3rd largest city in the U.S.
35 miles of lakefront, 15 miles of bathing beaches
552 parks, 46 museums, 7000 restaurants
#1 in the U.S. in manufacturing
#1 in the U.S. in nanotechnology
IIT: Illinois Institute of Technology
Location: Chicago, Illinois
Illinois Tech
“A vibrant campus in a global city”
8 Colleges/Centers/Institutes à I.I.T.

- Armour College of Engineering and Science
- College of Architecture
- Lewis College of Human Sciences
- Stuart School of Business
- Chicago-Kent College of Law
- Institute of Design
- School of Applied Technology
- College of Science
The IIT campus – Winter & Spring
Why Study at IIT

- National Hub for the « Perfect Grid » & International hub for hybrid-electric vehicles

- Location in Chicago – 3rd largest city in the U.S. – job opportunities

- Cutting-edge research with 2 world famous labs – Argonne National Lab & Fermi Lab in the Chicagoland area

- Possibility to complete a Master’s degree in 1 year (12 months) without adding an extra year to your studies

- No quotas at the Master’s degree level – 9 ch scholarship ($13,770) offered to those who qualify for admission to IIT – no quota

- F1 visa allows students to work for 12 months in the U.S. in their field of study after the degree from IIT, and extend the work possibility to another 24 months if the field is under the STEM category
OTHER STATISTICS

- Ranks 96 among Best Colleges in the U.S. 2018 edition

- Ranked #22 in the US –Best Master’s program in Finance by TFE
  https://tfetimes.com/best-finance-program-rankings/
MISSION OF THE AITU:

- Recruiting the best and the brightest to member schools by promoting the liberating experiences and rewarding careers that a technology-oriented education offers; and
- Fostering and advancing excellence in engineering, science and professional education from K-12 onward.
- Sharing ideas and best practices to advance and inspire creativity, innovation and entrepreneurship within the membership
Motto of IIT

ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

MAJOR IIT INVENTIONS BY ILLINOIS TECH’S ALUMNAE

CELL PHONE
IIT alumnus
Marty Cooper

MAGNETIC TAPE
IIT Alumnus
Marvin Camras

BAR CODE PRINTER
IIT alumnus
Ed Kaplan

BAR CODE TECHNOLOGY
ArrayComm
Marvin Camras (Alumnus of IIT)

**IIT B.S. EE 1940; M.S. EE 1942**

**Inventor - Magnetic Tape**

Born in Chicago in 1916, Camras was known to his family as an "inventor" by the age of five.

In the late 1930s, Camras was studying electrical engineering at the Armour Institute of Technology (now the Illinois Institute of Technology).

- Camras spent a fifty-year career at Illinois Institute of Technology, where he taught until 1994.
- By the time of his death in 1995, he had earned over 500 US and international patents for his work. He was inducted into the National Inventors Hall of Fame in 1985, and in 1990 he won the National Medal of Technology.
Marty Cooper (Alumnus of IIT
(B.S. EE 1950; M.S. EE 1957)
Inventor – Cell Phone

1st Cell Phone – 1973
(« The Brick ») – weighed
2.5 pounds!!
Named one of the best
inventors of all time for his
work on the first personal
cell phone in the "Best
Inventions of the Year"
article in the October 30
Time Magazine 2007

2nd invention – A new wireless
Internet system called
iBURST
that puts high-speed data
transmission at your
fingertips!!
Ed Kaplan (Alumnus of IIT) (B.S. ME 1965) Inventor of the Bar Code printer

- CEO and Chairman, Zebra Technologies

- Ed Kaplan, one of Chicago's most successful technology entrepreneurs, studied at IIT, where he graduated with a bachelor’s in mechanical engineering

- At 26 years old, Kaplan he co-invented the Bar Code printer called the « Zebra » and also created the first thermal transfer printer to print barcodes directly on products
Partners

SPAIN:

