Recommendations

B.A. European Studies

To learn more about making the most of your educational experiences within and beyond the classroom contact:
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Global Learning

Timing for “study abroad”
Summer, Fall or Spring of Junior year

Destinations
Any European nation via accredited study abroad service provider

Why this is important
EURO is, by conception and design, a major for which the successful student completes a study and/or internship component in a European country. Preferably (but not exclusively) this experience should require proficiency in a European language other than English. To study Europe, its politics, cultures, histories and institutions, students need to acquire some direct knowledge of it.

Peer Leadership

Other recommendations
International House at Maxcy College

Research

Related courses
Euro 490

Sample research projects or topics
Recent examples: impact of eurozone economic crisis on 2012 French presidential elections; legacy of the Irish 1916 Easter Rising; rise of far-right political parties in Europe

Other recommendations
Can be combined w/ South Carolina Honors College project / thesis research

Why this is important
Allows student to undertake extended research project, synthesize major coursework, assess study abroad experiences, develop clear written and oral arguments on a topic related to his/her area of interest, prepare for graduate level work.

LEAD

Related graduate programs
Law school, graduate work in Political Science, Public Policy, History, International Studies, Conflict Resolution

Future career opportunities
International law, academia, foreign service, state department, EU-related administration and business

The listed experiences are a sample of options for your major. See the USC Connect experiences database to search for more opportunities. www.sc.edu/usccconnect/participate