students. Its academic team will review your transcripts and assess which credits can be transferred, allowing you to continue your studies in Marbella.

4. Living and Studying in Marbella

Why study in Marbella?

Marbella offers an international environment, a Mediterranean lifestyle and excellent international connections. Málaga-Costa del Sol Airport, approximately 40 minutes away by car, is Spain's fourth-busiest airport, offering flights to over 150 destinations worldwide.

What is the student profile at MIUC?

MIUC offers a truly international learning environment, bringing together students from **over 70 nationalities**. You will study alongside peers from diverse cultural backgrounds, building a global network of contacts and friendships.

Does MIUC provide accommodation assistance?

Contact MIUC's admissions team for information about accommodation options.

Do I need a student visa?

Visa requirements depend on your nationality and residency status. Alba Education Partners can provide guidance and support with no cost for the candidates throughout the student visa process, including advice on the documentation and requirements you may need to consider. For further information or personalised support, contact us at info@albaeducationpartners.org.

5. Career Opportunities

Does MIUC offer internships or career support?

Contact us to learn about the career services and internship opportunities available for your programme.

Can I pursue postgraduate studies after graduating?

Yes, subject to the admission requirements of your chosen university and programme.

Interested in studying at MIUC?

Alba Education Partners can guide you through the admissions process, from your initial enquiry to your admissions interview. Contact us at info@albaeducationpartners.org

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