

# **INTERNATIONAL**

## ***Incoming Students:***

### **Degree seeking students**

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#### **F1 Visa**

As an international student, you will attend San Ignacio College under the F1 visa.

A F1 visa is an entry permit issued by a U.S. Embassy or Consulate allowing you to enter the U.S. to engage in full-time studies at San Ignacio College.

Visit [travel.state.gov](http://travel.state.gov) for more information on F1 visas.

#### **SEVIS I-20**

The SEVIS I-20 is a Certificate of Eligibility issued by San Ignacio College, allowing you to request a F1 Visa from a U.S. Embassy or Consulate. The SEVIS I-20 contains information such as degree objective, program start and end dates and other personal information relevant to the F1 status.

#### **I-94 Admission Record**

The I-94 Admission Record, issued by the US Customs and Border Protection, is a document of your arrival and lawful entry to the U.S.

#### **Employment on F1 Status**

There are two types of employment a student under the F1 students can perform:

##### On-Campus Employment:

F1 students are permitted to work on-campus using a valid I-20 and I-94 Admission Record while maintaining F1 status and full-time enrollment at San Ignacio College. F1 students may work on-campus part-time (up to 20 hours per week) during the academic year.

F1 students are not eligible for federal work-study positions

### ***Why studying at SIC? – Testimonials***



**Valentina Fernandez**  
**Marketing**  
**Venezuela**

“When you arrive to a new country, it’s really important to find a space where you can meet people and make friends. My favorite thing about San Ignacio College is that it provides that space; because it’s a boutique college, it’s really easy to get to know everyone.”



**Carlos Navas**  
**Culinary Arts**  
**Colombia**

“I decided to study in San Ignacio College because it’s a recognized institution, with an innovative education in the fields of gastronomy and business, areas than have been part of my passion of my entire life. Another interesting thing I like about San Ignacio College are the international alliances in Europe, Asia, and Latin America, providing me the opportunity to enhance my education in many different exchange programs.”



**Elvis Minchola**  
**International Business**  
**Peru**

“I choose to study in San Ignacio College because it offered a very affordable price, and because the program was exactly what I was looking for. Miami was also a very attractive destination for me because it’s a city full of opportunities. It has many places to explore and is very multicultural; you can meet people from pretty much everywhere.”



**Andrea Zamora**  
**Hospitality Management**  
**Venezuela**

“The best thing about San Ignacio College is by far the small classes and the fact that I get to have a direct line of communication with my teachers and the faculty members. San Ignacio College has a really nice environment and is a great place to get your higher education, especially if you are scared of sliding through the cracks of a big university.”



**Perrine Fleuriot**  
**Study Abroad - Business Administration**  
**France**

“I really enjoyed my experience in San Ignacio College. I appreciated studying with people of different origins, and participating in culinary events, like the World Guinness Record for the Largest Quinoa Bowl and Chef for a Day. I also liked how all the professors were passionate about their work and delivered great knowledge. I truly valued their encouragements and advices during this year.”

### **Study Abroad Program:**

San Ignacio College welcomes international students as part of a Study Abroad program, where students from our partner universities can come to our Miami campus for 1 or 2 semesters, to study in any of our majors:

- Business Administration
- International Business
- Hospitality Management
- Marketing

Students will be enrolled in 5 different courses (previously discussed and authorized by the partner university) taking class alongside our local and international students.

### **Living in Miami**

- **Housing and accommodation:**

This section will serve you as a compass in the search for the perfect housing arrangement to complement your study abroad experience. Off-campus housing offers you the ability to choose accommodations that meet your lifestyle and needs, within a wide range of pricing options, and the opportunity to get to know people outside the university. San Ignacio College will work as a facilitator between you and the many lodging options available in the city:

- Rentals
- Aparthotels.

### **City of Doral**

Our campus is located at the heart of the City of Doral, one of the most popular suburbs of Miami. This unique community is the home of people of all ages and cultures, and its central location allows its residents easy access to the many entertainment options of South Florida.

