Eastern Oregon University

Application for International Admission

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Eastern Oregon University is a member of the Oregon University System.

Eastern Oregon University is committed to providing equal education opportunities to all qualified students without regard to race, color, sex, national origin, age religion, marital status, disability, veteran status, sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression. Direct related inquiries to the Affirmative Action Office, One University Blvd., La Grande, OR 97850; telephone 541-962-3548.
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Application deadlines:  Fall term: Sept. 1  Winter term: Dec. 1  Spring term: March 1  Summer term: June 1

In addition to this application, to be admitted to Eastern Oregon University, follow instructions on the enclosed Freshman or Transfer Admission Policy and Procedures. Admission is for degree seeking students. If you were previously admitted and have not earned a degree, use the Returning Student Application.

Year and term you plan to begin:  Year _____  Fall _____  Winter _____  Spring _____  Summer _____

Student type:  New/Freshman _____  Transfer _____  Post-baccalaureate _____  COFA _____

Primary location:  La Grande Campus _____  Online _____  Regional Center _____

Have you previously applied to or have you attended Eastern Oregon University? Yes _____  No _____

If yes, date of last application: Term _____  Year _____  Last term attended: Term _____  Year _____

**Personal information**

Social Security Number (if you have one from the U.S.) __ __ __ - __ __ - __ __ __ __  or  Student ID Number ____________________  *See enclosed disclosure and consent statement.*

Legal Name exactly as it appears on your passport.

Legal Name ____________________________________________________________  Last/surname  First/given  Middle

Other name(s) that may appear on your academic records:

__________________________________________________________________________________  Last/surname  First/given  Middle

Current Mailing Address  City  County/Province  State (country code)  Zip

__________________________________________________________________________________

Permanent Address  City  County/Province  State (country code)  Zip

__________________________________________________________________________________

Primary Phone  Cell ___  Work ___  E-mail address

Emergency Contact Information: Please provide parent(s), legal guardian, relative or friend that can be reached in case of emergency.

☐ Parent(s)  ☐ Legal guardian  ☐ Other (specify) _________________________

__________________________________________________________________________________  Last  First  Middle

Mailing Address  City  County/Province  State (country code)  Zip

__________________________________________________________________________________

Primary Phone  Cell ___  Work ___  E-mail address

Your Gender**  Male ___  Female ___  Your Date of Birth**  _____ / _____ / _____ Month/Day/Year

**Ethnic/Racial Identification: Please indicate your ethnic identity by selecting one of the following:**

(Nota: In compliance with federal reporting requirements, OUS universities must seek to identify the ethnic background of applicants for admission. You are encouraged to supply this information, but may decline without prejudicing your application in any way.)

☐ Hispanic  ☐ Non-Hispanic  ☐ White, European American  ☐ Alaska Native

☐ Asian American (specify ethnic group) __________________________  ☐ Black, African American
Secondary/high school information: Please complete even if you will be entering as a transfer or graduate.

Name of secondary/high school: ____________________________  City/Country: ____________________________

Date of graduation or date you expect to graduate from secondary/high school: ________________

Colleges/universities attended: List below every college and/or university you have attended or are currently attending whether or not credits were earned. Omitting a prior college or university from this list may result in denial of admission or disciplinary action. Send official transcripts directly to the Office of Admissions at Eastern Oregon University. Applicants with foreign transcripts see enclosed Transfer Admission Policy and Procedures. For additional colleges, please attach a separate sheet.

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What is your degree objective: Bachelor _____  Associate _____  Certificate _____

Primary major: ____________________________  Undecided _____

What is your career objective: ____________________________  Undecided _____

Examination information: Identify the test you have taken or plan to take and the dates you did take or will take them. Please self-report your scores or attach an official copy of your results here.

