**UNCW @ Maynooth**

Study abroad in Ireland at one of UNCW’s most trusted partner institutions. Take classes that will fulfill UNCW University Studies requirements. Immerse yourself in this beautiful, safe, walkable, university town, just 15 miles from the capital, Dublin. Enjoy cultural excursions to major sites around the country.

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**Program package includes:**

- A UNCW program leader for the first 10 days
- On-site Maynooth program director throughout your stay
- Tuition
- Partial meal plan
- On-campus housing just a five-minute walk to all lecture halls, campus restaurants and facilities
- Airport pickup
- Welcome orientation
- Easy train or bus ride to Dublin
- Full access to campus amenities ranging from state-of-the-art library to rec center
- Health insurance
- Mobile phone
- Internet access
- A special Thanksgiving dinner for the UNCW group and more!!

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"I was presented with the wonderful opportunity to study abroad at National University of Ireland. I’ve had the privilege of traveling to several different countries, all throughout Europe and experiencing so many different cultures due to this opportunity from UNCW Wilmington."

– Julia T., undecided major

National University of Ireland, Maynooth

is Ireland’s fastest growing university, with more than 9,000 students from over 90 countries and is the highest ranked Irish university in the 2012 Times Higher Education World’s Best New University rankings. For more information, go to [http://www.nuim.ie/](http://www.nuim.ie/)
What is FYSA?

UNCW is fortunate to be able to extend official offers of admission for entrance in January to approximately 150 excellent students who are prepared academically, exhibit strong leadership and have great enthusiasm for UNC Wilmington. We are confident that if you choose to accept our First-Year Spring Admit offer, you possess the poise and determination to quickly immerse yourself in the many opportunities for involvement that UNCW offers and transition seamlessly into the community.

FYSA students enjoy the flexibility of choosing how to spend the fall semester. Here are just a few of the many options that await you for the fall semester:

• Explore a potential career path through an internship (not for academic credit)
• Work part or full time to help finance college costs
• Take courses at a community college close to home or in Wilmington
• Study abroad! (see UNCW@Maynooth section)

If an academic route is chosen, students will receive advising from UNC Wilmington regarding what classes would fulfill some of UNCW’s University Studies requirements or simply earn transfer credit. The majority of students who elect to take courses stay on track to graduate in four years.

Check out UNCW’s FYSA Facebook Group
You can connect with former and recently admitted FYSA students. Be on the lookout for your invitation!

DARE TO SOAR (Open House)
All accepted students are invited to attend a visit day called “Dare to Soar.” Meet other FYSA and get an in-depth look at UNCW. www.uncw.edu/admissions/dare2soar.html

Fall Options

Internships
If you are considering an internship (for non-academic credit), please visit UNCW’s Career Center website for helpful resources. www.uncw.edu/career/internships.html

Study Abroad
Use the fall semester to study abroad! UNC Wilmington has developed a partnership with National University of Ireland Maynooth, just outside of Dublin, Ireland. FYSA students have the opportunity to travel to Ireland for the semester with other spring admits.

For more information contact:
Office of International Programs
studyabroad@uncw.edu
910.962.3685

Academics
If you wish to get a headstart on your academics, take classes at a community college near home or close to UNCW.

For transfer credit information, check the Transfer Credit Equivalency Chart on the Office of the Registrar’s website www.uncw.edu/reg/transfercredit.htm to see how classes may transfer to UNCW. Also, refer to the resources online through University College, www.uncw.edu/uc/fysa

If you plan to enroll in a community college close to UNCW’s campus for the fall semester, please utilize the Perch to locate safe and affordable off-campus housing, www.uncw.edu/PERCH

FYSA students who choose to live off campus for the fall semester may still choose to live in UNCW’s on-campus housing in the spring if the housing contract is submitted by Oct. 15.

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