#### **Rentals:**

##### **1. Camden Apartments:**

**Location:** 4790 NW 107th Ave, Doral, FL 33178

- Distance from campus: 0.7 miles.

- Car: approx. 5 min.

- Walking: approx. 15 min.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom, and 3-bedroom furnished apartments, each with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 2 to 3 bathrooms.

\*\*Occupancy of 4 and 6 people per apartment respectively.

**Community amenities:** Swimming pool and Jacuzzi, fully equipped fitness center, tennis court, business center, and outdoor BBQ and picnic area.

**Pricing:** \$1000 per person per month.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (866) 932-2460

Website: <https://www.camdenliving.com/doral-fl-apartments/camden-doral>

\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.

##### **2. AMLI at Doral:**

**Location:** 11481 NW 41st St, Doral, FL 33178

- Distance from campus: 1.1 miles.

- Car: approx. 5 min.

- Public Transportation: approx. 13 min.

- Walking: approx. 22 min.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom, and 3-bedroom apartments, each with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 1 to 2 bathrooms.

\*Apartments come unfurnished.

\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartments is 2 people per bedroom.

**Community amenities:** Swimming pool, sauna, lounge with billiards, game tables and television, business center, fitness center, outdoor living room with fire pit, and gazebo.

**Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: from \$2,050 to \$2,100 per month.  
*\*4 people per apartment: \$513 to \$525 per person per month.*
- 3-bedroom apartments: starting at \$2,500 per month.  
*\*6 people per apartment: starting at \$416 per person per month.*

**Application requirements:**

- Admission fees (>\$100) and a security deposit (>\$500) must be paid in order to rent the apt.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (844) 203-5349

Website: <http://www.amli.com/apartments/south-florida/southeast-florida/miami/doral>

*\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.*

3. Doral West Apartments:

**Location:** 5400 NW 114th Ave, Doral, FL 33178

- Distance from campus: 1.7 miles.
- Car: approx. 7 min.
- Public Transportation: approx. 25 min.
- Walking: approx. 35 min.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom, and 3-bedroom apartments, each with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 1 to 3 bathrooms.

*\*Apartments come unfurnished.*

*\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartments is 2+1 people per bedroom.*

**Community amenities:** Two swimming pools and a hot tub, fitness center with cardio and weight equipment, tennis court, and business center.

**Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: from \$1,970 to \$2,070 per month.  
*\*5 people per apartment: \$395 to \$414 per person per month.*
- 3-bedroom apartments: from \$2,150 to \$2,375 per month.  
*\*7 people per apartment: \$308 to \$340 per person per month*

**Application requirements:**

- Applicant must be 18 or older.
- A prove of income 4 times the value of the rent must be presented with application.
- Admission fees (>\$100) and security deposit (>\$500) must be paid in order to rent the apartment.
- International tenant's application cannot be done online.
- The lease contract is valid for 7 to 12 month.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (866) 566-1360.

Website: <http://www.doralwestapartments.com/>

*\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.*

#### 4. Palms of Doral:

**Location:** 5611 NW 112th Ave, Doral, FL 33178

- Distance from campus: 1.7 miles.
- Car: approx. 7 min.
- Public Transportation: approx. 31 min.
- Walking: approx. 33 min.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom, and 3-bedroom apartments, each with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 1 to 2 bathrooms.

\*Apartments are unfurnished.

\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartment is 2 people per bedroom.

**Community amenities:** Swimming pool and hot tub, tennis court, and fitness center.

**Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: from \$1,800 to \$1,880 per month.  
*\*4 people per apartment: \$450 to \$470 per person per month.*
- 3-bedroom apartments: starting at \$1800 per month.  
*\*6 people per apartment: starting at \$450 per person per month.*

**Application requirements:**

- Applicant must be 18 or older.
- A prove of income 3 times the value of the rent must be presented with application. If unable to present a prove of income, applicant must pay 3 months of rent as deposit (refundable at time of move out)
- Admission fees and security deposit (>\$500) must be paid in order to rent the apartment.
- International tenants must present a valid passport and I-94.
- The lease contract is valid for 7 to 12 month. Month to month leasing available for an increase of \$200 in rent's market value.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 436-3090.

