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# Go Abroad in Writing, Literature and Film

Writing, Literature, and Film degrees are ideally suited for students who wish to study abroad! Today's college graduates will live and work in a world that is more culturally challenging and globally interconnected than ever before. Education abroad provides a unique opportunity to engage the world while fulfilling major requirements or complementing the courses you take at OSU. Study post-colonial literature in Cape Town, creative writing in Rome, or Shakespeare in Sydney. Experience American literature and film from the perspective of another culture: Read Hemingway in Istanbul, or study cinema in Berlin. **Complete your second language requirement:** study Arabic in Tunis, French in Angers, or Spanish in Argentina. Sharpen your journalism skills with an internship in Dublin, participate in community development in Mumbai, teach English in Guadalajara, or lead women's activist workshops in Namibia. A wide array of study and internship abroad opportunities are available to Writing, Literature, and Film majors.



"What I gained from my experience in Spain was unbelievably and undeniably the most beautiful personal and educational journey I have ever experienced thus far."

-Carly DelaBarre
Santander, Spain

## What types of international experiences can I participate in?

## • Study Abroad:

Student can study abroad at a variety of international English-speaking schools where they can focus on their major requirements and interests. Students can also elect to study abroad for intensive terms to work on a foreign language. Students who achieve a high enough proficiency in another language can choose to study animal sciences in several other languages around the world.

## • IE3 Global Internships:

IE3 Global Internships facilitate international internships for students around the world. Students can generally do an internships starting in their junior year, and most financial aid and scholarships can be used to pay for these internships. During internships, students can earn up to 12 credits per term at OSU.

## • International Degree:

Students planning to study a foreign language may want to consider the prestigious OSU International Degree. The International Degree (ID) is a unique undergraduate major obtainable only as a second degree. In addition to the students' major requirements, the ID candidate must: (1) take an additional 32 credits; (2) demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language equal to the completion of the fourth year; (3) spend a minimum of one ten-week term abroad on an approved program (IE3 Global Internships, study abroad, or independent research projects can count for this), and (4) complete a senior thesis. International Degree students can also get special funding for their research abroad.

## INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCES CAN HELP YOU...

- Experience literature written in English from an international perspective
- Understand world literatures within their cultural and historical contexts
- Improve your second language skills
- Enhance your cross-cultural communication and critical thinking skills
- Expand your career opportunities; prepare to meet the demand for global competency in the workplace
- Explore your identity as a global citizen
- Clarify your goals through self-discovery
- Gain confidence in yourself personally and professionally

# Can I afford an international experience?

Yes! If going abroad is a priority, there is generally a way to make it affordable. Early planning for international experiences helps students make costeffective program decisions, and it also helps them prepare their finances through savings, scholarships, and financial aid. There is a great deal of variation in costs between programs, and students should carefully consider all of their options before making a decision. Students can apply financial aid and scholarships to approved international programs and, in some cases, financial aid eligibility will increase to cover additional expenses. When comparing the cost of programs abroad, be sure to look at the estimated costs of attending OSU for living and tuition. In many cases the cost of an international opportunity can be comparable or not much more than attending OSU, and the difference can be made up with scholarships or financial aid. The latest estimates for attending OSU can be found at http://oregonstate.edu/financialaid/ cost-attendance

# Will it take me longer to graduate if I go abroad?

With planning, students can complete an undergraduate degree in four years which involves up to a year of study abroad.

## STUDENTS WHO CHOOSE TO GO ABROAD MAY ALSO BE ELIGIBLE FOR ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS:

- Students can apply for scholarships through the International Programs Office (\$500-\$1,000).
- Students who meet certain criteria such as studying specific languages or being from a small town in Oregon can apply for additional scholarships.
- All OSU students can apply to the OSU Research Office for URISC (Undergraduate Research, Innovation, Scholarship, & Creativity) grants to support their undergraduate research abroad (\$1,000 for 1 term; \$1,800 for 2 terms; and \$2,300 for the full academic year). See the URISC Website oregonstate.edu/research/incentive/urisc.htm for details.
- International Degree students can seek additional funding through the International Programs Office (\$1,000-\$2,000) for their experience abroad. More information about these scholarships can be found at <a href="http://oregonstate.edu/international/degree/scholarships">http://oregonstate.edu/international/degree/scholarships</a>
- All OSU students can apply for numerous national awards that offer bigger scholarships (\$3,000-\$20,000). These scholarships are competitive and often have early deadlines so planning ahead is essential. Contact the <a href="International Programs Office">International Programs Office</a> for more information.