- Universidad Politecnica de Madrid
  (UPM – ETSIT, ETSII, ETSIA, ETSIAE, ETSICCP, ETSIIInf, ETSAM)
- Universidad Politecnica de Catalunya
  (UPC – ETSETB, ETSEIB, ETSAB, ETSCCPB, ETSEEIAT, FME)
- Universidad Politecnica de Valencia
  (UPV – ETSA, ETSII, ETSIT, ETSICCP & ETSIAMN)
- Universidad de Seville
- Universidad Pontificia Comillas, Madrid
- EHU Bilbao – Universidad del Pais Vasco (UPV)
Program Options

Graduate level

- I. Double degree Master’s program in 1 year for ETSETB, ETSEIB, ESEEIAT, FME, FIB & Camins

- II. Research (TFM) for a period of 6 months or upto 1 year maximum, for the above schools

- III. Non-degree visiting & Exchange
  (For students from Camins & ETSAB)

- IV. Graduate Doctoral degree program option – early consideration
  November FME & ETSETB-UPC only
Program Options

Undergraduate level

V. Undergraduate Exchange & Visiting (ETSAB & Camins-UPC only)
Departments @ IIT

Armour College of Engineering
Dept of Mechanical, Materials & Aerospace Eng (ESEEIAT-UPC)
Dept of Biomedical Engineering (ETSEIB, ETSETB-UPC)
Dept of Electrical & Computer Engineering (ETSEIB, ETSETB, ESEEIAT-UPC)
Dept of Civil, Architectural & Environmental Eng (Camins-UPC)
Dept of Chemical & Biological Eng (ETSEIB-UPC)

School of Applied Technology
Dept of Information Technology & Management (ETSEIB, ETSETB, FIB-UPC)
Dept of Industrial Technology & Operations (ETSEIB, ESEEIAT-UPC)

College of Science
Dept of Computer Science (FIB, ETSETB-UPC)
Dept of Applied Mathematics (FME-UPC)
CHOICE OF MASTER’S MUST BE PRE-APPROVED BY UPC

**Applied Physics trains engineering students seeking careers in the area of nanotechnology also trains students interested in optics, laser technology, semi-conductors, nuclear energy, nanofabrication, biotechnology**
What is a U.S. credit hour?

- 1 U.S. credit hour equals 1 contact hour of lecture
- A graduate level course at IIT is usually 3 credit hours
- 3-credit hour course at IIT means that the course is offered three times per week or once a week for (3 c.h. x 1 hour) 3 hours
- 1 U.S. Credit = ~2 ECTS credits
Procedure for the Master’s double degree program

- Year 5 &/or 6 for ESEEIAT, others, year 6
- FME – Year 4.5
- TOEFL min. 90 ibt or IELTS min. 6.5
- GRE general revised exam score minimum for the department
- Application deadlines:
  - Fall semester: April 15, or,
  - Spring semester: October 15
- Final decision made by Illinois Tech
New majors for Fall 2018 – Graduate Level

- Master of Energy Systems (30 c.h.) (ETSEIB, ESEEIAT, ETSCCPB)
  https://engineering.iit.edu/programs/graduate/master-engineering-energy-systems

- Urban Systems Engineering (ETSEIB, ETSCCPB)
  https://engineering.iit.edu/programs/graduate/master-engineering-urban-systems-engineering

- Engineering Management (ETSEIB, ESEEIAT, ETSETB, ETSCCPB)
  https://engineering.iit.edu/programs/graduate/master-engineering-management

- Master of Engineering in Advance Manufacturing (ETSEIB, ESEEIAT)
  https://engineering.iit.edu/programs/graduate/master-engineering-advanced-manufacturing

- Master of Computational Engineering (ETSETB, ETSEIB)
  https://engineering.iit.edu/programs/graduate/master-computational-engineering

- Master of Pharmaceutical Engineering (ETSEIB)
  https://engineering.iit.edu/programs/graduate/master-pharmaceutical-engineering
New Interdisciplinary Majors @IIT
30 credit hours (c.h.)