TOEFL _____  Date __________  Score _____

Canadian students only:

SAT Reasoning _____  V _____  M _____  TSWE _____

SAT I _____  V _____  M _____

SAT II _____  Test _____  Score _____

Native language: ____________________________

U.S. Visa you now hold:

Student (F-1) _____  Exchange Visitor (J-1) _____  Other _____  None _____

If you hold a U.S. Visa (Student and Exchange Visitor Information System):

Are you entered in SEVIS?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No  If yes, what is your SEVIS number? N________________________

Are you currently in status?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

Will you leave the U.S. for 5 months or more between studies?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

On a separate sheet, and only if your spouse and/or children will accompany you to EOU, provide name, date of birth, country of citizenship, country of permanent residency, city and country of birth, and relationship for each accompanied by a copy of each of their
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**EOU Legacy: Did anyone in your immediate family attend EOU? □ Yes □ No

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Did your parent(s) complete a 4-year college education? □ Yes □ No

**Activities you plan to be involved in at EOU: □ Music performance □ Theatre □ Student newspaper □ Student government □ Outdoor programs □ Varsity athletics (specify sport) □ Other

**Have you visited campus? □ Yes □ No If yes, for what event(s)? __________________________________________ When? ________

**How did you learn about EOU? __________________________________________

Please list school age siblings up to 12th grade: Name, graduation year, birth date, address if different.

_____________________________________________________________________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Signature required

The Oregon University System expects you to provide complete and accurate responses to the items on this application for admission. Further, the official documents that you submit in support of this application must be authentic, unaltered records that pertain to you. Your signature is your certification of the accuracy and completeness of the information you provide.

I certify the information on this application is correct and complete. I understand that withholding records of academic work or giving false information is grounds for dismissal or denial of admission. I also understand that, whether or not I enroll, this application and all other submitted documents will not be returned to me. *(Please sign in ink. This application is valid for one year prior to matriculation.)*

Signature: _____________________________________________________________________________________________________

Applicant’s signature               Date

* Social Security Number Disclosure and Consent Statement

As an eligible educational institution, EOU must receive your correct social security number (SSN) to file certain returns with the IRS and to furnish a statement to you. The returns EOU must file contain information about qualified tuition and related expenses. Privacy Act Notice—Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to give your correct SSN to persons who must file information returns with the IRS to report certain information. The IRS uses the numbers for identification purposes and to help verify the accuracy of your tax return. For more information please refer to IRS code 6050S. You will be issued a student ID number for your academic record at Eastern.

**This information will not be used for making admissions decisions. However, you are encouraged to provide this information for data collection, application processing, and research purposes.**
International Admission Policy and Procedures

Notification of Admission Status
After all required documents are received and evaluated by an Admission Officer, successful applicants will receive a letter of acceptance and an I-20 form necessary for obtaining an F-1 student visa. Admitted students will be required to meet all federal regulations outlined for F-1 visa holders and will be required to maintain a minimum of 12 credit hours per term and meet all academic standards and policies.

Passports and Visas
Before coming to the United States to engage in studies, all students must obtain a passport from their home government and a visa from a United States Embassy or Consulate. Note: All F-1 visa applicants will be required to pay an additional fee of $200 in U.S. dollars before applying for the visa. This (I-901) fee will be paid directly to the Student Exchange and Visitor Program (SEVP). When making an appointment to apply for the F-1 visa, one must present the following items to a consulate:

• Form I-20: A certificate of eligibility that is granted by EOU
• Letter of Acceptance from EOU
• A valid passport
• Proof of sufficient financial support
• Receipt of payment for I-901 fee

Transfer Students:
All F-1 visa holders who leave the U.S. for five months or more between studies are required to apply for a new F-1 visa.

New Student Orientation and Activities
For students who will be joining EOU, participation in International Student Orientation is an additional component of Week of Welcome and attendance is required. For Fall Term, this is a fun-filled week of activities and learning that begins the week before classes begin in September. During orientation students are able to learn about the campus, meet faculty and other students, and prepare for classes. International students will participate in separate events to welcome them to campus and help them adjust to the culture and living in the United States. Winter and Spring term orientation is modified to a shorter schedule.