## When should I go abroad?

- Freshman Year: Plan ahead for a future study abroad or IE3 Global Internship while taking Baccalaureate Core courses.
- Sophomore Year: This can be an excellent year for study abroad, especially for students who plan to go abroad again or complete an internship before graduating. Sophomore year may also be an ideal time to complete the second language requirement. Consult with your advisor to plan your course schedule.
- Sophomore/Junior Summer: Students can study abroad for the entire year or a single term.
- Junior Year: This is the year that most students choose to study abroad or take an internship.
   You can go abroad for a single term or the whole year. Consult your advisor to make sure your major requirements are covered.
- Junior/Senior Summer: Students can study abroad or do an IE3 Global Internship.
- Senior Year: Students may study or intern abroad for a term or year. You may prefer to go abroad before the last term of senior year if you plan to walk in the OSU graduation ceremony. Consult your advisor.
- Senior Summer: Some students choose to go abroad during their senior summer. In particular, students have done an IE3 Global Internship to cap off their undergraduate career. Students can still walk in the Spring as long as they complete their coursework for graduation over the summer.

## How do I select an international program?

- Start planning now. Begin to plan at least six months in advance of going abroad. Give yourself time to research programs and talk to advisors and students who have gone abroad to the site(s) you are interested in. It is never too early to start planning.
- **Set goals.** There is not one program best suited for all students -- there are good study abroad programs and international internships -- the best one for you depends on what you want. If you plan to study abroad, one important consideration is whether you want to study a language or focus on major, minor, elective, or Baccalaureate Core courses.
- Prioritize your goals. Consider your long-term academic and professional goals, as well as your on-campus degree requirements. Study abroad courses may count toward courses in your major, while internships give you elective credits that count toward the 180 required for graduation, as well as giving you a valuable professional experience.
- Prepare academically. You may need to take language or other prerequisite courses for your chosen program. You should also talk to your academic advisor about the timing of when you take sequences or single -term courses related to progress in your major. IE3 Internships are open to juniors and seniors, while students can study abroad as sophomores.

## What are my first and next steps?

## IE3 GLOBAL INTERNSHIPS STEPS

- **1.** View the online First Steps presentation:
- oregonstate.edu/instruct/dce/
  idea/fs/
- 2. Research internships
- Check the list of IE3 Global Internship positions at the back of this brochure.
- Research IE3 Global Internships: international.oregonstate.edu/ea/students/international-internships/ie3-global-internships
  Use the descriptions to find out more about the internship site type and size of organization, position requirements, length and timing, etc.
- Come up with a list of several internship options that look good to you.
- **3.** Talk to an academic advisor in your department
- Make a plan for the timing of your internship, based on your program requirements and availability of your major courses.
- **4.** Complete the pre-advising sheet by following the instructions provided in the First Steps presentation and <a href="mailto:email">email</a> with your availability or bring to your Next Steps meeting with an



"Despite the abnormally large insect fauna, studying abroad in Australia was the best life experience I have had. At Macquarie University, I was able to get a completely different perspective on the study of English literature; this I value above everything I have learned in college so far. It was not only the different classes, but my experience immersed entirely in another culture has helped me see things I would not have picked up on before."

-Natalie Oaks

International Ambassador.

- **5.** Meet with an education abroad advisor (to be scheduled following your Next Steps meeting) in the Office of International Programs to discuss questions, applications and other information about each program.
- **6.** Fill out the OSU GO application, found by clicking <a href="here.">here.</a> And the IE3 application on your program page.

7. Application

Take note of application deadlines. Deadlines for IE3

Global Internships are generally two terms prior to departure.

Application deadlines can be found at website referred to in step two. Applications typically include recommendation forms, essays, a current resume and college transcripts. Plan to start your application one month before it is due.

## **STUDY ABROAD STEPS**

- 1. View the online First Steps presentation to learn the basics of education abroad: types of programs, credits, scholarships and financial aid. oregonstate.edu/instruct/dce/idea/fs/
- 2. Check the list of study abroad options in this document, research programs you are interested in at the International Programs website:
- international.oregonstate.edu and/or come to University Plaza for any questions to be answered by ambassadors.
- **3.** Talk to an academic advisor in your department
- Make a plan for the timing of your study abroad, based on your program requirements and availability of your major courses.
- 4. Complete the pre-advising sheet by following the instructions provided in the First Steps presentation and <a href="mailto:email">email</a> with your availability or bring to your Next Steps meeting in University Plaza

- 5. After you've attended a Next Steps meeting, schedule an appointment with an advisor in the International Programs Office by calling 541-737-3006 or following your Next Steps meeting with the help of an ambassador. The advisor can answer your questions regarding further site specific information, financial aid and scholarships, and the application process.
- 6. Application
- Fill out the OSU GO application by clicking the "apply now" button on your OSU program page
- Take note of application deadlines. Each program has a specific application deadline. Deadlines are typically six months before the start of the program. Application deadlines can be found on each program webpage. Plan to start your application one month before it is due.

