

GRADE AND CREDIT CONVERSION – MSU Office of Study Abroad

PROGRAM: *IQS – Universitat Ramon Llull, Barcelona, Spain*

SPONSOR: *Eli Broad College of Business*

Scale*	MSU Grade Equivalent*	ECTS Units**	MSU Equivalent Credits
9,0 - 10	4.0	5 – 6	4
8,0 – 8,9	3.5	4	3
7,0 – 7,9	3.0	3	2
6,6 – 6,9	2.5		
6,0 – 6,5	2.0		
5,6 – 5,9	1.5		
5,0 – 5,5	1.0		
0 – 4,9	0.0		

* Adapted from <http://www.wes.org/gradeconversionguide/articlewindow.htm> and IQS transcript.

** European Credit Transfer System. NOTE: IQS has a unique formula for calculating ECTS credit. Though each ECTS credit is usually worth one half of one MSU semester hours, **the standard formula understates actual contact hours at IQS and does not apply.** The credit equivalency scale shown above applies only to IQS.

Note: Credit conversion is based on a course-by-course basis. NOT based on the sum of credit earned.

Explanations: If the program grants partial equivalent credits (eg., 1.5 MSU credits, it is rounded up to the next full credit (eg. 2 MSU credits)

Other academic information:

This program is open to upper-division MSU Business majors who have successfully completed at least SPN 202/250 or its equivalent.

The following are examples of potential course offerings: Entrepreneurship (Starting up a Business), Globalization and Economic Integration, International Marketing, Leadership, Logistics Management, Marketing Plan, Negotiation Skills, The Spanish Economy, Demographics, Politics and Sociology, Christianity and Society in the 21st Century, Person, Economy and Society: Film Analysis, Business Ethics and Corporate Social Responsibility: a Case Study Approach

Most courses will be offered in English, but students are encouraged to take one or two courses in Spanish. Students will enroll in a minimum of twelve (12) credits.

Useful Web Sites:

Exchange Students: <http://www.iqs.es/pages/view/47bc4aea3f714/47bc4aec02962>