- Master of Engineering Management
  - Product Design & Dev Track (MMAE)
  - Project Management Track (CAE)

- Master of Eng in Advanced Manufacturing
  - Additive Manufacturing Track (MMAE)
  - Digital Manufacturing Track (MMAE)
  - Automation & Control Systems (ECE)
New Interdisciplinary Majors @IIT
30 credit hours (c.h.)

- **Master of Computational Engineering**
  - Computational Chemical Eng Track (CHBE)
  - Computational Mechanics Track (MMAE)
  - Biomedicine Track (BME)
  - Optimization Machine Vision & Decision-Making Track (ECE)

- **Master of Pharmaceutical Engineering**
  (CHBE)

Illinois Institute of Technology
New Interdisciplinary Majors @ IIT
(30 credit hours (c.h.))

- Master of Engineering in Energy Systems
  - Energy Conservation & Buildings Track (CAE)
  - Energy Generation & Sustainability Track (MMAE)
  - Energy Transmission & Markets Track (ECE)
New Interdisciplinary Majors @ IIT
30 credit hours (c.h.)

• Master of Engineering in Urban Systems
  - Monitoring & Control of Urban systems track (CAE)
  - Urban Transportation Systems Track (CAE)
  - Urban Building Systems Track (CAE)
OUTCOME

✓ 6th year at Illinois Tech
✓ 5th year (FME/ESEEEIAT) at Illinois Tech
✓ Master’s in 1 year (12 months)
  ✓ Includes TFM
✓ 2 degrees
  (IIT Master’s and UPC Master’s equivalent)
MASTER’S DEGREE at IIT - GRADUATE

Master’s degree = 30, 32, 33 or 34 credits
(Each course usually equals 3 hours )
i.e. 3 contact hours per week with a professor)
32 credits = ~11 courses

Transfer of credit of 2 courses (validated by IIT)
= less 6 credits

M.S. at IIT in 1 year (2 semesters)
34 - 6 = 28 credits (U.S.)
33 - 6 = 27 credits (U.S.)
32 - 6 = 26 credits (U.S.)
30 - 6 = 24 credits (U.S.)
Academic Calendar

Fall Semester
Mid-August – mid-December
(Recommended deadline – 15 April)

Spring Semester
Mid-January – mid-May
(Recommended deadline – 15 October)

Web.iit.edu/registrar/academic-calendar
TOEFL ou IELTS

Non-admissible <70 ; <5.5
Admissible 70 – 89 ; 5.5 – 6.0 with IIT PESL assessment – extra cost
Admissible 90+ ; 6.5+ (no IIT PESL assessment)

Cost (Spain): 2018: 245 USD - TOEFL
216 Euros - IELTS

Website:
http://appliedtech.iit.edu/english-language-services/graduate-faqs-assessments
TOEFL & IELTS TEST DATES & LOCATIONS IN SPAIN

TOEFL TEST DATES & LOCATIONS IN SPAIN

https://www.ets.org/bin/getprogram.cgi?urlSource=toefl&newRegURL=&test=TOEFL&greClosed=new&greClosedCountry=China&browserType=&toeflType=&redirect=&t_country1=group_Spain

Cost: $245 - Year 2018

IELTS TEST DATES & LOCATIONS IN SPAIN

https://www.britishcouncil.es/en/exam/ielts/dates-fees-locations

Cost: 216 Euros – Year 2018
Attention:

DO NOT UPLOAD YOUR TRANSCRIPTS NOR COMPLETE APPLICATION TILL YOU HAVE ACHIEVED THE MINIMUM TOEFL/IELTS AND GRE GENERAL SCORE REQUIREMENTS FOR IIT

• Students with an iBT OVERALL SCORE OF 90+ or IELTS score of 6.5+ or PTE score of 63+ may be unconditionally admitted (if all other elements meet IIT’s admission requirements)

• Students with a TOEFL iBT score of less than 70, or IELTS less than 5.5 or PTE less than 53 will NOT be admissible