- To apply for your program, follow the application link listed on the program page on the OSU study abroad website. Follow the instructions outlined on the Mandatory Application Checklist for your chosen study abroad program in order to ensure that you complete all parts of the application.
- 7. Final Course Selection
- Research specific courses that would be offered at the foreign university during your time abroad. Find out what an average course load is for students at the foreign university.
- Fill out an Academic Planning form found at: international.oregonstate.ed u/ea/academic-resources/academic-planning-form and make an appointment with your Academic Advisor to discuss what you have come up with.

Finalize your course plan before you leave and keep in contact with your Academic Advisor if you have any questions while abroad.

## **DEFINITIONS:**

<u>Program provider:</u> Company providing international experiences to US college students

examples: CIEE, IFSA-Butler, AHA, API, SIT, SFS

<u>Exchange:</u> OSU students trade places with an international student; classes are taken with host-country students; these can be more competitive, but allow Oregon-residents to pay in-state tuition while studying abroad

<u>Direct Enrollment:</u> OSU students enroll in university courses with host country students

## STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES

Contact International Programs
541-737-3006 or intl.ambassador@oregonstate.edu

## **AUSTRALIA**

## **<u>Charles Sturt University, New South Wales</u>** (Exchange)

Charles Sturt University is a regional university system with a network of campuses located throughout the state of New South Wales in smaller inland communities. Campuses are located in the cities of Albury-Wodonga, Bathurst and Wagga Wagga. The regional campuses offer a unique study experience—access to the best of city living along with the benefits of a regional lifestyle. The university offers smaller class sizes, a hands-on approach to applications, easy access to teachers, and an opportunity to experience a regional lifestyle. Available: Winter-spring, summer-fall, or yearlong. Requirement: 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: Australian, English, and American Literatures, Literatures of the World, Post-1800, Screenwriting.

## **Deakin University, Melbourne**

Deakin University is located in the state of Victoria on the southeastern tip of Australia. Deakin is situated in the greater Melbourne area with campuses in Melbourne, in the suburb of Burwood; Geelong, which is set on Corio Bay; and arrnambool, which is located at the end of the Great Ocean Road. Students can choose to study in a metropolitan area or a smaller community. Available: Winter-spring, summer-fall, or yearlong. Requirement: Sophomore standing; 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800, Journalism.

## **Macquarie University, Sydney (Exchange)**

Macquarie University is a prestigious institution located in the

Sydney suburb of North Ryde, about a 45 minute bus ride from downtown Sydney. The campus is on a grassy parklands, surrounded by residential suburbs and adjacent to a shopping and cinema complex. It is easy to explore the city of Sydney, the famous harbor, and the beautiful beaches while studying at Macquarie. Available: Winter-spring, summer-fall, or yearlong. Requirement: Sophomore standing; 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **ARGENTINA**

#### Rosario

Northwest of Buenos Aires on the Parana River, Rosario has a rich history influenced by European ancestry in a uniquely South American way--giving the busy city center a flavorful charm evident in its language, style, and cuisine. The city has an alluring cosmopolitan feel, supporting theaters, art museums, historical mansions, national monuments, and two professional soccer teams. Courses are taught in English and Spanish. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer. Requirement: 1 term of Spanish or equivalent; 2.5 GPA. Major Courses: Varies, Electives, Spanish Language.

## **BOTSWANA**

## **University of Botswana, Gaborone**

Botswana is one of Africa's most stable countries, and a multiparty democracy. It is unusual in that the majority of its population is from a single ethnic group, the Tswana. Gaborone, its capital and one of Africa's

fastest growing cities, lies in southeastern Botswana, close to the border of South Africa. Committed to cultural authenticity and internationalism, the University's mission is to improve economic and social conditions

for the nation, while advancing itself as a distinctively African university with a regional and international outlook. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer, or yearlong. Requirement: 3.75 GPA. Major Courses: African, English, and American Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **CHINA**

## **Beijing Language and Culture Univeristy, Beijing**

For centuries, Beijing has been the political and cultural center of China. The city is a dynamic home to both Chinese and multi-national corporations and a gateway from China to the world. Beijing's ancient temples and imperial palaces provide an immediate connection to the incredible history of

this country. BLCU serves as an ideal base to help U.S. students begin to see The campus provides a rich, student focused environment, with many opportunities to make friends from across China and to become integrated with campus life. Available: Winter-spring, fall-winter, or summer. Requirement: One term of college-level Chinese OR one course on Modern Asia; 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: Literatures of the World, Journalism, Chinese language.

## **COSTA RICA**

## **Instituto San Joaquín de Flores**

San Joaquín de Flores is a charming colonial town located ten miles from San José. It is surrounded by the unparalleled beauty of Costa Rica. The small setting and slower pace of life create exceptional opportunities for linguistic and cultural integration. Students have the opportunity to explore volcanoes, beaches, rain and cloud forests. The Instituto is designed to take advantage of the beautiful natural environment and facilitate learning. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer, or yearlong. Requirement: 1 year of Spanish; 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: Literatures of the World, Latin American Literature and Cinema, Spanish Language.

