See The World

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**Length of Presentation** 50/75 minutes

**Presenter Information**

- Professional Staff
- Graduate Students
- Undergraduate Students

**UNIV 101 Learning Outcomes** IIa, IIIa

**Abstract**

The Study Abroad Office’s “See the World” presentation is designed to give students the tools necessary to start thinking about the many international education opportunities available at USC. Peers and graduate students highlight their own international experiences and facilitate a discussion on opportunities for overseas study, internship, research, and service. With this highly interactive environment, no two presentations are exactly alike. “See the World” presenters will discuss the benefits of international education and address students’ individual concerns by dispelling study abroad myths. Presenters then outline the steps students need to take to begin the study abroad process.

**Presentation Learning Outcomes**

*As a result of this presentation, students will be able to:*
- Understand the importance of international education to personal, academic, and professional development and learn reasons to get excited about studying abroad.
- Dispel myths about global education programs by interacting with study abroad returnees and learning from them what the study abroad experience is like.
- Become familiar with the Study Abroad Office as a campus resource for international study and understand the basics of how the study abroad process works.

**Outline of Presentation**

I. Internationally-themed icebreaker

II. Presenter gives a personalized presentation about their own study abroad experience

III. Activity- Scattergories Abroad. This activity covers the following topics:
   a. Where: Countries, cities and regions where students might want to study abroad
   b. Why: Advantages of study abroad
   c. Why Not: Barriers or perceived barriers to study abroad

IV. Presenter shares information regarding how to get started with the Study Abroad Office

V. Assessment