• Students with a TOEFL iBT overall score of 70 – 89, IELTS 5.5-6.0 or PTE of 47 - 62 will be required to take an assessment in each section that falls below the minimum score - TOEFL ibt for each section below 20, PTE below 53, IELTS below 6.5

• For updated information regarding the assessment exam please visit the PESL Assessment FAQs page - http://appliedtech.iit.edu/english-language-services/graduate-faqs-assessments
IIT English Proficiency Requirements:
http://admissions.iit.edu/graduate/apply/english-proficiency-requirements

PESL:
http://pl.iit.edu/pesl-assessment/faq.pdf
TOEFL or IELTS & GRE

TOEFL score minimum - 90 ibt
www.toefl.org – (ETS administers this exam)

OR

IELTS – score minimum - 6.5
www.ielts.org (IELTS administers this exam)

AND

GRE revised general (ETS administers this exam)
https://www.ets.org/gre/revised_general/about
Score minimum – per department at IIT
https://admissions.iit.edu/graduate/apply/gre-requirements

Must request ETS to send your Official TOEFL and GRE scores directly to IIT Chicago – Institution code 1318. For IELTS they should send it to Grad Admissions
The GRE Revised General Exam
https://www.ets.org/gre/revised_general/about

3 sections:

1. Verbal (Multiple choice) 130-170 scale score
2. Quantitative (Multiple choice) 130 – 170 scale score
3. Analytical (Essay) out of 6

Cost: 205 USD (2017-2018)
ARMOUR COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering
\[ V+Q = 304 \ (159Q), \ A = 2.5 \]

Department of Mechanical, Materials & Aerospace Engineering
\[ V+Q = 298 \ (151Q), \ A = 2.5 \]

Dept. Of Biomedical Engineering
\[ Q+ V = 304 \ (158Q); \ A = 2.5 \]

Dept. Of Civil, Architectural & Environmental Engineering
\[ V+Q = 292, \ A = 2.5 \]

Dept. Of Chemical & Biological Engineering
\[ V + Q = 292, \ A = 2.5 \]
IIT GRE General MINIMUM Requirements per department
https://admissions.iit.edu/graduate/apply/gre-requirements

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE
Department Of Computer Science
V+Q= 295/300 , A = 2.5/3.0

Master of Data Science
V+Q = 304, A= 2.5

Department of Applied Mathematics
V+Q = 304, A = 2.5 ( Doctoral degree applicants should have higher scores)

Department of Physics
V+Q = 304, A = 2.5

Dept. Of Biology
Q+V = 305, A = 2.5

Dept. Of Chemistry
Q+V= 300, A = 2.5
IIT GRE General MINIMUM Requirements per department at IIT (Master’s Level)
https://admissions.iit.edu/graduate/apply/gre-requirements

SCHOOL OF APPLIED TECHNOLOGY

Dept of Industrial Technology & Operations
Q+V = 292, A = 2.5

Department of Information Tech Mgmt
V+Q = 295, A = 2.5

Food Safety
Q+V = 295/304, A = 2.5
Double Degree (Master’s level - GRADUATE)

- Pre-selection by UPC is required
- TOEFL 90 iBT minimum or IELTS 6.5 or PTE 63 (official score)
admissions.iit.edu/graduate/apply/english-proficiency-requirement
- GRE general (request ETS to send your official score directly to IIT Chicago –Institution code 1318)
admissions.iit.edu/graduate/apply/gre-requirements
- IIT Graduate International application
http://admissions.iit.edu/graduate/apply/degree-seeking-checklist
- 1 or 2 letter(s) of recommendation (depending on the department)
- Professional statement
- Proof of Bachelor’s degree equivalent certified in English
- Transcripts certified in Spanish and in English
- 1 Copy of the identity page of your passport
- Recommended deadlines: 15 April (Fall semester) et 15 October (Spring semester) or as early as possible

N.B. IIT makes the final decision. Pre-selection does NOT guarantee admission to IIT
List of some course transfers – Spanish partners