## **CZECH REPUBLIC**

## <u>Prague Film and Television School of the Academy of the</u> Performing Arts (FAMU), Prague

Thanks to its many characteristic steeples, Prague is known as the city of a hundred spires. Prague has an unusually rich cultural life which is accessible on a student budget. This program is designed for students with specific training and interest in fi Im production or screenwriting and combines both theoretical and practical instruction and activities led by film professionals at one of Europe's most renowned fi Im schools. Available: Winter-spring, summer, summer-fall. Requirement: 3.0 GPA; Coursework in fi Im or screenwriting. Major Courses: Literature and Film.

## **FRANCE**

## Université de Paris

Paris is well known as one of the most romantic and intriguing cities in the world. While the city maintains its status as the premier modern city in France and a leader in politics, art and fashion, every city street holds some portion of the history of the city. Stroll along the River Seine, explore the Cathédrale de Notre-Dame, visit the Louvre, or be seen at a traditional café in one of the city's 20 arrondissements. Students in the International Studies Program complete a

French language course and 2-3 additional elective courses taught in English or French. Available: Fall, winterspring, summer, or year. Requirement: 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: Varies, French Language.

## Le Centre International d'Etudes Françaises, Angers

Located in the western portion of the Loire Valley, Angers is at once modern and medieval, combining technological industries and an efficient public transportation system with winding cobblestone streets. Thirty thousand university students give Angers a youthful energy. The Loire Valley is noted for the quality of its language; it is said that the purest form of French is spoken here. The program in Angers offers students the opportunity to experience France to the fullest--its people, its culture, and above all, its language. Available: Fall, winter-spring, fall-winter, summer, or year. Requirement: 1 term French, 2.5 GPA. Major Courses: Varies, French Language.

## **GERMANY**

### Freie Universität, Berlin

Berlin, a dynamic and fascinating Central European city with a rich and dramatic past, is a center for the cultural and intellectual life of Germany. This modern, multicultural city offers a wide range of cultural experiences, including world famous museums and lively music venues. The public transportation system is extensive and the city is well connected to other German and Central European cities. The Freie Universität is one of Germany's premier institutions of higher learning, located in Dahlem, the attractive southwestern section of Berlin. This program is intended for students who have an interest in contemporary Germany, who wish to pursue coursework in English and study the German language. Available: Term, Semester, Year, Summer. Requirement: 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: Literatures of the World, Film, German Language.

## **GHANA**

## **University of Ghana, Legon**

The University of Ghana is located in Legon, approximately 10 miles form the capital city of Accra. Because of its proximity to Accra, students have the chance to experience the excitement and challenges of a large urban environment in an African context. Notably friendly, the people of Ghana make this experience a rewarding opportunity for students to learn about the multiple complexities of the African continent. Available: Fall, winter-spring, sum-

mer, or year. Requirement: Junior standing; 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: African and English Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **GREECE**

## **AHA, Athens**

Athens, the birthplace of western civilization, is a colorful and vibrant capital city situated at the crossroads of East and West. Students live within walking distance to the Parthenon, and the winding streets of Plaka—the old town area at the foot of the Acropolis, famous for its bustling flea market, lively tavernas, and artisan shops. Discover the unique combination of ancient culture and contemporary life that makes Athens an experience rich in history and urban excitement. The program includes an array of spectacular excursions including Delphi, Olympia, and the island of Crete. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer. Requirement: 2.5 GPA. Major Courses: Varies, Electives.

### **INDIA**

## **University of Hyderabad**

The University of Hyderabad is one of India's top-ranked universities. Hyderabad is the fifth largest city in India and is at the heart of India's rapidly developing global economy. The newly coined "Cyberabad" area, the IT— outsourcing hub that contains the famous "Hi-tech City," has brought much attention to Hyderabad in recent years. The city is an urban mix of food bazaars, department stores, hi-tech businesses, and city sprawl. Good public transportation makes Hyderabad an excellent base for visiting other areas of India. Available: Winter-spring, summer, fall. Requirement: 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: English, American, and Indian Anglophone Literatures.

### **IRELAND**

## **Trinity College Dublin**

One of the great universities of the world, Trinity College Dublin was founded in 1592 and is recognized internationally as Ireland's premier university. Located in the heart of Dublin on College Green, opposite the former Irish Houses of Parliament, the campus itself is one of Dublin's main tourist attractions. Famous TCD alumni include Jonathan Swift, Bram Stoker, Oscar Wilde, and Samuel Beckett. Available: Winter-spring or year. Requirement: 3.3 GPA. Major Courses: Irish, English, and American Literatures, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **University College Cork**

Named the European Capital of Culture in 2005 for its contribution to architecture, design, music, dance, theater, fi Im, food, literature and sport, Cork is the Irish Republic's second largest city with a population of more than 200,000. It is located on the south coast, 160 miles southwest of Dublin, and just a few miles southwest of the famous 15th century Blarney Castle, home of the well-kissed Blarney Stone.

Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer, or year. Major Courses: Irish, English, and American Literatures, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **ITALY**

## John Cabot University, Rome

Rome, the "eternal city" famous for the Colosseum, Trevi fountain, and lively piazzas, is a cosmopolitan city rich with history, art, architecture and a diverse population. John Cabot is an American liberal arts university located along the banks of the Tiber River in the historic center of Rome. Students can take study trips to Florence, Pompeii, Herculaneum, Cyprus and more. The program also features internships with international companies, embassies, museums, international organizations, and the media. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer, or year. Requirement: Sophomore standing; 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: English and American Literature, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800, Creative Writing, Theater and Film, Italian Language.

## **JAPAN**

## **Akita International University, Akita**

Japan's only university with an entire curriculum taught in English, AIU is situated in Akita Prefecture, a 30 minute drive from Akita City. With large tracts of cedar forest nearby, various mountain ranges, themeandering Omono River, and vibrantly colored rice fields, the campus enjoys a rich natural setting. A distinctive feature of AIU is the view of ancient cherry trees blossoming against the backdrop of snow-capped mountains, which can be seen from the campus each spring. Available: Fall, fall-winter, spring, summer, or year. Requirement: Sophomore standing; 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: Literatures of the World, Theater and Film, Japanese and other languages.

## **JORDAN**

## **University of Jordan, Amman**

Amman has a history of over 5,000 years. Despite the ancient ruins that dominate the downtown skyline, much of the city only dates back to the 1970s. Draped over several hills, Amman is a study in contrasts. A traditional downtown souk (marketplace) is a taxi ride away from massive, American-style shopping malls. It is a very accessible, cosmopolitan city with museums, art galleries, theaters, and cinemas. With its reputation for security and hospitality, Amman is home to inhabitants from all over the Middle East. The city provides a safe and stable environment for students to learn about the region. Available: Fall, winter-spring, or year. Requirement: 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: English and American Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800, Arabic language.

## **NETHERLANDS**

## University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam

Amsterdam is an international and multicultural city that is full of life, day and night. Amsterdammers are easy-going and welcoming to foreigners, and English is the unofficial second language. Amsterdam offers the advantages of a cosmopolitan center with a small-town feel. Because the city is so compact, bicycles are perhaps the most convenient means of transportation; in fact, bicycles outnumber people in Amsterdam! The University is spread out over various parts of the city center and is situated in old buildings and modern high rises. UvA has a strong international student body and a broad academic curriculum with many programs taught in English. Available: Winter-spring, summer-fall, or year. Requirement: Junior status recommended; 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: English Literature, European and American Studies.

## **NEW ZEALAND**

## **University of Otago, Dunedin**

Dunedin is a coastal city on the South Island of New Zealand. It sits on a harbor surrounded by forests, lakes, rolling hills, and glaciers. A wide range of sport and outdoor activities highlight the area's natural beauty and diverse wildlife. Students study and live on the campus of New Zealand's oldest university, the University of Otago, a ten-minute walk from downtown Dunedin. Available: Winter-spring, summer-fall, or year. Requirement: Sophomore standing; 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: New Zealand, English, and American Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **NORTHERN IRELAND**

## **Queen's University of Belfast**

Belfast, nestled in the valley of the River Lagan with spectacular natural views, offers a vibrant social and cultural scene. The whole city is undergoing a revitalization, thanks to the reopening of the Grand Opera House and a number of new businesses moving into the city. With its compact layout and revived retail districts, Belfast is a great city for exploring on foot. Victorian and Edwardian buildings lend the city a dignified air, but the large student population gives Belfast a youthful atmosphere. The university hosts the annual Belfast Film Festival and runs Northern Ireland's only arthouse cinema, Queen's Film Theatre. Available: Winter-spring, fall-winter, summer, or year. Requirement: 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: Irish and English Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre -1800, Post-1800, Film.

## **SOUTH AFRICA**

## **University of Cape Town**

Situated on the southern tip of Africa, Cape Town is a vibrant multicultural city with a rich selection of day and night activities including water sports, mountaineering, nightclubs, and restaurants. The city is a microcosm of the challenges facing many African countries in transition: how to successfully operate within a global economy while grappling with the vast socio-economic inequalities that are the legacy of the colonial and apartheid past. Community service, independent study, and a Habitat for Humanity project are available options for this program. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer, summer-fall, or year. Requirement: Junior standing; 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: African and English Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **University of Stellenbosch**

The University lies in the picturesque Jonkershoek Valley in the heart of the Western Cape Winelands. It is surrounded by mountain scenery, just 25 miles from ocean beaches. Campus landmarks include the plane tree-lined Victoria Street, the center of student and academic life, the "Ou Hoofgebou" (Old Main Building), which was completed in 1886, and the University's community radio station, MFM 92.6. Available: Winter-spring, summer-fall. Requirement: 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: African, English, and American Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800, Film.

