

Mount Holyoke College
TWELVE COLLEGE EXCHANGE PROGRAM
APPLICATION INFORMATION

Applications are due in the Office of Academic Deans by December 1st (for following academic year).

The Twelve College Exchange Program gives qualified students the opportunity to apply to spend a year or a semester at one of the other *participating institutions*:

Amherst College	Trinity College
Bowdoin College	Vassar College
Connecticut College	Wellesley College
Dartmouth College	Wesleyan University
National Theatre Institute	Wheaton College
Smith College	Williams-Mystic Seaport Maritime Program

Fees and Financial Aid

Students on exchange **pay the tuition and fees of the host school, to the host school.** Federal financial aid can apply, but Mount Holyoke financial aid does not travel.

Application Process and Timeline

Signed and completed applications for the Twelve College Exchange Program are due in the Office of Academic Deans, 300 Mary Lyon Hall, on **December 1st** for the following academic year (fall semester, spring semester, or full year).

The following programs have their own application forms that students must complete and submit (adhering to the program application deadline, which may be different) directly to the program (*in addition to completing Mount Holyoke's Twelve College Exchange Program Application*):

Williams-Mystic Seaport Program (www.williamsmystic.org/mystic_hm.html)

National Theatre Institute Program (<http://nti.conncoll.edu/nti.htm>)

The Twelve College Exchange Coordinators consult early in the spring semester about the number of applicants and spaces available.

Students can expect to be notified early in April whether they have been offered a place on exchange.

Contact Information

Students are asked not to contact the coordinators at the other member institutions, but to direct all questions to Mount Holyoke's **Exchange Coordinator**:

Kat Eldred
Twelve College Exchange Coordinator
keldred@mtholyoke.edu
Office of Academic Deans
300 Mary Lyon Hall
413-538-3610

**Twelve College Exchange
Information and Application**

College you wish to attend:	
Period of attendance:	
Your name:	
Class Year:	
Academic Advisor:	
Declared Major:	
MHC PO Box #:	
Cell Phone:	Email:
Date of Birth:	
Parent or Guardian's name:	
Address:	
Phone:	Email:

Tentative Course Selections
Please list department, course number and title

Semester/Quarter: _____ Semester/Quarter: _____

Course #	Course Title		Course #	Course Title

Semester/Quarter: _____ (3rd for Dartmouth)

Course #	Course Title

If applicable, please comment on possible alternate courses **or** if there are any courses which, if not offered, would prevent you from attending.

State briefly, but fully, your reasons for wishing to take part in the Exchange Program. Be specific about how it will further your educational goals. DO NOT USE AN ADDITIONAL SHEET.

I hereby authorize the exchange of my education records between my home and host institutions. I understand that I may obtain on request copies of any materials exchanged.

Student's signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Advisor's Approval

You must obtain the signature of your faculty advisor, indicating that you have discussed your plans and that it should be possible for you to complete the major and all other requirements upon your return to Mount Holyoke. If you are planning to double major, you must have both advisors' signatures.

Academic Advisor's signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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(for Double Major only)

Twelve College Exchange Coordinators' Approvals

Home Coordinator

This applicant has met the requirements for the twelve college exchange program and is approved to attend.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

Host Coordinator This applicant is:

- Accepted**
- Not Accepted**

Signature _____ **Date** _____