**UPCatalunya:**

**ESEIAT:** MMAE 502 & MMAE 525

**ETSEIB:** MMAE 451, 485, 509, or 543

**FME:** MATH 453, 589, 454, 512

N.B: 6 ECTS = 3 U.S. credits = 1 course at IIT
Master’s Degree (Engineering/Science)

Example of a 32-credit hour program

24 credits = ~7 courses

1 - 5 credits = Research project option
(No. of credits awarded for research is dependent on the department at IIT per the required courses to be completed)

26 credits = Master’s degree

N.B. – 1 U.S. credit = ~2 ECTS credits
Master of Science in Electrical Engineering (32 c.h.)
Master of Science in Computer Engineering (32 c.h.)
Master of Science in Electrical & Computer Engineering (32 c.h.)
Master of Biomedical Imaging & Signals (30 c.h.)
Master of Electricity Markets (30 c.h.)
Master of Network Engineering (30 c.h.)
Master of Power Engineering (30 c.h.)
Master of Telecommunications & Software Engineering (30 c.h.)
Master of VLSI & Microelectronics (30 c.h.)
Master of Electrical & Computer Engineering (30 c.h.)

N.B. - This department has a Doctoral program
IIT Department of Information Technology Management (appliedtech.iit.edu/itm) (ETSETB/FIB-UPC)

1. Master of Cyber Forensics & Security (30 c.h.)
2. Master of Information Technology & Management (30 c.h.) with Specializations:
   - Web Design
   - Management Information Systems
   - Digital Systems Technology & Mgmt
   - Software Development
   - Computer & Network Security Technologies
   - Information Technology Management & Entrepreneurship
   - Web Design & Application Development
   - Voice & Data Comm Tech

• No Ph.D. (Doctoral) program
Difference between MCS and MS CS

✓ MCS - more applied

✓ MSCS

- for students interested in pursuing a doctoral program thereafter
- students may also take certain courses offered in the MCS program
Master of Data Science (33 c.h.)

http://iit.edu/csl/programs/professional_masters/ds_academics.shtml

- Master of Science in Computer Science (32 c.h.)

- Master of Computer Science with different specializations (30 or 33 c.h.)

  Computational Intelligence  Finance
  Cyber-Physical Systems  Business
  Data Analytics  Networking & Comm
  Database systems
  Distributed & Cloud Computing
  Education
  Information Security & Assurance  Software engineering

N.B. – The department has a Doctoral program (Ph.D. level)
Master of:
- Construction Engineering & Management
- Architectural Engineering
- Structural Engineering
- Transportation Engineering
- Public Works
- Environmental Engineering

N.B. The department has a doctoral program (Ph.D.)
Department of Physics
(science.iit.edu/physics)

• Master of Science in Physics (32 c.h.) with upto 6 c.h. towards research

• Master of Science in Applied Physics (32 c.h.) for those with an engineering background
  • http://science.iit.edu/programs/graduate/master-science-applied-physics

N.B. – The department has a Doctoral program (Ph.D. level)
Department of Biomedical Engineering (engineering.iit.edu/bme) (ETSEIB/ETSETB-UPC applicants)

- Master of Biomedical Engineering (30 c.h.) (no required research)

N.B. – The department has a Doctoral program (Ph.D. level)
IIT Department of Chemical & Biological engineering (engineering.iit.edu/chbe) (ETSEIB-UPC applicants)

- MASTER:
  - Master of Chemical Engineering (30 c.h.)
  - Master of Biological Engineering (30 c.h.)

N.B. The department has a Doctoral program (Ph.D. level)
Department of Applied Math  
( FME-UPC applicants)  
(science.iit.edu/applied-mathematics)  

- **Master of Mathematical Finance (1 yr)** in collaboration with IIT - Stuart School of Business (cost per credit hours $1725 @ Stuart School of Business August 2018-May 2019): IIT Partner scholarship will NOT apply

- **Master of Science in Applied Math** (32 c.h.)

