EDUCATION ABROAD IN GERMAN

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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Interested in other disciplines?
Explore additional major advising sheets online at http://educationabroad.virginia.edu/your-major

BENEFITS OF AN INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE
For students in German, 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 German department 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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International Opportunities in German

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

**Austria**
- UVA in Vienna and Budapest: The Jewish Experience (January Term)
- IES: Austria: Vienna: Culture & Society*

**Germany**
- UVA in Berlin and Weimar: Germany, Past and Present (January Term)
- UVA in Germany: Global Technology Practice (Summer)
- UVA Exchange: Albert-Ludwig University of Freiburg
- UVA Exchange: Freie Universität Berlin
- UVA Exchange: Humboldt University
- Freie Universität Berlin: Germany: European Studies Program
- IES: Germany: Berlin: Language & Area Studies*
- IES: Germany: Berlin: Language & Culture (Summer)
- IES: Germany: Freiburg: Language & Area Studies

* Internships available

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**STUDENT TESTIMONIAL**

_Last semester I studied abroad in Freiburg, Germany through the UVA exchange, and also had the chance to intern at the U.S. Embassy in Berlin through the Department of State. While there, I got to take lots of interesting classes, experience a new culture, and learn from new perspectives...After studying abroad I feel 100% confident that I can live, work or travel in a foreign country and I have close friends and connections from all over the world. Studying abroad really made me realize what I want to do later on in life, and it’s nice to feel like I have a second hometown in Freiburg that I can return to._

-Susannah Gilmore, UVA Exchange: Albert-Ludwig University of Freiburg

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