



# EDUCATION ABROAD IN ENGLISH



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## WHAT'S NEXT?

- Take the Education Abroad Workshop
- To discuss program options, make an appointment online with an education abroad advisor according to your country or region of interest.

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## BENEFITS OF AN INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

For students in English, 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

Depending on the program you enroll in, you may receive either direct or transfer credit for the courses you complete abroad. All students wishing to study abroad must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher, depending on the program. Planning ahead is key to finding a program that meets your academic and personal goals. The English program and the International Studies Office recommend planning for your international experience as early as first year, and encourage you to meet with an education abroad advisor, as well as your academic advisor.

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WHAT PROGRAMS ARE OUT THERE? READ ON!

# International Opportunities in English

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

## Africa

- **Ghana**, CIEE: Legon: Arts and Sciences
- **South Africa**, Arcadia: University of Cape Town§

## Asia

- **China**, UVA Exchange: Peking University
- **China**, UVA Exchange: University of Hong Kong
- **Korea**, UVA Exchange: Korea University
- **Singapore**, UVA Exchange: National University of Singapore

## Oceania

- **Australia**, UVA Exchange: University of Tasmania
- **Australia**, UVA Exchange: University of Queensland
- **New Zealand**, Arcadia: Victoria University of Wellington
- **New Zealand**, UVA Exchange: University of Otago

## Europe

- **Denmark**, DIS: Literature
- **France**, UVA in Lyon (Semester only)
- **Germany**, UVA Exchange: Albert-Ludwig University of Freiburg
- **Greece**, UVA Exchange: American College of Greece
- **Ireland**, UVA Exchange: University College Dublin
- **Italy**, Temple University in Rome\*
- **Spain**, St. Louis University in Madrid
- **Spain**, UVA in Valencia
- **United Kingdom**, University College London
- **United Kingdom**, UVA Exchange: University of Nottingham
- **United Kingdom**, UVA Exchange: University of St. Andrews
- **United Kingdom**, UVA in London: Culture of London: Past and Present
- **United Kingdom**, UVA Exchange: University of Glasgow

\* Internship available

§ Fieldwork/field study available

## STUDENT TESTIMONIAL

*My academic experience abroad has made me more confident in the academic path I plan to pursue upon returning to the University of Virginia. One course in particular perfectly combined my major (English) and my minor (Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies) in an interesting way...This excited me because I felt that, if I could be this invested in a course about a literary period I do not usually research, I could be even more invested in this course of study when applying it to periods I find more interesting.... I credit this particular course in my study abroad program as a major influence in my decision to pursue a higher degree by fine tuning interests cultivated as an undergraduate.*

-Corinne Johnson, UVA Exchange: University of Glasgow



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