**N.B.- The department has a Doctoral program**
IIT Department of Mechanical, Materials & Aerospace Engineering (engineering.iit.edu/mmae) (ESEIIAT/ETSEIB-UPC applicants)

- Master of Engineering (30 c.h.) in:
  Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering
  Material Science & Engineering
  Manufacturing Engineering (1.5 yrs)

Research Centers
Fluid Dynamic Research Center (fdrc.iit.edu)

Thermal Processing Technology Center (mmae.iit.edu/~tpc/)

N.B. The department has a Doctoral program (Ph.D. level)
M.S. 32 – 34 credit hours with thesis or non-thesis option

- M.S. in Biology
- M.S. in Biology with Biochemistry specialization
- M.S. in Biology with Cell & Molecular Biology specialization
- M.S. in Biology with Microbiology specialization
- M.S. in Biology with Molecular Biochemistry & Biophysics specialization

N.B. – The department has a Doctoral program (Ph.D. level)
CHOICE OF COURSES AT IIT

IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER:

• Not all courses are offered all of the time
• Some courses will be offered once every two years
• Some courses will be offered once every year
• Some courses will be offered each semester
• Some courses may not be offered/opened if there are less than 10 students registered for the course

What you should do:

• Regarding electives, discuss with your professor at your home university, the elective courses you will need to take for validation & alternatives & submit only once admitted
• In this case, it is imperative that once selected, you submit complete documents to IIT for an early decision well before April 15
M.S. degree in Applied Math
- For FME-UPC students

- Applications for the Spring semester only
- F1 visa category
- 32 c.h. with thesis
- Defense of thesis at IIT
- Completed 4.5 yrs at FME-UPC
- Must complete at least 2 core sequences e.g. Computational, Discrete or Stochastics
- May be eligible for transfer of credit of upto 3 courses — (9 c.h.) — Only for FME

Illinois Institute of Technology
Program III: FME-UPC – Doctoral degree level

Doctoral degree program:

✓ Pre-selection by FME
✓ Completion of Master’s at FME-UPC
✓ May apply to pursue PhD in 6th year first semester
✓ Overall average 7.5 out of 10 with 8/10 in Math courses
✓ TOEFL 95+
✓ GRE quantitative 160+ overall 304
✓ Early review by IIT end of Nov/early Dec
✓ Limit to 1 student per year
IIT Master’s degree -32 credits (ECE/CS) – IIT
Cost – Aug 2018 – May 2019

IIT
Tuition Aug.2018-May 2019

2018-2019
26 c.h.
$39,780

IIT Scholarship 9 c.h.
$13,770

2018-2019
Cost
$26,010 (€22,816)
IIT Master’s Degree (30 credits) (ITM/Biomedical Eng/MMAE/INTM)
Cost – August 2017 – May 2018

IIT
Cost August 2017-May 2018

2017-2018
24 c.h.
$35,280

IIT scholarship 9 c.h.
$13,770

2017-2018
Cost
$21,510(€18,868)
Master of Computer Science with Business/Finance Specialization – IIT Tuition cost – August 2018 – May 2019

IIT Cost August 2018-May 2019

- 2018-2019
  - 18 c.h. + 9 c.h. (Bus)
  - $27,540 + $15,525
  - = $43,065

- SCHOLARSHIP 9 c.h.
  - $13,770

- 2018-2019 Cost
  - $29,295 (€25,697)
Mandatory & Other Fees  
(Engineering, Technology & Science)  
August 2018-May 2019

Aug. 2018 – May 2019 ( 9 months (1 academic year) 

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Updates for August 2019-May 2020 fees will be posted in Feb/March 2019:

Exchange rate: 1.14 USD = 1 Euro (Oct. 28, 2018)

