

# Program info WHAT IS THE OREGON EXPERIENCE PROGRAM?

The Oregon Experience Program is designed exclusively to help international students explore American university life, learn about topics related to sustainability and health, and connect with the culture and people of Oregon. A full-time, on-site program director will provide you with support in your academic and daily life. You'll become part of a university that values international students.

### **Develop Intercultural Connections**

The Oregon Experience Program begins with an orientation to learn about the University of Oregon and life in the United States. Group excursions will further allow you to explore the beauty of Oregon's natural environment, vibrant culture, and welcoming residents. You'll also experience American family culture through home stay accommodations.

### **Explore Global Issues**

You'll explore global issues related to sustainability and health. Our program addresses a global issue from a variety of perspectives and allows you to explore local resources related to that problem. You'll work in the classroom with dedicated faculty and explore the community to find potential solutions for the issues raises in class.

### Receive Hands-on Experience

You'll become part of the local community by completing a service learning activity and serving as a volunteer. In this capacity, you'll become familiar with a variety of local subcultures, and our program faculty guide you through reflection.





### 4 week program

Cycle 1: End of July – End of August Cycle 2: End of August – End of September

Week 1: Introduction to University Life Week 2: Sustainability Practices in Oregon

Week 3: Emergency Response Week 4: Service Learning

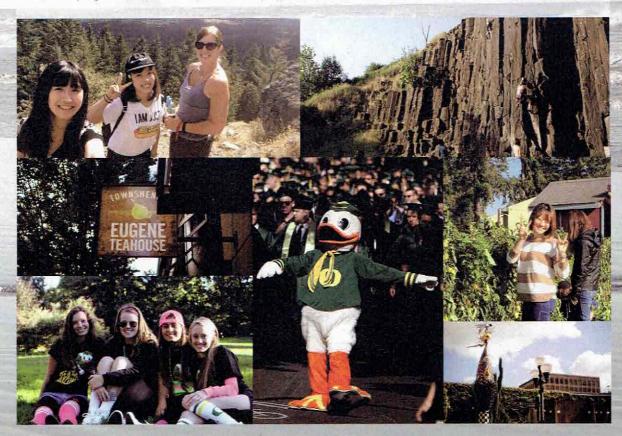
Cost: \$4,500\*

## 2 week program

Choose any two consecutive weeks of the four-week program

Cost: \$2,250\*

- \* Cost includes: program fee, pick-up from and drop-off to Eugene (EUG) airport, public transportation bus pass, and homestay application fee
- \*Cost does not include: flight, insurance, or direct payment to your homestay family (\$600 2\$ meals/day for 4-week program and 3 meals/day for 2-week program)



## about the UO

### Just the Right Size

As a student in the Oregon Summer Program, you will become part of a cohort that receives dedicated support from faculty and staff. As a result, you'll experience a small-campus feel while connecting with peers, faculty, and community members. The UO and Eugene are big enough to provide exciting options for entertainment for everyone. Yet, we are small enough that you'll feel safe on campus and in the surrounding community.

#### We Love Our Ducks!

Pac-12 sports and world-class track and field are exciting parts of the UO experience. Feel the excitement on campus and at the world-famous Hayward Field as students compete in track and field. We are not called Track Town, USA for nothing! Watch the events from campus or a local restaurant nearby to feel the excitement.

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