



2012 Short Term Study Abroad Programs

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Admissions & Scholarship Application Deadlines:

Oct. 15 – Spring Semester

Feb. 1 – Spring Break

Mar. 1 – Summer & Fall Semester

Apply online at: www.washburn.edu/iip

Spring: Apply by Oct. 15th

Belize – Study Abroad in Belize - Dates: 12/28/2011 – 01/07/2012

This 10 day program is a unique opportunity for WU students to become aquatinted with a diverse culture while providing volunteer service. Students will volunteer at two orphanages and attend a three day Belizean International Symposium on Education. Daily activities are followed up with nightly reflective seminars. A visit to the Mayan Temple Ruins, and the Caribbean island of Caye Caulker with a stay at Island Magic Beach Resort are also included.

Pre req: None

Open to all WU Students

Approx. Cost: \$3,068

Contact: Professor Judy McConnell-Farmer, Education, 670-1472, judy.mcconnell-farmer@washburn.edu

Nicaragua - Service Learning Experience – Dates: 01/02 – 01/15-2011

Students will spend two weeks in Nicaragua exploring the history and culture while engaged in service both in Managua and rural communities.

Pre-requisite: None

Approx. Cost: \$2,900

Contact: Dr. Rick Ellis, Learning in the Community (LinC) Center for Community Service and Civic Engagement, Benton Hall 303, 670-1950, rick.ellis@washburn.edu

Spring Break: Apply by Feb 1st

Greece – Sport Traditions and Cultural History of Europe – Dates: 03/16/2012 – 03/24/2012

Sport Traditions and Cultural History of Europe is a three-credit, nine-day Transformational Experience that will see students travel within Greece in an attempt to understand the impact of sport upon modern Europe.

Pre req: None

Open to all WU Students. Faculty approval must be granted before applying.

Approx. Cost: \$3,600

Contact: Dr. Ross Friesen, Kinesiology, 670-1759, ross.friesen@washburn.edu, or Dr. Roy Wohl, Kinesiology, 670-1968, roy.wohl@washburn.edu, Glenda Taylor, Art, 670-2238, glenda.taylor@washburn.edu

Summer: Early Application Deadline Feb. 28th

Finland, International Summer School –Early Summer Dates: TBA (includes optional 3-day course in St. Petersburg, Russia)

Study forward thinking trends and cases in Health Care, Technology and Business Management with a multicultural group at Satakunta University & Rovaniemi University and see what the country of Nokia has to offer about the ways of innovation.

Open to all WU students with interest in social work, nursing, physical therapy, rehabilitation, technology or business management.

Includes an optional three-day course in St.Petersburg, Russia.

Approx. Cost: \$4,000

Contact: Dr. Dmitri Nizovtsev, School of Business, 670-1599, dmitri.nizovtsev@washburn.edu

Additional application required: www.magellanonline.org

<http://www.samk.fi/summerschool>

Summer: Apply by Mar. 1st

Barbados - Law Program - Dates: TBA

The Washburn University School of Law Summer Study Abroad Program provides students an opportunity to understand their legal systems more fully through comparative study of the Caribbean system while living in a stimulating West Indian university environment.

Pre req: Appropriate background, Open to Law School students

Approx. Cost: \$5413

Contact: Professor Nancy Maxwell, Law School, 670-1837, nancy.maxwell@washburn.edu
www.washburnlaw.edu/studyabroad

Belgium, Germany, Netherlands and more...

The Spirit of Europe – HEC Leige, Aachen University & Zuyd University – Dates: TBA

Experience the spirit of Europe! An exciting two-week program of lectures, company visits, excursions and city trips. Program includes visits to the European Parliament, the NATO Headquarters and several European companies. Of course there will also be the opportunity to experience the culture of Europe.

Pre-req: None, Open to all WU students

Approx. Cost: \$4,850

Contact: Dr. Dmitri Nizovtsev, School of Business, 670-1599, dmitri.nizovtsev@washburn.edu

Additional application required: www.magellanonline.org

<http://members.home.nl/summercourse>

China - International Business and Entrepreneurship Experience –Early Summer Date: Early Summer TBA

This course is designed to maximize WU student's exposure to the global economy. Students will develop the skills needed to adapt and perform in an international business context, working in teams with individuals from different cultures and different time zones.