International Student Adviser
Immigration counseling is available for international students through the International Student Adviser. The adviser acts as the liaison between international students and their sponsoring agencies, and provides assistance in the interpretation of immigration laws and regulations. General advice and counseling is also available. The International Student Adviser will help students become acquainted with EOU and the La Grande community, find solutions for academic concerns, and personal or social situations.

Estimated Costs
The estimated cost of attendance is subject to change at any time and one should allow a minimum of four percent increase in expense per year. Undergraduate estimated tuition and fees is based on 15 credits per term. Graduate estimated tuition and fees is based on 12 credits per term. Students who have graduated from a state recognized high school in Oregon, Idaho and Washington within the previous 3 year period prior to the term of enrollment are eligible for resident tuition rates. Also, students who were enrolled in an institution of higher education in Idaho or Washington within 12 months prior to the term of enrollment are eligible for resident tuition. Students will need to provide EOU with financial documentation and a signed and notarized affidavit of support to be admitted to the university. The official bank statements should indicate a minimum of the total estimated expenses for one year. The estimated costs are as follows:

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<th>2014-2015 Academic Year</th>
<th>Undergraduate Costs (USD)</th>
<th>Graduate Costs (USD)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Tuition and Fees</td>
<td>$13,233.00</td>
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<td>Room and Board</td>
<td>$8,703.00</td>
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<td>Books and Supplies (May vary)</td>
<td>$1,350.00</td>
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<td>Health Insurance (Required)</td>
<td>$1,380.00</td>
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<td>Personal Expenses¹</td>
<td>$1,500.00</td>
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¹ Personal expenses will vary and are not paid directly to EOU.

Additional information about the town of La Grande visit www.visitlagrande.com.

Transportation to La Grande
La Grande is in Northeastern Oregon. It is located approximately 4 hours from Portland, Oregon, 5 hours from Seattle, Washington, and 3 hours from Boise, Idaho. Many students fly into Portland, Boise or Seattle, and then take another plane to the regional airport in Pendleton, Oregon. It is approximately 1 hour away from La Grande. Seaport Airlines services the Pendleton Airport (www.seaportair.com).

Accreditation
Eastern Oregon University is a state-funded institution and part of the Oregon University System. EOU is accredited by the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges.
International Admission Requirements

Applicants who are not United States citizens or immigrants will be considered for admission to Eastern Oregon University as international students.

Freshman
To be considered for admission, international students applying from high school must have:

- The equivalent to a “standard” U.S. high school diploma (“modified,” “honorary,” or other “non-standard” diplomas are not recognized.)
- A grade point average equivalent to a 2.75 on the U.S. 4.00 scale.
- English proficiency as demonstrated by achieving 500 on the paper based TOEFL; a 61 on the Internet based TOEFL; a score of 5 on the IELTS; or satisfactory completion of level 112 in an English Language School.
- Verification of finances through bank statements and affidavit of support.

Transfer
To be considered for admission, transfer students must have:

- The equivalent of a minimum of a 2.25 cumulative GPA on the U.S. 4.00 scale taken from an accredited college or university. Students with fewer than 30 transferable credits must also meet the freshman requirements listed above. All transcripts must be official and in English.
- English proficiency as demonstrated by achieving 500 on the paper based TOEFL; a 61 on the Internet based TOEFL; a score of 5 on the IELTS; or satisfactory completion of level 112 in an English Language School.
- Verification of finances through bank statements and affidavit of support.