## **SPAIN**

## **Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona**

Barcelona is the capital of Catalonia, a region in northeastern Spain with its own distinctive history, culture, and language. Its metropolitan area has a population of 2.8 million and is set between the mountains and the Mediterranean. The city boasts 2,000 years of architectural history—Roman ruins, the network of narrow streets in the Gothic quarter, the 19th century Eixample district with its original examples of Modernista architecture—contrasting with the ultramodern showpieces that continue to redesign its skyline. Students engage in Spanish culture through regular university courses designed for foreigners. Available: Fall, winterspring, or year. Requirement: One semester college Spanish; 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: Spanish literature, language and culture.

## Universidad de Cantabria, Santander

Santander is a port and resort town on the northern coast of Spain. It is the capital of the Autonomous Region of Cantabria, one of Spain's "green" provinces. It is located on the Bay of Biscay. next to the communities of Castile and Leon, Asturias and the Basque Country. The University of Cantabria offers students a unique opportunity to devote a term to intensive Spanish language learning and culture. Participants take classes at the Center for Languages at the University, an independent affiliate charged with the teaching of Spanish language to foreigners. Available: Fall, spring, or summer. Requirement: Spanish 212 or 213; 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: Spanish language and culture.

#### **SWEDEN**

## **Uppsala University**

The goal of the Arts and Sciences program is for students to develop an understanding of Swedish society and culture while enrolling in a variety of rigorous academic courses at one of the premier universities

in Scandinavia. Through coursework at Uppsala University, participation in University activities, and program excursions and activities, students gain valuable insight into Sweden's past and present while having a rewarding academic experience in an atmosphere of world-competitive research. Available: Winter-spring, fall-winter, or year. Requirement: Sophomore standing, 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: Swedish Literature, Swedish History, Swedish Art, ,Swedish Language and electives.

#### TANZANIA

## University of Dar es Salaam, Dar es Salaam

Tanzania's center of commerce and government, Dar es Salaam's proximity to Zanzibar and its history with the rise of the Swahili culture make it an historic and culturally significant location. Tanzania is the home of some of the most famous natural wildlife regions in Africa, including the Serengeti, Mt. Kilimanjaro, a major coral reef, the Great Rift Valley, three of Africa's largest lakes, and the Ngorongoro crater. Often referred to as "Africa in microcosm," Tanzania's natural beauty and ethnic diversity make it a compelling destination. The university's Literature department specializes in Anglophone literatures of the world. Available: Fall, winter-spring, or year. Requirement: Sophomore standing, 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: African, English, and American Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800, Drama.

## **THAILAND**

## Payap University, Chiang Mai

Chiang Mai is just a little larger than Portland, but it feels more like Eugene. Chiang Mai features a broad range of Thai, Asian and Western restaurants, daily farmers' markets, nightly craft s bazaars, and a modern five-story mall complete with movie theater. The city's relaxed atmosphere brings many opportunities for U.S. students to get involved in life outside of campus. The natural setting offers a number

of outdoor activities from rock climbing, hiking and mountain biking to cricket, golf, elephant treks, and rafting. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer, or year. Requirement: Sophomore standing, 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: English and Asian Literatures, Literatures of the World, Creative writing.

## **TURKEY**

## Koç University, Istanbul

Founded in 1993, Koç University is a private, nonprofit, liberal arts college located on a beautiful hillside campus overlooking the Black Sea, near the Sariyer district of Istanbul and approximately 45 minutes from the central part of the city. Courses are taught in English, and most of the faculty received their graduate degrees from universities in North America and Western Europe. The campus includes facilities consistent with those found on U.S. campuses, and there is a vibrant student scene. Available: Winter-spring, fall-winter, or year. Requirement: 2.75

GPA. Major Courses: English, American, and Turkish Literatures, Literatures of the World. Pre-1800, Post-1800, Turkish Language

## UNITED KINGDOM ENGLAND

## King's College, London

King's College is located in the heart of London overlooking the River Thames, with easy access to West End theaters, Covent Garden shopping and Soho nightlife. One of the oldest, largest and most prestigious colleges of the University of London, King's College offers a wide range of liberal arts courses and access to the U L's excellent facilities. Spring semester offers the Shakespeare's Globe Program, which combines a course in Jacobean Shakespeare with a hands-on, two-week class at Shakespeare's Globe Theatre.

