



Ghana

In 2012-2013, 2,086 U.S. students studied abroad for academic credit in Ghana.

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Education System Overview

Academic year: Universities: September – late May

Major exam period(s): Late March – mid May

Structure of the university system

Years of study required to earn a bachelor's degree: 4 years

The language of instruction in universities: English

Degrees offered: Bachelors, Masters and Doctorate

Educational Authorities and International Education Resources

Organization: Ministry of Education

Website: www.moess.gov.gh

Organization: National Accreditation Board

Website: <http://nab.gov.gh>

Organization: West African Examinations Council

Website: <http://ghana.waecdirect.org>

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