

# GRADE AND CREDIT CONVERSION – MSU Office of Study Abroad

**PROGRAM:** Swiss Education Group (SEG): César Ritz Colleges (CRC) & Hotel Institute Montreux (HIM)

**SPONSOR:** College of Business – School of Hospitality Business

SEG: CRC & HIM Percentage Range*	MSU Grade Equivalent	SEG: CRC & HIM Credits**	MSU Credits**
93-100	4.0	1	1
88-92.9	3.5	2	2
83-87.9	3.0	3	3
78-82.9	2.5	4	4
73-77.9	2.0	5	5
68-72.9	1.5	...	...
63-67.9	1.0	12	12
Less than 63	0.0	15	15

\* Adapted from Cesar Ritz Colleges 0-100% grading scale. See below.

\*\* According to 5/10/23 email from CRC Registrar Mr. David Baird, both César Ritz Colleges and HIM use US-style credits and grading scales.

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

## CRC Grading System

### A. GRADING SYSTEM

César Ritz Colleges Switzerland			
Letter Grade	Equivalent Percentage Range	Quality Points	Description
A	94-100	4.0	Outstanding
A-	90-93	3.7	Excellent
B+	87-89	3.3	Very Good
B	83-86	3.0	Good
B-	80-82	2.7	Above Average
C+	75-79	2.3	Average
C	70-74	2.0	Satisfactory; Minimum Passing CGPA
C-	67-69	1.7	Below Average
D+	63-66	1.3	Poor
D	60-62	1.0	Minimum Passing Course Grade
F	0-59	0.0	Course Fail

## B. ADDITIONAL GRADES AND EXPLANATIONS

TC	Students received transfer credits based on prior learning
Waived	Student met this requirement and was not required to take this course
W	Student withdrew from the course
I	Incomplete course grade due to mitigating circumstances; must be completed in the following terms
IP	Course currently In Progress

## C. ABBREVIATIONS AND COURSE NOTATIONS

GPA	Grade Point Average – each term's Quality Point total (the sum of the Quality Points for each course multiplied by the course's César Ritz Colleges credit value) divided by the number of César Ritz Colleges credits attempted.
CGPA	Cumulative Grade Point Average – a sum of the Quality Point totals from all terms of study divided by the total number of César Ritz Colleges credits attempted.
WSU	The course was completed through on-campus academic partner Washington State University and both the credits and course grade are transferred into the student's program.
Test-out	The student earned credit by demonstrating having already achieved the necessary learning outcomes of the course prior to enrolling at César Ritz Colleges.
Resit	The student failed the course on a first attempt and was allowed a Resit Exam if passed resulting in a capped grade of D.
Repeat	Following poor results on a first attempt, the student has retaken on the course thereby replacing the prior results.

## D. PERFORMANCE

Honor Roll	GPA is 3.70 or higher, with a minimum of 15 credits attempted
Academic Probation	GPA or CGPA is between 1.70 and 1.99
Term Repeat	GPA or CGPA is below 1.70
Academic Dismissal	Ongoing poor academic performance
In Good Standing	All other situations

## E. PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR

Highest Professional Conduct	0 or 1 warning letter received
Satisfactory Professional Conduct	2 or 3 warning letters received
Poor Professional Conduct	4 warning letters received
Failed Professional Conduct	5 or final warning letters received



## Useful Web Sites:

Swiss Education Group:	<a href="http://www.swisseducation.com/en/">www.swisseducation.com/en/</a>
César Ritz Colleges:	<a href="http://www.cesarritzcolleges.edu">www.cesarritzcolleges.edu</a>
Hotel Institute Montreux:	<a href="http://www.hotelinstitutemontreux.com/en/">www.hotelinstitutemontreux.com/en/</a>

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