Available: Fall, winter-spring, or yearlong. Requirement: 3.3 GPA. Major Courses: English Literature, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **Lancaster University** (Exchange)

The spectacular mountains of the Lake District form a beautiful backdrop for the University of Lancaster. The main campus is on the southern outskirts of the city of Lancaster. A short walk eastward from the campus leads to open countryside and the rolling greens of England's backyard. On a clear day the outlook extends north to the Lakeland fells and west across Morecambe Bay. Lancaster is a vibrant, student-friendly city filled with pubs, clubs, theatres, markets and shops. Available: Fall, winter-spring, or yearlong. Requirement: 2.75 GPA. Major Courses: English Literature, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **University of Nottingham (Exchange)**

Nottingham is one of the most vibrant and cosmopolitan cities in Britain. The city offers the world's oldest pub, traditional markets, stylish bars and modern shopping. The University of Nottingham's University Park campus, set in extensive greenery and around a lake, is widely regarded as one of the most attractive campuses in the country. Available: Winter-spring or Year. Requirement: 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: English Literature, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre -1800, Post-1800.

## **University of Sheffield**

Sheffield is a city with character, blending elegant Victorian architecture with modern activities. The area is bursting with

culture and entertainment, including theatres, museums, galleries, pubs & clubs, music and world-class sports facilities. Most all of these attractions are within walking distance of each other, making it a great destination for students. The Peak District, one of the most spectacular areas of natural

beauty in the UK is just minutes away by bus or train. Available: Winter-spring, Fall-winter, or year. Requirement: Sophomore standing; 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: English Literature, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **University of Sussex (Exchange)**

The city of Brighton and Hove has it all: sun, sea, brilliant clubs, great places to eat, fabulous shops, a cosmopolitan vibe and an atmosphere of tolerance and freedom. Self-consciously creative, Brighton has a diverse cultural scene with a wealth of theatres and cinemas, and a variety of experimental productions staged throughout the city. Situated in rolling parkland on the edge of Brighton, the campus combines award-winning architecture with green open spaces. The University of Sussex has an outstanding English department, and its American Studies program is ranked number 1 in the UK. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer, or year. Requirement: 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: English and American Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

## **SCOTLAND**

## **University of Edinburgh**

The capital city of Scotland offers scenic views, hundreds of years of history, and a great nightlife. Edinburgh is one of the most architecturally beautiful cities in Europe. The city has a compact, convenient layout, warm, welcoming people, and a cosmopolitan atmosphere. The Scottish Parliament opened in 1998, reinstating the city as the center of Scotland's political life. The city also offers plenty of pubs, cafes, vegetarian restaurants, and great clubs. Edinburgh is the U.K.'s festival city and home to the famous International Festival every August. Available: Fall, winterspring, or year. Requirement: 3.0 GPA. Major Courses: Scottish and English Literatures, Literatures of the World, Shakespeare, Pre-1800, Post-1800.

#### **University of Stirling**

Known as the "Gateway to the Highlands," Stirling is a busy commercial and tourist area, as well as the center of

key events in Scottish history. The University of Stirling, offering Sports Science courses in addition to a full curriculum is an innovative university, with strong academics and a diverse student body of 9,000. Available: Fall, winter-spring, summer, or year. Language: English.

These are just a few of your options. If you prefer to do an intensive language program or work on baccalaureate core and elective credit for a term, there are many other OSU sponsored programs. Visit the OSU Study Abroad Website for a complete list of international opportunities http://oregonstate.edu/international/studyabroad/programs/search

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## **AUSTRALIA**

## **Internships Down Under, Victoria and New South Wales**

Individualized placements in the Sydney and Melbourne areas of Australia in various fields. Examples include: publishing, media, event management, advertising, PR, marketing, and law. Other locations possible depending on career interests and available matches at the time you intend to go. Available: Any term; Requirement: Junior or Senior; Duration: 10 weeks–6 months

## **CHILE**

## Media & Journalism, Santiago

Internships are available in a broad range of journalism and media categories including radio broadcast interviewing or running a program, and web site and graphic design. Journalism options include writing articles for an internet newspaper in business, features, sports, culture, fashion, environment, vineyards and wine, human rights, community events, travel, and general news. Photo journalism interns are also welcome. Available: Any term; Requirement: 3rd year Spanish; Duration: 6 months

## CHINA

## Holt International China - Beijing

Facilitate Holt International China's inter-department, overseas, and constituent communication related to their programs in Beijing, including intercountry adoption and Holt's Peace House project. Peace House provides temporary home-like care and limited medical support to children from orphanage programs around China, prior to and following their surgeries in Beijing. Available: Any term; Requirement: Basic proficiency in Mandarin; Duration: 6-12 months

