

Appendix 6: Comparison of year abroad partnerships with our national competitors

Imperial College London's current year abroad exchange links (data provided by Registry and reflects **official exchange links for 2012-13¹**) and their top 5 competitors' (based on UCAS application data) exchange links are shown below.

The data for competitors was confirmed either by a member of university staff (green) or obtained from their website (orange). Data was supplied/obtained between August and October 2012.

	Aeronautics
Imperial College London	France: École Centrale de Lyon, ENSICA – SupAero Germany: RWTH Aachen Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: University of California (Education Abroad Program)
University of Cambridge	France: École Centrale Paris Germany: Tech. University of Munich Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Massachusetts Institute of Technology
University of Oxford	USA: Princeton
University of Bristol	Australia: University of Sydney Europe
University of Southampton	France: ESTACA, ENSICA – SupAero, DTUS – École Navale Brest Germany: University of Stuttgart Spain: Polytechnic University of Madrid Sweden: KTH
University of Manchester	Couldn't find any evidence

	Bioengineering
Imperial College London	Australia: University of Melbourne France: Institut National Polytechnique de Grenoble Netherlands: TU Delft Singapore: National University of Singapore Switzerland: ETH Zurich USA: University of California (Education Abroad Program)
University of Cambridge	France: École Centrale Paris Germany: Tech. University of Munich Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Massachusetts Institute of Technology
University of Oxford	USA: Princeton

¹ A small number of additions and deletions are expected to come into force for 2013-14.

	Chemical Engineering
Imperial College London	Australia: University of Queensland, University of Melbourne, University of Sydney France: ENSIC at the Universite de Lorriane, Universite de Pau et des Pays de l'Adour, ENSIACET at Institut National Polytechnique de Toulouse Germany: RWTH Aachen Netherlands: TU Delft Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain: Ramon LLull University (Barcelona), University of Valladolid Sweden: Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Stockholm Switzerland: EPF Lausanne USA: University of California (Education Abroad Program), Columbia University (New York), Carnegie Mellon University (Pittsburgh)
University of Cambridge	Doesn't offer a year abroad
University of Oxford	USA: Princeton
University of Manchester	France: University of Nancy, University of Toulouse Germany: University of Stuttgart, University of Furtwangen Spain: University of Oviedo, University of Cadiz
University College London	Australia: University of Melbourne France: ENSIC, UPPA Germany: KIT Italy: University of L'Aquila, University of Genoa, University of Naples Federico II, University of Palermo, University of Salerno Spain: University of Granada USA: Columbia University, Georgia Institute of Technology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of Wisconsin-Madison

	Civil Engineering
Imperial College London	Australia: University of Queensland, University of Melbourne France: Grenoble Institute of Technology, Ecole Nationale des Ponts Paristech (ENPC) Germany: RWTH Aachen Hong Kong: Hong Kong Polytechnic University Italy: Polytechnic University of Turin Netherlands: TU Delft Spain: Polytechnic University of Catalonia, Polytechnic University of Madrid Switzerland: ETH Zurich USA: University of California (Education Abroad Program)
University of Cambridge	France: École Centrale Paris Germany: Tech. University of Munich Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Massachusetts Institute of Technology
University of Oxford	USA: Princeton
University of Bristol	Australia, Canada, USA, Europe
University of Southampton	France: ENPC, École des Mines d'Ales, EVIP – École Super Greece: National Technical University of Athens Hong Kong: Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Italy: University of Bologna, University of Pavia, University of Naples Federico II Spain: University of Granada
University of Manchester	Canada: University of Calgary
University College London	Australia: University of Melbourne, University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, University of Toronto Cyprus: University of Cyprus Denmark: Aarhus University Hong Kong: City University of Hong Kong Japan: Waseda University, Yamaguchi University Netherlands: TU Delft Mexico: Tecnológico de Monterrey Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain: Polytechnic University of Catalonia USA: Caltech, Columbia University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, Syracuse University, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of Wisconsin-Madison

