



SPELMAN/ MOREHOUSE EXCHANGE PROGRAM



APPLICATION

UC San Diego

ABOUT THE EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Spelman and Morehouse Colleges are two, historically black, liberal arts colleges located in Atlanta, GA. Spelman College, a women's college, and Morehouse College, a men's college, belong to the Atlanta University Consortium, Inc. (AUC). The AUC allows students to take classes at other member colleges, including students participating in the exchange program.

UC San Diego students may participate in the exchange program for fall quarter/semester, winter and spring quarters/spring semester, or one full academic year.

To be eligible to participate in the Exchange program, students must have a 2.7 UC GPA, and have completed a minimum of 66 quarter units by the time of application. Students must complete 90 quarter units prior to the start of the exchange quarter.

All registration, meals, housing and fees (if required) will be paid to the home institution. If you attend Morehouse College, you will be required to pay housing if there is not an equal exchange of students between the campuses. Students participating in the exchange program are responsible for their travel expenses to and from Atlanta, as well as any personal expenses.

APPLICATION CRITERIA

**2015-2016 Academic Year Application Deadline:
February 6, 2015 at 4:00PM**

In order to apply to the exchange program, you must complete:

- Exchange program application
- One-page statement of purpose:
Please share why you would like to participate in the exchange program, and what you hope to gain through the experience.
- Two letters of recommendation, one of which must come from a faculty member. (Please refer to the Reference Form)

When submitting your application, please be sure to schedule an interview appointment at the TMC Academic Advising front desk.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Thurgood Marshall College Academic Advising

Phone: (858) 534-4110

E-mail: tmexchange@ucsd.edu

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Legal Name: _____

Preferred Name: _____ PID : _____

Local Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Permanent Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

Campus E-mail Address: _____ Primary Phone: _____

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Home College: _____ Total Units Completed: _____ UC GPA: _____

Major: _____ Major GPA: _____

Second Major (if applicable): _____ Second Major GPA: _____

Minor (if applicable): _____ Anticipated Quarter of Graduation: _____

EXCHANGE PREFERENCES

Campus: Spelman College Anticipated Exchange Term: Fall Quarter/ Fall Semester

Morehouse College Winter and Spring Quarters/
Spring Semester

Please share what academic areas you would be interested in studying during the exchange:

Please confirm that the following documents have been included with your exchange program application form:

Personal Statement

Unofficial transcript

By signing this application, you affirm that the above information is accurate at the time of submission. Additionally, you agree that the contents of your application (including this form, personal statement, unofficial transcript and letters of recommendation) can be shared with members of the UC San Diego – Spelman/Morehouse Exchange Program Committee for review.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

TO THE APPLICANT

Applicants are advised that the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974 accords them the right to review the recommendation unless that right is waived. While applicants are not required to make such a waiver, they are further advised that some individuals may not be willing to supply a recommendation in its absence.

I have requested that this recommendation be completed by: _____
(Name of Reference)

In accordance with FERPA, I hereby:

Waive access to this faculty reference which should be considered confidential.

Do not waive access to this faculty reference.

Applicant Name _____ PID: _____

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

TO THE REFERENCE

The selection committee for the Spelman/Morehouse Exchange program seeks to send students to these institutions who have demonstrated their ability to perform academically. It would be very helpful to the committee if you would provide an assessment of this applicant's academic abilities (if applicable), special strengths and weaknesses, appropriateness for the exchange program and any other relevant information which would aid the committee in its evaluation process.

When submitting your letter of recommendation, please include this form with your letter of recommendation, sign across the envelope seal and return to:

Thurgood Marshall College
c/o Spelman/Morehouse Exchange Program
University of California, San Diego
9500 Gilman Drive, MC 0509
La Jolla, CA 92093-0509