## Suzhou High School - Suzhou, Jiangsu

Paid internship teaching science, math, and English to middle school and high school students in an immersion school. It is one of the oldest and best schools in the area, with an educational history of nearly 1000 years. Housing, plane ticket, and monthly stipend provided. Available: starts late August; Requirement: Basic proficiency in Mandarin helpful, but not required; Duration: academic semester or year

## **ECUADOR**

## **Hobbiton Child Development Center - Quito**

The Hobbiton Child Development Center is a unique early childhood education organization that focuses on teaching children about the diversity of Ecuadorian culture and arts as well as human rights, women's rights and children's rights. Come to Ecuador and assist with the development of the English-as-a-Second-Language program. Available: Any term; Requirement: beginning to intermediate Spanish; Duration: 3-12 months

## **INDIA**

## **Grassroots Community Development, Maharashtra**

Work with local NGO's in rural and tribal areas of Maharashtra, near Mumbai. Visiting students work with social workers in the areas of health, women's empowerment, micro-credit, community development, child sponsorship, HIV/AIDS intervention and awareness programs, health education and teaching programs. Available: Any term; Requirement: None; Duration: 10 weeks–6 months

## **IRELAND**

## Maxmedia, Dun Laoghaire, County Dublin

Interns participate in a variety of tasks related to production of marketing a monthly magazine, publishing of website material, and content collection. Interns at Maxmedia will work in a small team environment and contribute to the overall quality of products with creative vision and an eye for detail. The position may entail layout design, proofreading, editing, research, captioning, and working on a deadline. Available: Any term; Requirement: English major or student with Journalism background preferred Duration: 3 months (12 weeks minimum) up to one year.

## KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

## The London School Journalism Option - Bishkek

Explore some of the lesser known regions of Central Asia while writing for an English language newspaper for the large central Asian expat community in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan. Available: Any term; Requirement: English, but Russian or Kyrgyz language skills helpful; Duration: 3 months

## The London School Teaching Option - Bishkek

Explore some of the lesser know regions of Central Asia while teaching English at a private school in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan. Available: Native English, but Russian or Kyrgyz language skills helpful; Requirement: None; Duration: 3, 6, or 10 months

### **MEXICO**

## Institute of International Education (IIE) - Mexico City

The Institute of International Education (IIE) Office for Latin America in Mexico City hosts a U.S. Department of State sponsored Education USA Advising Center. IIE interns work in the Education USA Advising Center and assist Regional Educational Advising Coordinators with advising students as well as with administrative duties and management of special projects. Stipend provided. Requirement: conversational English and Spanish. Available: Any term. Duration: 3-6 months

## Instituto S.P.A.C. - Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco

Budget internship (room and board provided) assisting English teachers at a private bi-lingual school in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. Pre-school, elementary, middle, and high school levels. Special Education class available for interested interns. Available: Any term Requirement: Native English speaker. Duration: 10 weeks-10 months.

## **SOUTH AFRICA**

## **Cape Town Film Industry Internships - Cape Town**

Cape Town is home to the largest fi Im industry in the Southern Hemisphere and as a result, major films and international advertising campaigns are regularly filmed in locations throughout the city. Interns will be placed in a specific production company, working both on-site and in offices on preand post-production and administrative tasks. Placements will be made based on the applicant's interests and the host organization's needs. Available: fall or winter term; Requirement: English. European languages helpful; Duration: 10-12 weeks

## **Cape Town Journalism Internships - Cape Town**

Interns will be individually placed in a specific company with a focus on journalism, based on their experience and interests. Interns will be individually placed in a specific company with a focus on journalism, based on their experience and interests. Opportunities include magazine, newspaper and online writing, photography, editing and design work. Available: Any term Requirement: English Duration: 10-12 weeks

### UNITED KINGDOM

## **Fulbright Commission, London**

Excellent internship experience for students interested in international higher education, exchange programs, and international scholarship. Interns work on a wide variety of tasks related to educational advising in the center of London. Tasks include presenting information about the US educational system to British students, working on the center's publications, research, website production and other projects. Summer and Fall internships may include some travel to study fairs around Britain. Interns who commit to 6 months receive a stipend. Apply as early as possible for this internship. Internships can be confirmed up to 12 months in advance. Available: Any term Requirement: None Duration: 3–4 months

## **Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh**

Interns join the staff of a Member of the Scottish Parliament (MSP). Tasks assigned to interns can include research on topics the MSP is involved in, speech writing, work in the MSP's constituency, voter relations, press release work and others, depending on the interests and abilities of the intern. Interns participate in the running of this parliamentary democracy at a critical time in Scotland's history - the Scottish National Party (SNP) is the largest party in the Parliament, but does not have an outright majority, leading to a fascinating situation where students have the chance to observe coalition-building in the context of a multi-party system. Available: Fall, Winter, Spring Requirement: None Duration: 3 months