	Computing
Imperial College London	France: Grenoble Institute of Technology, Telecom Paristech Germany: RWTH Aachen, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology Switzerland: ETH Zurich USA: University of California (Education Abroad Program)
University of Cambridge	USA: Massachusetts Institute of Technology
University of Oxford	Couldn't find any evidence
University of Bristol	Europe
University of Southampton	Czech Republic: Czech Technical University Denmark: University of Copenhagen France: Grenoble Institute of Technology, ESIEE - Noisy, ESIEE - Amiens, University of Nantes Germany: University of Karlsruhe, University of Rostock Italy: Politecnico di Milano, University of Pisa Netherlands: Eindhoven University of Technology Poland: University of Zielona Gora, Warsaw University of Technology Portugal: University of Beira Interior Spain: Comillas Pontifical University
University of Manchester	Couldn't find any evidence
University College London	Australia: University of Melbourne, University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, University of Toronto, McGill University, École de Technologie Supérieure Denmark: Aarhus University France: University of Montpellier II, École Polytechnique – Paris Germany: Dresden University of Technology, University of Duisburg-Essen, University of Paderborn Hong Kong: Chinese University of Hong Kong, City University of Hong Kong Italy: Politecnico di Milano, University of Pisa Japan: Waseda University, Yamaguchi University Mexico: Tecnológico de Monterrey Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain: University of Valencia, Polytechnic University of Catalonia USA: Caltech, Columbia University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of Wisconsin-Madison
University of Warwick	Finland: University of East Finland Germany: University of Rostock, University of Potsdam Hong Kong: Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Spain: University of Madrid Carlos III

	Earth Science & Engineering
Imperial College London	Canada: University of British Columbia France: University of Diderot – Paris 7, University of Strasbourg Netherlands: University of Utrecht USA: University of California (Education Abroad Program)
University of Cambridge	Couldn't find any evidence
University of Oxford	Doesn't offer a year abroad
University of Bristol	Australia, Europe, New Zealand, North America
University of Southampton	France: University of Bordeaux I, University of La Rochelle, Polytech Montpellier, University Pierre et Marie Curie Norway: University of Bergen Portugal: University de Aveiro Sweden: University of Gothenburg Turkey: Dokuz Eylül University
University of Manchester	Couldn't find any evidence
University College London	Australia: University of Adelaide, University of Melbourne, University of Western Australia, University of Sydney Austria: University of Vienna Canada: McGill University, University of British Columbia, University of Toronto Germany: Humboldt University of Berlin Italy: University of Catania, University of Urbino, University of Chieti, University of Naples Federico II Japan: Waseda University New Zealand: University of Auckland Poland: Jagiellonian University Romania: Babes-Bolyai University Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Caltech, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, University of Michigan, University of Texas at Austin, University of Washington

	Electrical and Electronic Engineering
Imperial College London	Belgium: KU Leuven France: École Polytechnique, Telecom Paristech Germany: RWTH Aachen Italy: University of Rome "Tor Vergata" Netherlands: TU Delft Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain: University of Seville Sweden: Lund University, Royal Institute of Technology (KTH) - Stockholm Switzerland: ETH Zurich USA: University of California (Education Abroad Program)
University of Cambridge	France: École Centrale Paris Germany: Technical University of Munich Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Massachusetts Institute of Technology
University of Oxford	USA: Princeton
University of Bristol	Australia: Macquarie University, University of Melbourne, University of Western Australia Belgium: University of Leuven Canada: McGill University, McMaster University, University of British Columbia, University of Toronto France: Telcom ParisTech, ENST Germany: University of Erlangen-Nuremberg Hong Kong: Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, University of Hong Kong Italy: New Zealand: University of Otago Singapore: Nanyang Technological University Spain: Polytechnic University of Valencia Switzerland: EPFL USA: Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, Purdue University, Rice University, University of California, University of Illinois, University of Texas at Austin, University of Washington
University of Southampton	Czech Republic: Czech Technical University Denmark: University of Copenhagen France: Grenoble Institute of Technology, ESIEE - Noisy, ESIEE - Amiens, University of Nantes Germany: University of Karlsruhe, University of Rostock Italy: Politecnico di Milano, University of Pisa Netherlands: Eindhoven University of Technology Poland: University of Zielona Gora, Warsaw University of Technology Portugal: University of Beira Interior Spain: Comillas Pontifical University
University of Manchester	Couldn't find any evidence
University College London	Australia: University of Melbourne, University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, University of Toronto Germany: University of Erlangen-Nuremberg, Technological University of Berlin, Technological University of Munich Hong Kong: Chinese University of Hong Kong, City University of Hong Kong Japan: Waseda University, Yamaguchi University Mexico: Tecnológico de Monterrey Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain: Polytechnic University of Catalonia USA: Caltech, Columbia University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of Wisconsin-Madison

