



- INSTITUTIONAL information

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- ACADEMIC information

Workload	1 credit = 15 hours for classes (undergraduate studies) (For other cases, please ask). For ECTS users: hours per credit at UFPB only takes into consideration in-class work, regardless of the time necessary for the completion of academic goals (off-class reading, studying, preparing presentations, etc.). Thus, a 3-credit course comprises 15 weeks x 3 hours of class per week (45 hours total) that can be used for instruction, seminars and tests.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese in all undergraduate courses. Some graduate courses may be delivered in a foreign language at the professor’s discretion. This information must be checked at the Graduate Program of interest.
Portuguese language proficiency requirements for foreign students	CEFR – B1. As of June 2014, any Certificate or Statement issued by a qualified examiner/professor of Portuguese will serve to prove Language Proficiency. However, we would like to remind that the student is fully responsible for corresponding to the level stated in such certificate/statement, and being able to follow courses in Portuguese.



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Portuguese classes	are offered free of charge in Campus I to all foreign students registered at UFPB, by PLEI ( <i>Programa Linguístico Cultural para Estudantes Internacionais</i> ) Classes go together with academic semester. Week 1: placement test + registration. Week 2 on: classes. More Information at <a href="http://www.cchla.ufpb.br/plei">www.cchla.ufpb.br/plei</a> <b>Note:</b> courses taken at PLEI do not show at the Academic Transcript. Students receive a Certificate at the end of the semester.
Date of arrival	International students are advised to arrive in the city at least one week before classes start for initial procedures.

campus I - João Pessoa		campus II - Areia		campus III - Bananeiras	
campus IV – Rio Tinto/Mamanguape					
2016.1			2016.2 (to be confirmed)		
start	July 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2016		start	February 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2017 (to be confirmed)	
end	November 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2016		end	June 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2017 (to be confirmed)	
Final exams (ONLY for students who have not achieved a 7,0 score (out of 10,0) on the tests/evaluations taken during the semester):					
November 29 <sup>th</sup> to December 2 <sup>nd</sup>			(to be confirmed)		
Transcripts are probably* ready to be issued with all the grades of the semester after					
December 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2015.			(to be confirmed)		

\*the availability of transcripts on such date depends on the professors' compliance with the deadline.

- APPLICATION process

Applications for 2016.2 semester (starting February 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2017)	Applications are welcome any time now until November 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2016.
Application Procedure:	<p>All information concerning foreign student's incoming process can be now found at:  <a href="http://ufpb.br/aai/contents/paginas/institucional/incoming">ufpb.br/aai/contents/paginas/institucional/incoming</a> (since students are required/expected to understand the language, this content is by now in Portuguese only. The only exception is the following).            Link for applications (in Portuguese):  <a href="http://ufpb.br/aai/contents/paginas/institucional/incoming/candidaturas">ufpb.br/aai/contents/paginas/institucional/incoming/candidaturas</a>            Link for applications (in English):  <a href="#">XXXXXXXXXX</a> soon!!!!</p> <p>Candidates to Internship/Practice in the Faculty of Medicine must read this:  <a href="http://ufpb.br/aai/contents/paginas/institucional/incoming/candidaturas-para-internato-praticas-em-medicina">ufpb.br/aai/contents/paginas/institucional/incoming/candidaturas-para-internato-praticas-em-medicina</a></p>



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**Important!**

According to the terms of the Academic Cooperation Agreement, students must hire an International Insurance Policy. We recommend coverage for evacuation, repatriation and body transfer, apart from health/accidents coverage. The copy of the policy can be presented by the student upon his/her arrival at the UFPB International Affairs Office, at the latest.