Master of Computer Science with Specialization in Business/Finance

• 33 credit hours
• 24 credit hours in CS (~6 courses) and 9 credit hours in Business (~ 3 courses)
• At least 20 CS courses must be at the 500-level
• GRE general required
• Application to CS department is sufficient
• Cost for Business courses will be EXTRA. At the Stuart School of Business the cost is 1,725 USD per credit hour (Aug.2018-May 2019)
• IIT Paris International Alliance scholarship will NOT APPLY TO STUART SCHOOL OF BUSINESS COURSES
• Weblink:
  http://www.iit.edu/csl/cs/programs/grad/mcs_bus.shtml
The benefits

New car = €23,000
Rolls out of the showroom
= Value reduced by -20%

Master’s d’IIT : €23,000
Graduate from IIT = Salary:
€53,000 (+30% aux US)
UPON GRADUATION - POSSIBILITIES

- Work in the U.S. under F1 OPT for 12 months
- Possible extension if STEM-related to 24 months in addition under OPT
- Median salary: 64,000 USD (55,000 Euros) according to specialization
  - PhD. (Doctorate) in the U.S. or elsewhere
  - Work in Europe or elsewhere
IIT Alums in Chicago

Profesionales Espanoles en Chicago (PEC)

Javier Perez – javierptg@gmail.com
Sergio Perez – serpear@gmail.com

https://www.pec-network.com/about-pec
Testimony from an alum Mr. Javier Perez, of ETSII-UPM & IIT (IIT-MMAE 2008)

Was it worth it?
"Absolutely! The experience is worth the cost a compensation point of view as well as a personal endeavor. Without the IIT, I would have not been able to work in the USA."

Would you recommend this experience to others & why?
The job market is a very competitive one. You need to be able to differentiate yourself. Coming to study in the USA gives you that differentiation."

Salary range: first year 50+10K; 3rd yr: 65+10K
"After F1 OPT, and then several H1bs, I got my green card last year, 9 years after I arrived in the USA."

Current job position: Senior Associate for Strategy
Program II - Research

✓ Application deadlines:
  Fall – Feb 15
  Spring – November 15

✓ Must be first pre-selected by your school

✓ No TOEFL nor GRE required – however proof of English proficiency (intermediate level) must be provided by the home institution

✓ Cost of 3 credit hours for 6 months = $4,590 (August 2018-May 2019 cost in Engineering, Science, Applied Math & Architecture) – student’s responsibility
Program II – Research - PROCEDURE

- Selected by school – name submitted to IIT Europe
- Send required docs (certified copy of transcript in English only, 2 letters of recommendation, CV, copy of the name page of passport, certified letter of proof of intermediate level in English or official & valid TOEFL/IELTS score & a professional statement – identify three professors in one department at IIT, with whom you would like to work), proof of Bachelor’s degree in English, VIA EMAIL to IIT Europe office
- IIT Europe will distribute the dossier to the 3 professors you are asked to identify within 1 department at IIT Chicago
- MUST CHOOSE ONLY ONE DEPARTMENT AT IIT
- IF APPROVED BY THE PROFESSOR AT IIT, IIT Europe OFFICE will inform you, after which you will send your certified transcripts in the native language and English, and the Financial support form IN ORIGINAL BY POST, directly to the Department coordinator at IIT. You will be informed where to send the documents once approved.

- DO NOT SEND ANY DOCUMENTS TO THE GRADUATE ADMISSION OFFICE NOR TO THE PROFESSORS, AS THEY DO NOT PROCESS RESEARCH APPLICANTS
Application deadlines:

- **Spring**: Nov 1
- **Fall**: Feb 15
- Pre-selection by UPC
- NO TOEFL nor GRE required
- Research period: 6 months
- Registration fee at IIT for 3 credits (4,590 USD)
- Registration fee at IIT for 4 credits (1 yr) (6,120 USD) *(August 2018-May 2019 cost)*
Some Research Centers @ IIT