Graduate
To be considered for admission, graduate students must have:

- Bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution
- English proficiency as demonstrated by achieving 550 on the paper based TOEFL; a 79 on the Internet based TOEFL; a score of 6 on the IELTS; or satisfactory completion of level 112 in an English Language School.
- Verification of finances through bank statements and affidavit of support.
- Graduate students must also apply for admission to the specific graduate program.
- Please review the information and requirements provided on the Graduate Admissions page: www.eou.edu/admissions/graduate

More Information
To receive additional information regarding admissions policies and procedures, please contact Michelle Hines, International Admissions, toll-free at 1-800-452-8639 or e-mail international@eou.edu.

EOU Academic Year
EOU has three terms that make up the academic year: fall, winter and spring. Fall term begins during the last week of September and extends through the second week of December, winter term begins during the first week of January and extends through the second week of March, and spring term begins the last week of March and extends through the second week of June.

Student Checklist
- Read the information about admissions and procedures.
- Read the statement to certify the accuracy of the information provided and sign your application for admission.
- Request official test scores to be sent to this institution. EOU's school code is 4300.
- Request official transcripts from your high school at time of application and after graduation and/or from all colleges you have attended.
- Make a complete copy of application for personal records.
- Complete immunization verification form. Form will be provided. (All new students.)

International Student Admissions Procedures
The following is the process to apply for admissions to EOU. Please send the items below to:

Office of International Student Services
Eastern Oregon University
One University Blvd.
La Grande, OR 97850-2807

- Completed EOU Application for International Admissions
- Proof of English language proficiency. Using school code #4300, official TOEFL or IELTS score reports should be sent directly to EOU from the testing center. English Language School Reports should be sent directly from the English Language School.
- Evidence of adequate financial resources for you and your dependents while at Eastern Oregon University. This must include an Affidavit of Support certifying that adequate financial resources in U.S. dollars are available to meet your educational and living expenses for four years or the duration of intended stay.
- An official bank statement should indicate a minimum of the total estimated expenses for one year. See affidavit costs to determine amount.
- All official transcript(s) and academic records from every institute, college, university or post-secondary school attended. Transcript(s) must be in English translation. Please see Foreign Transcript Evaluation Policy sheet for more information and fee schedule.

Residence Hall Requirement
All undergraduate international students are required to live on campus their first year at EOU. A separate housing application is required. Please go to www.eou.edu/reslife for more information and to complete the online housing application at no cost.

Immunization Requirement
All international students are required to provide proof in English of measles and mumps immunization prior to registering for classes at EOU. www.eou.edu/health/immunizations.
**Academic programs**

**Majors**
Agricultural Science (OSU)
Anthropology/Sociology*
Art
Biology
Business Administration*
Chemistry Studies
(Chemistry/Biochemistry)
Communication Studies
Computer Science
Crop & Soil Science (OSU)
Early Childhood Education*
(Starts fall 2015)
Economics*
Elementary Education/
Elementary Teacher Licensure
English Writing*
Fire Services Administration (FSA)*
History*
Liberal Studies: Individualized Program*
Liberal Studies: Two Minors*
Mathematics
Multidisciplinary Studies
Multidisciplinary Studies
Elementary Education
Music Studies
Natural Resources (OSU)
Nursing (OHSU)
Politics & Economic Studies*
Physical Activity & Health*
Psychology*
Rangeland Science (OSU)
Theatre

**Minors**
Agricultural Science (OSU)
Animal Science (OSU)
Anthropology/Sociology
Art

**Certificate Programs**
Computer Programming I
Computer Programming II
Education

**Pre-Professional Programs**
Agricultural Sciences
Dental Hygiene
Dentistry
Fisheries & Wildlife
Forestry
Law
Medical Technology
Medicine
Nursing
Optometry
Pharmacy
Physical Therapy
Physician Assistant
Veterinary Medicine

**Graduate Programs**
Master of Arts in Teaching*
Master of Business Administration*
Master of Fine Arts (Low Residency)
Master of Science in Education*

**Graduate Endorsements & Certificates**
ESOL Endorsement*
Reading Endorsement*
Special Education Endorsement*
Teaching of Writing Certificate*

*tAvailable via online/onsite course offerings