Website: <http://www.palmsofdoral.com/>

\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.

#### 5. Cordoba Luxury Rentals:

**Location:** 8150 NW 53rd St, Doral, FL 33166

- Distance from campus: 4.0 miles.
- Car: approx. 15 min.
- Public transportation: approx. 20 min.
- Walking: approx. 1h 15 min.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom, and 3-bedroom apartments, each with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 1 to 2 bathrooms.

\*Apartments are unfurnished.

\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartments is 2 people per bedroom

**Community amenities:** Two swimming pools and pool-side cabanas, outdoor kitchen and sports bar area, complete fitness center, yoga and pilates studio, game room and business center.

**Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: \$1,700 to \$2,500 per month.  
*\*4 people per apartment: \$425 to \$625 per person per month.*

- 3-bedroom apartments: \$2,310 to \$2,900 per month.  
\*6 people per apartment: \$385 to \$483 per person per month.

**Application requirements:**

- Applicant must be 18 or older.
- Application fee (\$100), admission fee (500\$) and a refundable security deposit (\$500) must be paid in order to rent the apartment.
- International tenants must present a valid passport and visa.
- A prove of income 4 times the value of the rent must be presented with application.
- The lease contract is valid for 7 (increases rent price) to 12 month.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 392-5900

Website: <http://www.cordobadoralaps.com/>

\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.

Apartment-hotels:

Element Miami Doral (\*\*\*):

**Location:** 3285 NW 107th Avenue, Miami, FL 33172

- Distance from campus: 0.5 miles.
- Car: approx. 5 min.
- Walking: approx. 10 min.

**Room style:** Studio room with two queen-size beds, or one king-size bed, fully equipped kitchen, work area and one bathroom.

**Hotel amenities:** Daily housekeeping, full hot breakfast, business center, fitness center, bar and restaurant, free WiFi in the lobby area and free parking.

**Pricing:** \$209 per night.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (786) 272-7250

Website: <http://www.elementmiamidor.com/>

EuroSuites Hotel (\*\*\*):

**Location:** 1750 NW 107th Ave, Miami, FL 33172

- Distance from campus: 1.5 miles.
- Car: approx. 5 min.
- Public transportation: approx. 25 min.
- Walking: approx. 30 min.

**Room style:** One-bedroom suit with 1 king bed and sofa bed, fully equipped kitchen, with dining and cooking utensils included, and 1 bathroom.

**Hotel amenities:** Daily housekeeping, swimming pool and hot tub, bar and lounge, fitness center, and free WiFi.

**Pricing:** \$178 per night.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (786) 472-9095

Website: <http://www.eurossuites.com/>

Extended Stay America - Doral (\*\*):

**Location:** 8720 NW 33rd St, Miami, FL 33172.

- Distance from campus: 2.4 miles.
- Car: approx. 8 min.
- Public transportation: approx. 22 min.
- Walking: approx. 48 min.

**Room style:** Apartment-style studio suit, with 1 queen bed, kitchen equipped with refrigerator, microwave, and stovetop (dining and cooking utensils provided), and bathroom.

**Hotel amenities:** Daily housekeeping, swimming pool, on-site guest laundry, fitness club access, and free WiFi in all guest rooms.

**Pricing:** \$125 per night.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 436-1811

Website: <http://www.extendedstayamerica.com/>

### Outside the City of Doral

Miami is a diverse city with a lot to offer. If you are more into big city life, then these options are perfect for you:

#### Rentals:

##### 1. Moda North Bay Village:

**Location:** 8000 West Drive, North Bay Village, Florida, 33141.

- Distance from campus: 16.2 miles.
- Car: approx. 35 min.
- Public Transportation: approx. 1h 50min.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom apartments, with kitchen, washer and dryer, and 1 to 2 bathrooms.

\*Apartments come unfurnished.

\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartments is 2 people per bedroom.

**Community amenities:** Two swimming pools, outdoor BBQ, indoors entertainment kitchen, resident lounge, fitness center, yoga and spinning center.

