SAFETY
The University of Idaho has 24-hour private security patrolling campus, as well as the presence of the Moscow Police Department.

“Studying at the University of Idaho is one of the greatest experiences I have ever had. The campus is safe. People are respectful.”
– Marzen Aljawai, Saudi Arabia

FAMILIES
UI offers apartment-style housing for families on campus, with play areas for children. These apartments offer a family-oriented community for our students and are within walking distance of downtown Moscow.

“I never expected to have such a great experience at the University of Idaho. The International Programs Office makes international students feel welcome in Moscow. Members of the community seem interested in Middle Eastern culture, which makes me feel safe and accepted.”
– Mohummed Alkhraij, Saudi Arabia

DIVERSITY AT UI
8% of our students come from outside the United States
73 COUNTRIES are represented on campus
20% of our international students are from Saudi Arabia
3% from Kuwait

International students make up 10% of UI’s graduate student population.

SUPPORT
The International Programs Office supports our students through programs and activities that celebrate all cultures and help students feel at home in Moscow. We work to connect our international students with U.S. students to share culture and build language skills.

Other on-campus support includes:
• Muslim Student Association offers support and frequent social and religious activities.
• The Islamic Center of Moscow is just a short walk from campus.
• UI has more than a dozen student groups, including a Saudi Student Association.
• UI offers assistance through Office of Multicultural Affairs and Division of Diversity and Human Rights.
• Women-only events for students and community members, including teas and swim times.

The City of Moscow offers...
• A friendly, close-knit community
• More than a dozen parks and several miles of hiking, biking and walking trails
• A vibrant Farmers Market open on Saturdays from May through October
• Easy walking from campus to local shopping center, restaurants and grocery stores
• Free public transit

“Both my wife and I are students at the University of Idaho. My family and I have been living in Moscow since summer 2012. I love Moscow so much, and I encourage all of the international students to study at UI. I have never had any problems — even small ones. I feel Moscow is my second hometown.”
– Barjas Alruwaili, Saudi Arabia

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