Associated Course: BU404 (or BU 456, instructor approval req.) Intl. Business and Entrepreneurship Experience in China

Pre-req: Junior status, Open to WU Business students

Approx. Cost: \$3,650

Contact: Professor Michael Stoica, Business, 670-1592, michael.stoica@washburn.edu

England - International Summer School at the University of Cambridge - Dates: TBA

Choose from over 30 classes covering a wide range of subjects taught by Cambridge professors. Weekends are free for sightseeing and travel with excellent train service available to visit the rest of England, Scotland and Wales. For more information visit:

www.cont-ed.cam.ac.uk/IntSummer/

Pre-req: None, Open to all WU Students

Approx. Cost: \$6,000

Contact: Professor Bassima Schbley, Social Work, 670-2137 bassima.schbley@washburn.edu or International Programs, 670-1051, international@washburn.edu

Germany – International Summer School in Osnabruck, Germany – Dates: TBA

Embark on an exciting three-week program right in the heart of Europe of lectures, company visits, excursions, and study trips.

Program includes visits to Germany's capital, Berlin, the European Parliament in Brussels, Belgium, field trips in and visits to area businesses in Lower Saxony, one of Germany's most exciting federal states. Learn some 'survival German', too.

No prerequisites, just enthusiasm and curiosity. Open to all WU-students. Of special interest to students in public health and business administration.

Approx. Cost: \$5,600 (includes airfare and local transportation)

Contact: Dr. Dmitri Nizovtsev, School of Business, 670-1599, dmitri.nizovtsev@washburn.edu or Dr. Gabi Lunte, Dept. of Modern Languages, 670-2014, gabi.lunte@washburn.edu

Japan - Discover Japan with Fukuoka University – Early Summer Dates: TBA

Study the culture, history and society of Japan while visiting sites of interest including Kumanoto Castle, Mt. Aso, Tochoji Temple, Fukuoka Tower, Kushida Shrine and Nagasaki. All course work is taught in English.

Pre req: None, all courses are taught in English, Open to all WU students. Faculty approval must be granted before applying.

Approx. cost: \$3,000

Contact: International Programs, 670-1051, studyabroad@washburn.edu

www.fukuoka-u.ac.jp

Summer Language Immersion Programs: Apply by March 1st

The following programs offer Beginning, Intermediate and Advanced Language and Culture Studies.

Contact: the Modern Language Department, 670-2711, <http://www.washburn.edu/cas/is/> or the Office of International Programs, 670-1051, <http://www.washburn.edu/iip/>, for more information.

Note: Foreign Language Majors should apply for Admissions to Study Abroad and Scholarship in the Modern Languages Department, MO 375, Deadline Feb 15th.

Chinese:

China - Zhejiang Normal University – 4-8 week programs

Host University: http://gjxy.zjnu.net.cn/Lxsd/index_english.htm

French:

France - University of Blaise Pascal - 4 weeks during the month of July

Host University: <http://www.univ-bpclermont.fr/rubrique57.html>

German:

Austria - University of Klagenfurt - 3-10 weeks program during May - September

Host University: www.uni-klu.ac.at/uniklu

Spanish:

Spain - University of Cantabria - Dates: 4 week program during month of July

Host University: www.unican.es/ciuc/cespaniol

Mexico – University of Guanajuato (UGto) - Session I June – July, Session II July – August

Host University: <http://usic13.ugto.mx/idiomas/Programs.html>

Mexico - University of Monterrey (UDEM) - June - July

Host University: <http://www.magellanonline.org/Destinations/Mexico.aspx>

Paraguay – Villa Mora Language Institute – 4-8 week programs

Host Coordinator: www.cpk.org.py

For additional information on other summer study abroad programs (not affiliated with WU), search the following websites:

1. www.iiepassport.org
2. www.goabroad.com
3. www.petersons.com/sumabrd/
4. www.sit.edu
5. www.ciee.org
6. www.by.edu/abroad
7. www.ieabroad.org
8. www.fieldstudies.org

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