#### **Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: from \$2,070 to \$3,130 per month.  
*\*4 people per apartment: \$518 to \$783 per person per month.*

#### **Application requirements:**

- Applicant must be 18 or older.
- A proof of income 4 times the value of the rent must be presented with application. If proof of income cannot be presented, a deposit of 1 month of rent must be paid.
- Application fees (>\$100) and admission deposit (>\$800) must be paid in order to rent the apartment.
- International application cannot be done online, and applicant must present valid passport and visa.
- The lease contract is valid for 7 to 12 month.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 521-1681

Website: <http://www.viewmoda.com>

\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.

## 2. Flamingo South Beach North and South Towers:

**Location:** 1508 Bay Road, Miami Beach, FL 33139

- Distance from campus: 18.1 miles.

- Car: approx. 43 min.

- Public Transportation: approx. 2 h.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom apartments, and 3-bedroom apartments, each with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 2 to 3 bathrooms.

\*Apartments come unfurnished.

\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartments is 2 people per bedroom.

**Community amenities:** Two swimming pools, outdoor BBQ, indoors entertainment kitchen, resident lounge, fitness center, yoga and spinning center.

### **Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: from \$2,200 to \$4,100 per month.

*\*4 people per apartment: \$550 to \$1,025 per person per month*

- 3-bedroom apartments: from \$3,900 to \$4,100 per month.

*\*6 people per apartment: \$650 to \$685 per person per month.*

### **Application requirements:**

- Applicant must be 18 or older.
- A proof of income 3 times the value of the rent must be presented with application.
- Application fees (>\$100), and security deposit (>\$800) must be paid in order to rent the apartment.
- International tenants application cannot be done online.
- The lease contract is valid for 6 to 12 month. Month to month leasing available for an increase in rent's market value.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 925-0773

Website: <http://www.flamingosouthbeachnorthtower.com/>

\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.

## 3. Camden Brickell:

**Location:** 50 SW 10th Street, Miami, FL 33130

- Distance from campus: 14.6 miles.

- Car: approx. 30 min.

- Public Transportation: approx. 1h 5m.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom apartments, with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 2 bathrooms.

\*Apartments come unfurnished.

\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartments is 2 people per bedroom.

**Community amenities:** Two swimming pools, TV lounge, conference center, and fitness zone.

### **Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: from \$2,500 to \$2,900 per month.

*\*4 people per apartment: \$625 to \$725 per person per month*

### **Application requirements:**

- Applicant must be 18 or older.

- A proof of income 4 times the value of the rent must be presented with application.
- Application fees (>\$100) and security deposit (>\$800)
- International tenant's application cannot be done online, and applicant must present a valid passport and visa.
- The lease contract is valid for 7 to 15 month.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (866) 932-1965

Website: <https://www.camdenliving.com/miami-fl-apartments/camden-brickell>

\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.

#### 4. Brickell First:

**Location:** 50 SW 10th Street, Miami, FL 33130

- Distance from campus: 14.0 miles.

- Car: approx. 26 min.

- Public Transportation: approx. 1h 5m.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom apartments, and 3-bedroom apartments, each with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 2 to 3 bathrooms.

\*Apartments come unfurnished.

\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartments is 2 people per bedroom.

**Community amenities:** Swimming pool and hot tub, sun deck, spa with sauna and steam room, fitness center, and terrace.

#### **Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: starting at \$2,600 per month.  
*\*4 people per apartment: Starting at \$650 per person per month*
- 3-bedroom apartments: starting at \$2,960 per month.  
*\*6 people per apartment: Starting at \$495 per person per month*

#### **Application requirements:**

- Applicant must be 18 or older.
- A proof of income 4 times the value of the rent must be presented with application.
- Application fees (>\$100) and security deposit (>\$800)
- International tenant's application cannot be done online, and applicant must present a valid passport and visa.
- The lease contract is valid for 7 to 12 month.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (786) 507-7300

Website: <http://www.brickell1st.com/>

\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.

#### 5. Bay Parc Plaza:

**Location:** 1756 N Bayshore Dr, Miami, FL 33132

- Distance from campus: 12.9 miles.

