Study Abroad

New Student Orientation
Where will YOU go?
1,774 University of South Carolina Students Participated in Global Education
These students represented each undergraduate college & school on campus.

College of Arts & Sciences
Moore School of Business
College of Education
College of Engineering & Computing
College of Hospitality, Retail & Sport Management
College of Social Work

College of Mass Communications & Information Studies
School of Music
College of Nursing
College of Pharmacy
School of Public Health
Students traveled to 59 countries
GLOBAL EDUCATION

{ GLOBAL Exchange
  Global Direct
  Global Partner
  Global Classroom
  Global USC

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA
UNIV101 Special Section: Study Abroad

Enroll in this special section of UNIV101 with a **global focus**, and receive an introduction to studying abroad by spending Fall Break in Oranjestad, Aruba or Quebec City, Canada!

**UNIV101 (3 credits):**

In this special section of UNIV101, you will:

- Follow the general UNIV101 curriculum and acclimate to the university environment through a global lens
- Participate in a Fall Break program in either **Quebec City, Canada** or **Oranjestad, Aruba**
- Reflect on and analyze your experience through a final project

*A separate program fee will cover all on-the-ground expenses*

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Study
Intern
Volunteer
Research
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Vickie
Anthropology
Salvador, Brazil
Erin
Political Science & Women’s and Gender Studies
Bangalore, India

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UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA
You can **afford** to study abroad

Utilize existing financial aid:
- Federal Loans & Grants
- State Scholarships
- University Scholarships

Apply for study abroad specific funding:
- Need-based aid
- Merit-based scholarships
- Departmental Scholarships
- National Scholarships
$295,000

In scholarship funding provided by the SAO for University of South Carolina students participating in education abroad
You can’t afford not to study abroad

Career Advancement
Language Skills
Make New Friends
Academic Objectives
Personal Growth

Increased critical thinking skills
Increased problem-solving skills
Experiential learning opportunities
Language and cultural immersion
Graduation with Leadership Distinction (GLD): Global Learning

Connect your experience to your academic and professional goals through your e-portfolio!

Taking Learning to a Global Level

About me

My name is Elizabeth Hudson, known to most as Liz, and I am a senior at the University of South Carolina (USC). I am pursuing a degree in psychology with a minor in criminal justice. I will be graduating in May of 2013 with leadership distinction in global learning.

Throughout my college experiences, I have gradually come to realize my true interests and passions. The reason I chose my major and the aspects of psychology that fascinate me the most are the different ways in which people think and act. The human race is composed of being, breathing things that are inherently the same, yet no two people are alike. It is this foundation that created a desire for global learning and understanding. Studying abroad was the best thing I could have done to fuel this spark of interest and I continue to reap the benefits of this decision.

Meeting people from all walks of life, viewing criminal justice and human rights from different points of view, and adapting to alternative viewpoints, has opened my eyes to the importance of global communication and appreciation of diversity. Being able to integrate the things I’ve learned in the classroom with real life experiences has allowed the development of a tremendous confidence in not only myself but the path I want to pursue. I hope to incorporate what I’ve learned throughout my college experiences in a future career and believe these things

Liz
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Vienna, Austria
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Florence, Italy, Global Partner Program, SAI

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- **Snapchat** *(Study Abroad Sunday)*
  University of South Carolina
Steps to Study Abroad

1. **Attend an Information Session**
   - General info
   - 30-45 min
   - 2x/day, Mon-Fri
   - Led by peer ambassador or grad assistant

2. **Research Programs**
   - Nearly 2000 programs!
   - Consider:
     - Term
     - Location
     - Language
     - Courses
     - Housing
     - Cost/scholarships

3. **Be Advised**
   - Your specific interests
   - 30 min
   - Various times, M-F
   - With staff or grad assistant
   - Walk-ins available (15 min)

4. **Apply**
   - 1-2 semesters prior to term of choice
   - Through USC website AND through your program of choice’s website
   - Check deadlines early! (6-12mos in advance)
Questions?