Facts
- Language of instruction: English
- Number of students enrolled: 39,236
- Number of campuses: 1
- Academic year: August - May
- Autumn Semester Equivalent: August - December
- Spring Semester Equivalent: January - May

The University of Arizona is located in the bustling town of Tucson, one of the oldest towns in the United States. The city was referred to as a “mini-mecca for the arts” by The Wall Street Journal and boasts more than 35 art galleries, its own ballet company and a professional theatre. The campus consists of more than 350 acres, much of it green space.

Things to do
Tucson is the second largest city in the state of Arizona and it is considered as a crossroad of different cultures due to its location. The city offers an exciting social life with activities and attractions including a vibrant art culture, unique biodiversity attractions, a busy gaming scene and ample opportunities for shopping from boutique shops to mega malls.

Travel opportunities
Tucson is located in the Southern part of Arizona and is perfectly situated to visit a number of world famous sites, including the Grand Canyon. Arizona also boasts a number of beautiful national parks, including the Petrified Forest National Park and the historical Canyon de Chelly. The national parks provide ample opportunity for a range of outdoor activities, including hiking, biking, water sports, and there are also over 300 golf courses in the state.

Getting around
The Cat Tran Shuttle Service operates four routes, free of charge, that takes you around campus and into town. The University also has a free SafeRide scheme to provide nighttime transportation to staff and students.

Climate
- Tucson has over 350 days of sun every year
- Days are warm and sunny and nights are cool
- Spring, Autumn and Wintertend to be mild
- Summer temperatures peak at 38°C
- Humidity is low so even hot temperatures are bearable

Finance 2016/17
Bursaries available:
- International Office Travel Bursary (means-tested): £750 or £500 depending on household income (available to students classed as Home Students for fees purposes and accepted to study abroad as part of the University-wide exchange programme)
- British Universities Transatlantic Exchange Association (BUTEX) scholarships: £500. See http://www.butex.ac.uk for eligibility and further information.

Approximate living costs per semester:
- Return flight from UK (av. 15 hours) £455-600
- Visa costs £200-250
- Health insurance (compulsory) £390-630
- Accommodation £3600-5035

Approximate living costs are compiled from student surveys and the partner university website. More information: http://global.arizona.edu/international-students/costs

Accommodation
Students typically live in halls of residence, in privately rented accommodation or with a host family. Residence halls provide single, double or triple occupancy rooms. Students are advised to arrive early if they are looking for off-campus accommodation.
- Further details for on-campus accommodation: http://www.life.arizona.edu/home/housing-options/international-students
- Further details for off-campus accommodation: http://offcampus.arizona.edu/

Further information
Further information about studying at Arizona can be found at the Study Abroad Website:
http://global.arizona.edu/international-students/exchange-and-direct-enroll-students
http://global.arizona.edu/international-students/student-resource-manual

Application success rate
2014/15 = no data available
2015/16 = 29%
(Percentage of students placed at this partner out of total applications received)