- Car: approx. 28 min.
- Public Transportation: approx. 1h 26min.

**Unit styles:** 2-bedroom apartments with its own kitchen, washer and dryer, and 2 bathrooms.

\*Apartments come unfurnished.

\*\*Maximum occupancy of the apartments is 2 people per bedroom.

**Community amenities:** Swimming pool and hot tub, fitness center, and sauna.

**Pricing:**

- 2-bedroom apartments: from \$2,035 to \$4,200 per month.

*\*4 people per apartment: from \$509 to \$1,050 per person per month*

**Application requirements:**

- Applicant must be 18 or older.
- A proof of income 3 times the value of the rent must be presented with application.
- Application fees (>\$100) and security deposit (>\$800)
- International tenant's application cannot be done online, and applicant must present a valid passport and visa.
- The lease contract is valid for 6 (increases price of rent) to 12 month.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 702-0248

Website: <http://www.bayparcplaza.com/>

\*Availability and rates for apartments varies; contacting the renter with at least two month of anticipation is advice.

Apartment-hotels:

Beachside Apartment Hotel (\*\*\*\*):

**Location:** 7710 Harding Avenue, Miami Beach, FL 33141

- Distance from campus: 19 miles.

- Car: approx. 39 min.

- Public transportation: 1h 45 min.

**Room style:** One bedroom apartment with two queen beds, full kitchen, separate living area and one bathroom. All utilities, linens & housewares are included.

**Hotel amenities:** Weekly housekeeping, high speed WiFi access, TV with satellite service, on-site laundry facilities, business center, courtyard and swimming pool.

**Pricing:** \$175 per night.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 866-7033

Website: <http://www.beachsideapartmenthotel.com/>

Extended Stay America - Brickell (\*\*):

**Location:** 298 SW 15th Rd., Miami, FL 33129

- Distance from campus: 13.8 miles.

- Car: approx. 28 min.

- Public transportation: approx. 1h 10 min.

**Room style:** Apartment-style studio suit, with 2 queen bed, kitchen equipped with refrigerator, microwave, and stovetop (dining and cooking utensils provided), and bathroom.

**Hotel amenities:** Daily housekeeping, swimming pool, on-site guest laundry, fitness club access, and free WiFi in all guest rooms.

**Pricing:** \$174 per night.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 856-3700

Website: <http://www.extendedstayamerica.com/>

Tradewinds Apartments + Hotel (\*\*\*\*):

**Location:** 2365 Pinetree Dr, Miami Beach, FL 33140

- Distance from campus: 16 miles.

- Car: approx. 34 min.

- Public transportation: 1h 30 min.

**Room style:** One bedroom apartment with two queen beds, full kitchen, separate living area and one bathroom. All utilities, linens & housewares are included.

**Hotel amenities:** Weekly housekeeping, high speed WiFi access, TV with satellite service, on-site laundry facilities, business center, courtyard and swimming pool.

**Pricing:** \$251 per night.

**Contact:** Phone: +1 (305) 531-6795

Website: <http://www.tradewindsapartmenthotel.com/>

AirBnB:

AirBnB is a website which allows you to find host families to rent lodging from. All you have to do is enter your destination and travel dates into the search bar to discover distinctive places to stay. They display photos of listings, host profiles, and reviews to help you make informed decisions when considering a host's space. You can also use search filters to narrow the results by type of accommodation and price.

Visit <https://www.airbnb.com>, and indicate Miami, Florida, United States as your location to see your options.

\*Prices for private bedrooms in

- **Doral:** starting at >\$650/month.

- **Miami Beach:** starting at >\$650/month.

- **Brickell:** starting at >\$700/month.

- **Downtown Miami:** starting at >\$800.

• **Discover Miami:**

Miami is the international hub for Latin America, gathering people from all over the world. It is a nucleus for international trade, art & culture, and it's ranked as #5 entrepreneurial city in America. Additionally, Miami has some of the most beautiful beaches in the world, and we enjoy of a summery weather year-round. We invite you to know more about this wonderful city

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