UK - England
University of the Arts London
UCEAP Advising Notes

Objective of the Advising Notes Document
This document is an advising tool written by a Berkeley Study Abroad adviser to review program specific details that may impact a student's *decision to apply* for an EAP program. The document is *not* a summary of eligibility requirements, academic, housing, application and other logistical details freely available to students on the UCEAP and BSA website, and reviewed by a student in the Program Self-Assessment. The best source of detailed program information is always the [UCEAP Program Guide](#) from the prior academic cycle. If any concerns you have are not addressed on the UCEAP website, in the Program Guide or the Advising Notes document, please contact the BSA adviser for this program.

Advisor Contact Information
For BSA Adviser name, email and drop-in advising hours, visit http://studyabroad.berkeley.edu/advising

Program Option Eligibility
UAL is on the quarter system, therefore the UAL Fall only options are NOT open to Berkeley students. Participation in this program for Berkeley students will be limited due to the quarter structure of the UAL programs. Because the fall options at UAL will not provide Berkeley students with enough units, Berkeley students can only participate in the following UAL options through UCEAP:
- Camberwell College of Arts, Spring Semester
- London College of Communication, Year
- Wimbledon College of Arts, Spring Semester

Major Restrictions
UAL will only accept applicants with majors that closely match UAL's own majors and pre-requisites. Each of the UAL campuses will be open to the following majors:
- Camberwell: Fine Arts (Painting, Sculpture, Drawing, or Photography)
- Wimbledon: Costume Design, Theater Design, or Fine Arts (Painting, Sculpture, or Print and Time-Based Media)
- LCC: Literary Journalism, Media Communications, Media and Cultural Studies, or Game Design

Additional information for LCC: Majors suitable for this program are
defined broadly and may include English Language, English Literature, Communication, Media Studies,
History, Politics, International Relations, or Sociology. It is important that the applicant's personal statement
demonstrates a strong academic/professional interest in journalism/media. This interest can be grounded in
the major or minor, but it can also be enhanced by journalism experience outside formal education such as
internships, project work, and work experience

Impacted Program
This program has a very limited number of spaces. In late February (for year applicants), or late June (for
Spring applicants), you will be notified if you need to complete UAL's own online application. If you are not
selected at that time you will be asked if you would like to submit documents to apply to another university in
the UK. If you are interested in submitting an application for a 'back-up' option, please contact UAL Adviser
Katie Weibel (weibel@berkeley.edu) before the application deadline.

Portfolio Required
In addition to submitting the standard application materials to the Berkeley Study Abroad Office, you will also
need to submit a link to your portfolio.

Accommodation
Students are responsible for arranging their own housing. UAL accommodation is available to UCEAP
students, but it is not guaranteed. Students should apply early for UAL housing. Additional information can
be found here: http://www.arts.ac.uk/study-at-ual/accommodation/. In addition to UAL accommodation,
UCEAP will provide students with information about external housing providers, or students can find their
own accommodation.

Non-US Citizens
Non-US citizens may be required by the host university to submit an English Language Certificate (no more
than 2 years old, showing your English language level of B2 or above). ETS tests such as the TOEFL are no
longer accepted as evidence of English language ability. You should take a test with an alternative provider
from this official list: https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-on-applying-for-uk-
visaapproved-english-language-tests.