EDUCATION ABROAD IN ANTHROPOLOGY

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- Take the Education Abroad Workshop
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BENEFITS OF AN INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

For students in Anthropology, an international experience can be an integral component to the discipline. Upon return from studying abroad, many students report that they are equipped with greater language proficiency, deeper knowledge and understanding of various cultures, as well as a broader, more global perspective that is often valued by employers.

ACADEMIC & TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

Planning ahead is key to finding a program that meets your academic and personal goals. Up to six credits from abroad may be counted toward the anthropology major. The department will allow one course (three credits) to be counted toward the anthropology minor. To obtain course approvals for major or minor credit, you need to meet with the director of undergraduate studies in anthropology prior to committing to a program.

Please note that ANTH 3010, ANTH 3020, or ANTH 4591 may not be substituted by courses taken abroad.

For Anthropology major or minor course approvals, contact:
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International Opportunities in Anthropology

This is just a starting point and you are not limited to these options.

Africa

Asia
- India, UVA in India
- Mongolia, SIT: Mongolia: Nomadism, Geopolitics and the Environment§

Europe
- Italy, Arcadia: Italy: Rome
- United Kingdom, UVA Exchange: University of Edinburgh

Latin America
- Argentina, IES: Argentina: Buenos Aires: Latin American Societies and Cultures

* Internship available
§ Fieldwork/field study available

STUDENT TESTIMONIAL

“My time in Nepal was absolutely incredible and nothing short of the adventure of a lifetime. The stunning landscapes, friendly locals, and sheer weightless joy of traveling—all amounted to an experience I won’t soon forget. As an anthropology major, my excursions abroad were further contextualized within a broader cultural framework. I was privileged with the tremendous opportunity to apply the abstract, theoretical knowledge gained in the classroom to a more concrete, real global setting.”

-Helena Groves, Anthropology and American Studies major, SIT in Nepal