	Mechanical Engineering
Imperial College London	Australia: University of Melbourne, University of Sydney France: École Centrale de Lyon, École Centrale Paris Germany: RWTH Aachen Netherlands: TU Delft Singapore: National University of Singapore Switzerland: ETH Zurich USA: University of California (Education Abroad Program)
University of Cambridge	France: École Centrale Paris Germany: Technical University of Munich Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Massachusetts Institute of Technology
University of Oxford	USA: Princeton
University of Bristol	Couldn't find any evidence
University of Southampton	France: ESTACA, École Navale Brest Sweden: Linköpings University USA: Pennsylvania State University
University of Manchester	Couldn't find any evidence
University College London	Australia: University of Melbourne, University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia Hong Kong: Chinese University of Hong Kong Japan: Waseda University, Yamaguchi University Mexico: Tecnológico de Monterrey Singapore: National University of Singapore Switzerland: ETH Zurich USA: Caltech, Columbia University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of Wisconsin-Madison

	Biochemistry
Imperial College London	France: University of Strasbourg, University Paul Sabatier (Toulouse III), SupAgro (Montpellier); Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon Germany: RWTH Aachen, Heidelberg University Italy: University of Turin, University of Padova Netherlands: TU Delft, University of Leiden Spain: University of Valencia, Autonomous University of Madrid Switzerland: ETH Zurich
University of Oxford	Europe: 6 universities USA: Princeton
University of Cambridge	Couldn't find any evidence
University College London	Australia: University of Melbourne, University of Queensland, University of Sydney, University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, McGill University Denmark: University of Copenhagen New Zealand: University of Auckland Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Caltech, University of Texas at Austin
University of Durham	Australia: University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, McMaster University, Queen's University Hong Kong: University of Hong Kong New Zealand: University of Otago Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Boston College
University of Manchester	Argentina: Universidad del Salvador Australia: Australian National University, University of Melbourne, Queensland University, University of Sydney Austria Canada: University of British Columbia, McGill University, Queen's University, University of Toronto Chile: Pontifical Catholic University of Chile China: Tsinghua University Denmark France Germany Hong Kong: University of Hong Kong Italy Japan: Chuo University, Dokkyo University, Kyoto University South Korea: Seoul National University Mexico: Universidad de las Américas New Zealand: University of Auckland Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain Sweden Switzerland Uruguay: ORT Uruguay USA: Arizona State University, Case Western Reserve University, North Carolina State University, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, Stony Brook University, University of California, University of Illinois, University of Maryland, University of Massachusetts, University of Missouri, University of Tennessee, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Wellesley College

	Biology
Imperial College London	France: University of Strasbourg, University Paul Sabatier (Toulouse III), SupAgro (Montpellier); Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon Germany: RWTH Aachen, Heidelberg University Italy: University of Turin, University of Padova Netherlands: TU Delft, University of Leiden Spain: University of Valencia, Autonomous University of Madrid Switzerland: ETH Zurich
University of Oxford	Doesn't offer a year abroad
University of Cambridge	Couldn't find any evidence
University College London	Doesn't offer a year abroad
University of Durham	Australia: University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, McMaster University, Queen's University Hong Kong: University of Hong Kong New Zealand: University of Otago Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Boston College
University of Manchester	Argentina: Universidad del Salvador Australia: Australian National University, University of Melbourne, Queensland University University of Sydney Austria Canada: University of British Columbia, McGill University, Queen's University, University of Toronto Chile: Pontifical Catholic University of Chile China: Tsinghua University Denmark France Germany Hong Kong: University of Hong Kong Italy Japan: Chuo University, Dokkyo University, Kyoto University South Korea: Seoul National University Mexico: Universidad de las Américas New Zealand: University of Auckland Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain Sweden Switzerland Uruguay: ORT Uruguay USA: Arizona State University, Case Western Reserve University, North Carolina State University, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, Stony Brook University, University of California, University of Illinois, University of Maryland, University of Massachusetts, University of Missouri, University of Tennessee, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Wellesley College