- Ubiquitous Security & Privacy Research Lab
- Electric Power & Power Electronic Center
- Future Networking Research Lab
- Computational Design & Manufacturing Lab
- Medical Imaging Research Center
- Embedded Capacity & Signal Processing Research
- Electric Drives & Energy Conversion Lab
- Fluid Dynamics Research Center
  National Center of Excellence
- Thermal Processing Technology Center
- Advanced Thermal & Environmental Systems Research Lab – (ATESR)
- Robotics Lab
- Wanger Institute for Sustainable Energy Research
- Particle Test & Crystallization Center
- Robert W. Galvin Center for Electricity Innovation
Illinois Tech Research Institutes & Centers

➢ Do NOT contact the professors directly

➢ Each professor working at a research center/institute at IIT, is affiliated to a department at Illinois Tech

➢ When applying for research, documents are issued by the department NOT the research center
Program III – Undergraduate Non-degree Visiting (ETSAB)

- Pre-selected by ETSAB
- Application deadline April 15 for Fall
- List of courses to be taken at IIT
- Pursue courses for one year (minimum 12 c.h. per semester)
- TOEFL 80 ibt or IELTS 6.5
- Visa J1 non-degree visiting
- Architecture applicants can only apply for Fall & Spring
Bachelor’s curriculum:
http://arch.iit.edu/study/b-arch-curriculum

Studio-based curriculum:
- Emphasis on architecture detailing
- Learning the art of building
- Connecting the art of building to the art of construction

Eligible for 4th year students – concentration on comprehensive building design
Undergraduate Application Procedure

° IIT international undergraduate Application Form
  http://admissions.iit.edu/undergraduate/apply/visiting-and-exchange-program
° 1 letter of recommendation
° TOEFL score of 80 iBT or IELTS score of 6.5
  (Request the ETS to send your official score
  report directly to IIT Chicago. For TOEFL – IIT’s
  Institution code is 1318)
° Certified High school final exams results &
  University course exam results in English and in the native language
  (where applicable)
° Financial Affidavit of Support must be sent with the application
° One page CV/resume
° Copy of passport
° List of courses you’d like to take at IIT
° Architecture applicants to submit a digital portfolio of a
  summary of work done in each year of study
### Non-degree Visiting students

(August 2018-May 2019)

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(Room & Board if living off campus is at your own additional expense)

https://web.iit.edu/student-accounting/tuition-fees/future-tuition/mies-campus-undergraduate

Exchange rate: 1 euro = 1.14 (Oct.28, 2018)

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| **Total**                          | **$3,257** (€2,857)**

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Cost for 1 Exchange student from ETSAB-UPC

- No tuition fee to IIT
- ETSAB Exchange student will pay the Mandatory and Other fees at IIT
- ETSAB Exchange student will be responsible for his/her living and other expenses
Mailing of Undergraduate documents:

Mail documents & updated transcripts to:
Office of Undergraduate Admissions
c/o Illinois Institute of Technology
101 Perlstein Hall
10 W 33rd Street
Chicago, IL 60616
USA
P: 312 567 3025
On-campus Housing @ IIT
Gunsaulus Hall
On-campus Housing – State Street Village (SSV) designed by Helmut Jahn
On-campus Housing @ IIT
McCormick Student Village
ACCOMMODATION
(Aug 2018- May 2019)

ROOM RATES ON CAMPUS:

BOARD/MEAL RATES ON CAMPUS:
ACCOMMODATION

In the city: \(~\) min. $1,200 (€526-shared) or €1,052 (studio -1 person) – without meals, and unfurnished

Exchange rate: 1 Euro = 1.14 USD (Oct. 30, 2018)
Websites

IIT                  www.iit.edu

TOEFL                www.toefl.org

GRE general          http://www.ets.org/gre/

IELTS                www.ielts.org

Pearson Test of English  - www.pearsonpte.com

IIT Athletics:
http://www.illinoistechathletics.com/landing/index
Websites

ARMOUR COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
engineering.iit.edu

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE
science.iit.edu

STUART SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
www.stuart.iit.edu

SCHOOL OF APPLIED TECHNOLOGY
appliedtech.iit.edu
Illinois Institute of Technology

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Your journey to Illinois Tech begins!