Study Abroad

Department Website: http://study-abroad.uchicago.edu

Study Abroad Programs

UChicago Study Abroad encourages students to expand their education through diverse intellectual perspectives, active participation in a new culture, and critical, firsthand engagement with local and global challenges. Chicago's distinctive range of faculty-led programming blends the academic rigor and spirit of intellectual curiosity that is central to the College curriculum with the University's wide-reaching international mission.

The College sponsors study abroad programs in the following locations:

- Austria (Vienna)
- Botswana (Gaborone)
- Chile (Santiago)
- China (Beijing, Shanghai)
- Egypt (Cairo)/Morocco (Rabat)
- France (Paris, Menton)
- Germany (Berlin)
- Great Britain (Bristol, Cambridge, Edinburgh, London, Oxford)
- Greece (Athens)
- Hong Kong
- India (Pune)
- Ireland (Dublin)
- Israel (Jerusalem)
- Italy (Bologna, Milan, Rome)
- Japan (Kyoto, Tokyo)
- Korea (Seoul)
- Mexico (Oaxaca)
- Russia (St. Petersburg)
- Senegal (Dakar)
- Spain (Barcelona, Toledo)
- Tanzania (Arusha)
- Turkey (Istanbul)

Direct enrollment programs are available at partner universities in the following cities:

- Barcelona
- Beijing
- Berlin
- Bologna
- Kyoto
- Menton
- Milan
- Paris
- Santiago
- Seoul
- Shanghai
- St. Petersburg
- Tokyo

An enrollment agreement with the following British or Irish institutions allows students to study for an academic year:

- King’s College (London)
- London School of Economics and Political Science
- St. Catherine's College (Oxford) (Note: An Autumn Quarter-only option is available.)
- Trinity College (Cambridge)
- Trinity College (Dublin)
- University College (London)
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- University of Bristol
- University of Edinburgh

Programs at the following locations offer intensive language instruction:
- Beijing (Summer Quarter)
- Paris (Summer Quarter)
- Toledo (Autumn Quarter)

The following one-quarter programs meet the College’s general education requirement in civilization studies:
- Athens
- Barcelona (Winter Quarter taught in English, Spring Quarter taught in Spanish)
- Beijing
- Cairo/Rabat
- Dakar (Winter Quarter, African Civilizations, offered in alternating years)
- Hong Kong
- Istanbul
- Jerusalem
- Oaxaca
- Paris (Autumn, Winter, and Spring Quarters, European Civilizations; taught in English)
- Paris (Autumn Quarter, European Civilizations; taught in French)
- Paris (Autumn Quarter, African Civilizations, offered in alternating years)
- Paris (Spring Quarter, Russian Civilizations)
- Pune
- Rome
- Vienna

The following one-quarter programs have a disciplinary focus:
- Arusha: Human Evolution and Ecology (Autumn Quarter)
- Barcelona: Public Policy (Spring Quarter)
- Gaborone: Culture and Society in Africa (bridges Winter and Spring Quarters)
- London: British Literature and History (Autumn Quarter)
- Paris: Classics of Social and Political Thought (Autumn Quarter, offered in alternating years)
- Paris: Global Health (Winter Quarter, offered in alternating years)
- Paris: Neuroscience (Autumn Quarter)
- Paris: Social Sciences (Winter Quarter)
- Paris: Advanced Mathematics (Spring Quarter)
- Paris: Astronomy (Spring Quarter)
- Paris: Humanities (Spring Quarter)
- Vienna: Human Rights (Spring Quarter)

Students who wish to study abroad should attend relevant information meetings. Students should discuss their plans with their College adviser to determine the implications of study abroad for their degree program in Chicago. They should then make an appointment with Dana Currier (HM 211A, 702.6258), Lewis Fortner (HM 213, 702.4858), Elana Kranz (HM 209, 834.5424), or Lauren Schneider (HM 211B, 702.0991) about the application process. Visit the College Scheduling site (https://collegescheduling.uchicago.edu/samonline/BookAppt?C=C&T=P&P=88) to make an appointment. For more information, including the most current list of program locations, visit study-abroad.uchicago.edu.

Students participating in some study abroad programs (e.g., direct enrollment programs) are not eligible for the Dean’s List for that year. Please note that more than half of the requirements for a major must be met by registering for courses bearing University of Chicago course numbers.

Summer International Travel Grants

Foreign Language Acquisition Grants (FLAG) and research grants are part of the Summer International Travel Grant (SITG) award program. These awards are designed to defray many of the expenses associated with summer language study and academic research abroad. Visit study-abroad.uchicago.edu/sitg to obtain the application for the FLAG and research grants. Applications must be completed online by the appropriate deadline, normally in mid-February.
To be considered for FLAG funding, applicants must have completed or tested out of the 10300 level of the target language by their program's start date. They must also plan to enroll in an intermediate or advanced intensive language program abroad that is at least eight weeks in duration, at least fifteen hours of study a week, and located in a setting where the language is predominately spoken. If a language is not offered on campus, applicants may apply at any level. Students should visit study-abroad.uchicago.edu/sitg for more information, including access to a database of language schools where previous FLAG recipients have studied. Students should also contact language departments to identify appropriate programs. Students planning to enroll in the University of Chicago's Summer Paris Program or the Center in Beijing's Summer Chinese Program are eligible for FLAG funding and are encouraged to apply.

Research Grants

Research grants are available to support research that is conducted outside the United States, typically leading to the completion of a bachelor's thesis. Proposals for other international academic projects and for research that is not related to a bachelor's thesis may also be considered.
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