



Studying Abroad on a Short-term, Faculty-led Program



outside your borders

Program Selection

- [Portfolio](#)
- Options for all majors!
- Talk to your academic advisor
- Goal-setting:
 - Will this program help you achieve your goals?



Photo from Winter 2018 Ecuador CPSP Program

Goal-setting

Consider:

- What are you trying to achieve by studying abroad?
- How will your [personal identities](#) be affected/influenced while abroad?
- How will this experience impact your future endeavors?



Photo from Summer 2011 MSEC Program

Applying to a Program

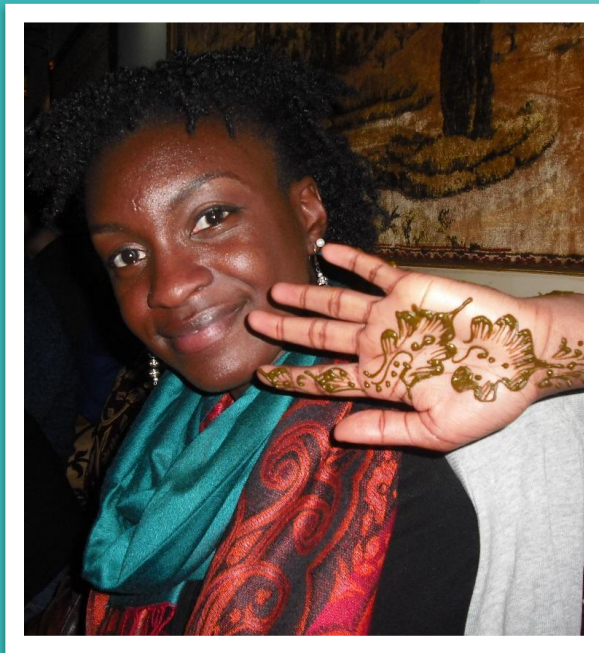
- Timelines
 - 9/24 - Education Abroad Scholarship deadline
 - 10/1 - Application deadline
 - 10/11 - Notification
 - 10/18 - Decision deadline
- Early Deadlines
- Rolling Admissions
- 2nd / 3rd Choice



Photo from Winter 2018 Slovakia JOUR Program

Applying to a Program: Non-UMD Applicants

- Forms that require additional time/input:
 - Home University Approval
 - Official Transcript
- EA Fee
- Graduate students & Professionals
 - Additional application required



Financing a Program

- Start early and budget
- Explore Your [Options!](#)
- Financial Aid Contact: Jamilya Parson
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- Gilman Scholarship Contact: Leslie Brice
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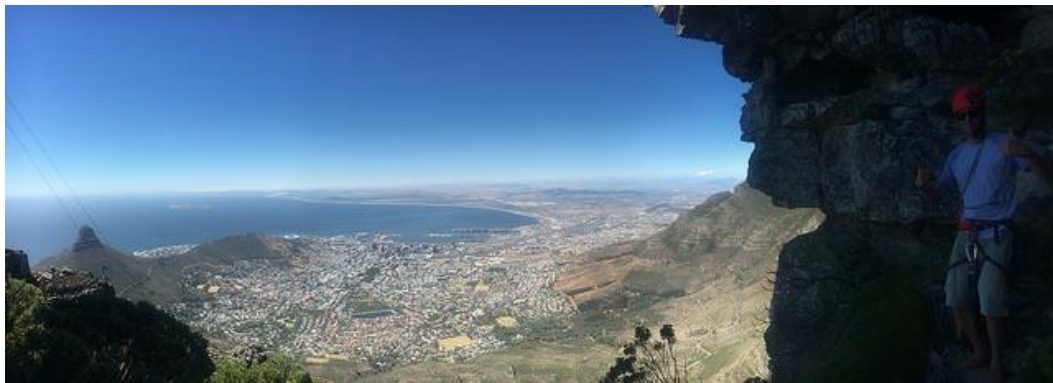


Photo from Winter 2018 South Africa BMGT Program



Photo from Winter 2018 Chile ARHU Program

Key Terms

- **Commit:**
 - agreeing to be financially liable for up to the full posted program fee
- **EA Fee:**
 - \$500 “down deposit” paid after commitment
- **Program Fee:**
 - EA Fee + Insurance + Tuition + Housing
- **Faculty Director:**
 - UMD faculty member teaching/guiding program

Applications Open	May 1
UMD Education Abroad (EA) Scholarship Deadline	September 24
Application Deadline	October 1*
Program Acceptance and EA Fund Notification	October 11*
Last day to commit to your program	October 18*
Study Abroad To-Do List Deadline	December 1
Program Fee charged to student account	November (winter); December (spring)
Program Fee payment due date	December (winter); January (spring)
<i>*Some programs may have rolling admissions or early deadlines for admission and commitment* Check your program page!</i>	

Pre-departure Expectations

- Orientation
- Flights
- Passport
- Visa acquisition (if applicable)
- Clearing blocks
- Enroll in the [STEP](#) program



During the Program

- Participate/Be Present
- Become a Social Media Ambassador
 - Contact eaoutreach@umd.edu
- Be respectful
- Have fun!



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United Kingdom
Alexander (Sasha) Sytov



Italy
Amber Chaney



Spain
Anna McKeown

Featured Events

February 17
Italy: Landscape Architecture, Architecture and Music (LARC/HONR) Information Session

February 22
United Kingdom: Art & Design in the Global Market (ARTT) Info Session

April 20
Somewhere Over the Rainbow Conference

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Jeff Robinson



Program: University of New South Wales (UNSW) Student Exchange: Sydney, Australia
Term: Fall 2015

Studying abroad impacted me the most by helping me build a network of friends from all over the world. I now have a network of relationships in Australia, Brazil, England, Netherlands, Germany and many other places located throughout the United States. Personally, it has also helped me step outside

of my comfort zone of being close to home and I am now open to relocation, and I also have aspirations of traveling the world.

I am a first generation African American college student that has lived in a single parent household my entire life. The best advice I would give any individual coming from any one of those backgrounds is to fully embrace themselves in the experience and try not to focus on things you cannot control or things going on back home. Your time abroad will go by really fast so it's best to appreciate and fully embrace yourself within the opportunity while you're there. This opportunity only comes once in a lifetime.



Questions?



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