Inter-American Summer Institute

Admissions Requirements
To be accepted, you must:
• Be 16 years of age or have completed the junior year of high school by the date the program begins
• Demonstrate through the submission of official high school or other transcript the completion of at least three years of intensive study of English with satisfactory grades in the subject of English
• Provide official high school transcripts (one copy in English and one in the original language)

Applications are due by April 15!

Requirements:
• Complete online application
• 300-500 word personal statement
• Provide official high school transcripts (one copy in English and one in the original language)
• Complete an online application
• $75 non-refundable application fee

Get a jumpstart on college in the U.S.!
The Inter-American Summer Institute is...

Located on the campus of California’s first university, students get the feel of college life all year long. By taking courses, you’ll learn about college-level thinking and work toward meeting the responsibility you’ll experience when you get here.

On Pacific’s Main Campus

An Investment in a College Future.

In addition to the full academic schedule and English language immersion, Summer Institute scholars will experience the sights, history and culture of Central California through travel for scientific enrichment and outdoor adventures, including outings to San Francisco, the state capitol in Sacramento, the famous Yosemite National Park, Silicon Valley and other famous attractions of the Golden State.

In 1951 and located in Stockton, California, Pacific consistently ranks among U.S. News and World Report’s "50 Great Schools at Great Prices" and "Top 100 Colleges in the U.S." Pacific offered the first undergraduate degree program in Inter-American Studies in the U.S. taught entirely in Spanish, and its tradition of Inter-American education and cooperation has attracted many hemispheric leaders and scholars to the campus which was ranked among the ten most beautiful in the U.S. in 2010.

The Summer Institute is an on-campus living and learning program designed to prepare summer scholars for success as university students. ESL course work will be supplemented by activities with Conversation Buddies. University student leaders will serve as 24/7 Summer Institute Advisors (SIAs) and counselors to guide scholars in their adjustment to life in their college residence and experience both on and off campus. Additionally, there will be workshops for critical thinking skills, study skills, and their potential for success and leadership in their careers.

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A Supportive Environment

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