



International Student Programs

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Study in the USA and Switzerland!

Attend Highline College and earn up to three degrees by studying in the U.S. and transferring to César Ritz Colleges (CRCS) in Switzerland either direct or via Washington State University!

- César Ritz Colleges Switzerland is located in beautiful Switzerland on three campuses in Le Bouveret, Lucerne, and Brig.
- Switzerland is an extremely safe country with a high standard of living.
- Centrally located in Europe, Switzerland gives you the opportunity to easily visit other European cities, such as Paris, London, and Milan!
- Experience diversity in the Swiss setting with campuses in the German and French parts of Switzerland attended by students of 60 different nationalities.

Two Pathways to Success in Business, Hospitality, and Tourism

- After transferring directly to César Ritz Colleges Switzerland, earn a Bachelor of International Business in Hotel & Tourism Management.
- Or, earn dual degrees after transfer - a Bachelor of Arts in Hospitality Business Management from Washington State University (WSU), along with the Bachelor of Arts in International Business and Hotel & Tourism Management from César Ritz Colleges Switzerland.

Highline Expenses

Note: Rate is effective starting Fall 2018

Tuition and Fees = \$10,700

Living Expenses = \$9,300

Total for one year = \$20,000

Costs are in U.S. dollars as of Fall 2018 and subject to change without notice. Some figures are estimates and will vary depending on how you manage your money

Housing

- Live at Highline Place, Highline College's new on-campus dormitory
- Live with an American family
- Stay at a dormitory-style room near campus
- Live on your own with friends in a shared house



Highline Admission Requirements

- International Student Application form
- Age 16 and over
- \$54 application fee
- Bank statements showing at least USD \$ 20,000 in funds
- Copy of passport
- Proof of English proficiency from the following options:
 - TOEFL score of 54 IBT
 - STEP-EIKEN: 2A grade
 - IELTS score of 5.5 in all sections,
 - IGSE Grade E or better in English
 - Completion of O level/N level or higher
 - Complete Kaplan High Intermediate Level
 - If you have studied in high school in English speaking countries or attended English speaking International School, this may be waived. Submit your school transcript to check the eligibility.

General Deadlines*

QUARTER	MONTHS	APPLICATION DEADLINE
Fall	September–December	Mid-August
Winter	January–March	Mid-November
Spring	April–June	Mid-February
Summer	June–August	Mid-May

* We may close our admission prior to the date if we reach the admission cap for the quarter



César Ritz Colleges in Switzerland

The name César Ritz is synonymous with a pioneering approach to luxury hospitality. At César Ritz Colleges Switzerland (CRCS), we are proud to continue his tradition of excellence and innovation. We aim to give our students the best of both worlds: a 'Ritzy' Swiss hospitality education combined with an American/British approach to business management and entrepreneurship.

Our programs are both academically challenging and hands-on. Thanks to our close partnership with industry leaders, students benefit from practical internships at highly sought after establishments where they get to apply their academic knowledge and develop leadership skills.

César Ritz Colleges Switzerland is comprised of three campuses: Le Bouveret, Lucerne and Brig in the

French and German speaking parts of Switzerland where our students enjoy a unique multicultural experience. As an extra bonus, Le Bouveret and Lucerne students share their campus with Culinary Arts Academy students, another Swiss Education Group member school. This arrangement offers Bachelor students the chance to develop their hospitality skills alongside future chef entrepreneurs.

Choose from 2 pathways toward success below:

Application Eligibility for Option 1 (CRCS via WSU)

Applicants must fulfill the following requirements:

Complete the required credits at Highline College (Associate Degree – DTA Program in Business – Option A) to progress into the CRCS program as well as:

- The Washington State University Bachelor of Arts in Hospitality Business Management requires Highline students to achieve a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA
 - Those Highline students who do not have a 2.5 cumulative GPA but are above the CRCS pass grade (70% average grade with all passed courses) will be awarded a Bachelor of International Business in Hotel & Tourism Management from CRCS.
- Applications will be considered on an individual basis.

Application Eligibility for Option 2 (Direct to CRCS)

Applicants must fulfill the following requirements:

Complete the required credits at Highline (Applied Associate of Science Degree – non-DTA program in Hospitality and Tourism Management – Option B) to progress into the CRCS program.

- Degree will be awarded to Highline students who achieve 70% with all passed courses and a minimum 2.0 CGPA.
- Applications will be considered on an individual basis

List of courses are as follows:

- HOST100 Introduction to HOST Management
- HOST104 The Art of Negotiation (Elective)
- HOST110 Hotel Ops. & HOST120 Housekeeping Ops.
- HOST129 Menu Design & HOST130 Food & Beverage Ops.
- HOST139 Pre-Internship Seminar
- HOST165 Managing Customer Service & HOST210 Revenue Management
- HOST170 Legal Issues in Hospitality & Tourism
- HOST140 & HOST240 Cooperative Education (total of approx. 800 internship hours)
- BUSN210 Statistical Analysis
- BUSN207 Cultural Awareness & Business Etiquette
- ACCT121 Practical Accounting (Elective)
- ACCT201 and ACCT202 Principles of Accounting
- CSCI100 Survey of Computing
- CMST220 Public Speaking
- ECON201 Microeconomics
- ECON202 Macroeconomics
- ENGL101 English Composition
- ENGL205 Research & Persuasive Writing (Elective)
- MATH141 Pre-Calculus (Elective)
- NUTR101 Nutrition
- SUST150 Food as Medicine (Elective)
- Language 1 and 2 (Elective)

QUESTIONS? CONTACT US! For more information about Highline Admissions and the transfer opportunities to CRCS (and WSU), contact the International Student Programs at Highline College.

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