

# EDUCATION ABROAD IN MUSIC

## 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  
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## BENEFITS OF AN INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

For students in Music, 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 Music 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 Music

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

## Africa

- **Ghana**, CIEE: Ghana: Legon: Arts and Sciences\*

## Asia

- **Indonesia**, SIT: Indonesia: Arts, Religion, and Social Change§
- **Hong Kong**, UVA Exchange: University of Hong Kong

## Europe

- **Greece**, UVA Exchange: American College of Greece
- **Austria**, IES: Vienna, Austria: Music\*
- **Sweden**, UVA Exchange: Lund University
- **France**, Middlebury College: France: Paris
- **Scotland**, UVA Exchange: University of St. Andrews

- **England**, UVA Exchange: University of Surrey

## Latin America

- **Argentina**, IES: Argentina: Buenos Aires: Latin American Societies and Cultures\*§
- **Costa Rica**, IFSA: Costa Rica: Heredia: Universidad Nacional

## Middle East

- **Egypt**, UVA Exchange: American University in Cairo

## Oceania

- **Australia**, UVA Exchange: University of Queensland
- **New Zealand**, UVA Exchange: University of Auckland

## Multiple

- Semester at Sea

\* Internship available

§ Fieldwork/field study available



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## STUDENT TESTIMONIAL

*The best part of studying at DEREЕ was my immersion in modern Greek culture. The students and faculty were incredibly welcoming, helping me to feel as if I belonged in their creative community too. From attending local gigs in downtown Athens to performing ancient Greek music myself, my semester at DEREЕ forced me to push the bounds of my artistry in an area of music I previously had known nothing about. To get to learn it all in a modern city with such a rich history is quite literally the experience of a lifetime.*

-Hannah Thompson, UVA Exchange: DEREЕ, American College of Greece



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