	Chemistry
Imperial College London	France: École Normale Supérieure, École Polytechnique, ESPCI Paristech Germany: University of Erlangen-Nuremberg, University of Hanover, University of Marburg, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich Italy: University of Bologna Netherlands: Leiden University Singapore: Nanyang Technological University Spain: University of Barcelona, University of Valencia Switzerland: ETH Zurich, EPF Lausanne USA: Emory University, Georgia Institute of Technology
University of Oxford	USA: Princeton
University of Cambridge	France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Spain, Switzerland
University College London	Australia: University of Melbourne, University of Sydney, University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, McGill University, University of Toronto France: École Normale Supérieure de Lyon, CPE Lyon, University of Bordeaux, University of Strasbourg Germany: Technical University, of Dortmund, University of Dresden Italy: University of Bologna Japan: Waseda University New Zealand: University of Auckland Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain: Santiago de Compostela Sweden: Uppsala University USA: Caltech, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, University of Texas at Austin, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, University of Washington
University of Durham	Canada Denmark: Aarhus University France: CPE Lyon, Grenoble Institute of Technology Germany: University of Würzburg, University of Marburg Hong Kong Italy: University of Turin Netherlands: Eindhoven University Singapore Spain: University of Zaragoza USA
University of Manchester	Canada: University of British Columbia, McGill University, Queen's University France: University of Montpellier, Louis Pasteur University, Germany: University of Freiburg, University of Göttingen Italy: University of Florence Spain: University of Valencia USA: University of California, University of Illinois, University of Massachusetts, University of Missouri, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey

	Mathematics
Imperial College London	France: Grenoble Institute of Technology, École Normale Supérieure de Lyon Germany: Humboldt University of Berlin Spain: Autonomous University of Madrid Switzerland: ETH Zurich
University of Cambridge	Couldn't find any evidence
University of Oxford	Doesn't offer a year abroad
University College London	Australia: University of Western Australia, University of Sydney Canada: University of British Columbia, University of Toronto, McGill University Denmark: University of Copenhagen Japan: Waseda University New Zealand: University of Auckland Singapore: National University of Singapore USA: Caltech, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, University of Washington
University of Warwick	Belgium: University Libre Bruxelles France: Grenoble Institute of Technology, ENS de Lyon, Pierre-and-Marie-Curie University, Paris Diderot University, University of Strasbourg Germany: University of Augsburg, Berlin Institute of Technology, University of Bonn, University of Bremen, University of Göttingen, University of Kaiserslautern, Ludwig-Maximilians University of Munich Italy: University of Padua Malta: University of Malta Netherlands: University of Groningen Portugal: University of Lisbon, University of Porto Spain: University of Barcelona, University of Seville, Autonomous University of Madrid, Complutense University of Madrid Switzerland: University of Bern, University of Geneva
University of Southampton	Belgium: Catholic University of Leuven France: Paris Descartes University, University of Bordeaux 1 Germany: University of Hamburg Italy: Ca' Foscari University of Venice Spain: University of Oviedo, Polytechnic University of Valencia, University of Siena

	Physics
Imperial College London	France: ESPCI Paristech, Grenoble Institute of Technology, University of Paris-Sud Germany: University of Erlangen-Nuremberg, University of Freiburg, University of Hamburg, Heidelberg University Italy: University of Padua, University of Trento Spain: University of La Laguna, University of Valencia, Autonomous University of Madrid (UAM), University of Cantabria Switzerland: EPF Lausanne
University of Oxford	Couldn't find any evidence
University of Cambridge	Couldn't find any evidence
University College London	Australia: University of Melbourne, University of Sydney, University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, McGill University, University of Toronto Denmark: University of Copenhagen France: Joseph Fourier University Germany: University of Heidelberg Hong Kong: Chinese University of Hong Kong New Zealand: University of Auckland Portugal: University of Minho Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain: University of Cantabria, University of La Laguna USA: Caltech, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, University of Texas at Austin, Rutgers - State University of New Jersey, University of Washington
University of Durham	Australia: University of Western Australia Canada: University of British Columbia, Queen's University, McMaster University, University of Calgary France: Pierre-and-Marie-Curie University Germany: University of Heidelberg, University of Stuttgart New Zealand: University of Otago Norway: University of Bergen Singapore: National University of Singapore Spain: University of La Laguna Sweden: Lund University Switzerland: University of Geneva USA: Boston College
University of Manchester	Argentina: Universidad del Salvador Australia: Australian National University, University of Melbourne, Queensland University, University of Sydney Brazil: Federal University of Paraíba, USP Canada: University of British Columbia, McGill University, Queen's University, University of Toronto Chile: Pontifical Catholic University of Chile China: Tsinghua University France: University Lyon 1, University of Paris-Sud, Joseph Fourier University, Pierre-and-Marie-Curie University Germany: Free University of Berlin, Heidelberg University, Technical University of Munich Hong Kong: University of Hong Kong Italy: University of Trieste Japan: Chuo University, Dokkyo University, Kyoto University South Korea: Seoul National University Mexico: Universidad de las Américas New Zealand: University of Auckland Singapore: National University of Singapore, Nanyang Technological University

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