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# ACADEMIC YEAR/SEMESTER PROGRAMS

## ARGENTINA:

### Buenos Aires\*\*

- Experience the rich culture and landscape of one of South America's most enchanting countries
- Take classes in English and Spanish and continue your studies regardless of your language level
- Immerse yourself in university life by taking classes with Argentine students in a wide variety of subject areas

## AUSTRALIA/NEW ZEALAND:

### Australearn\*\*

- Choose from over 25 major universities in Australia or New Zealand
- A variety of courses are available for virtually every major

### La Trobe University

- Choose from two campuses: La Trobe's main campus of Bundoora or the smaller Bendigo campus
- Both campuses offer a wide variety of courses in multiple disciplines
- Bendigo offers courses in outdoor education, health sciences, physical education and fine arts

### Pacific Challenge

- This challenge by choice program travels through both New Zealand and Australia
- Participate in backpacking, rock climbing, skydiving, white water rafting, mountain biking, horse riding, snorkeling and much more

## CHINA:

### Beijing Union University

- Participate in an intensive Chinese language and culture program in one of China's most famous cities
- Housing in student residencies with other Chinese students provides for an unprecedented level of cultural immersion

### City University, Hong Kong

- Take classes in English while still experiencing the Chinese culture with over 18,000 other students
- City University of Hong Kong offers a wide range of courses in many disciplines including: business, science and engineering, humanities and social sciences, the School of Creative Media, the School of Law, the College of Higher Vocational Studies and the School of Continuing and Professional Education

### Guangxi Normal University, Guilin\*\*

- Take a variety of courses in Chinese language, culture, history, music and art
- Guilin, a city rich in scenic wonders, is known for its cultural relics and renowned for "having the most beautiful landscape of mountains and rivers in China"

## COSTA RICA:

### San Jose\*\*

- Take electives in a wide variety of subject areas, available in Spanish and English, from environmental studies to political science and more
- Experience the country's ecological and environmental vocation by doing volunteer work at a national park
- Enjoy a warm and friendly stay in San José by living with a homestay family

## CZECH REPUBLIC:

### Prague\*\*

- Take classes in English with Czech and international students in a wide variety of subject areas
- Prague's ideal location makes it easy to explore neighboring countries including Austria, Hungary, Poland, Slovakia and Germany

## DENMARK:

### Copenhagen Business School\*\*

- Courses are taught entirely in English
- Take courses in accounting, finance, economics, business law and management
- Copenhagen Business School is Denmark's most internationally oriented institution of higher education

## EGYPT:

### American University, Cairo\*\*

- English courses available in virtually any discipline
- Housing is in a student residence located in the residential district of Zamalek
- Participate on short excursions, or take part in two optional long weekend trips each semester

## FRANCE:

### University of Nancy 2, Nancy

- Experience a rich and varied curriculum offering over 245 different courses taught in French
- Nancy has a noted fine arts museum and an academy of fine arts
- A model of urban planning and a gem of 18th century architecture

## GERMANY:

### Fachhochschule Frankfurt am Main

(The University of Applied Sciences)

- Business, architecture, and computer science classes are all available at this leading German University
- Live with other German and international students in a local residence hall

### Goethe University, Frankfurt

- Choose from a variety of courses in 21 academic departments
- Mingle with over 180 different nationalities in the City of Frankfurt

### Carl Von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg\*\*

- Classes offered in German and English
- Spend time with your "cultural buddy," a German student selected to be your guide to the university, city and social scene
- Oldenburg is home of a number of cultural institutions including a regional museum of art and cultural history, the Augusteum art museum and the State Museum for Natural and Early History

### Hessen\*\*

- Courses offered in German and English
- Located in the heart of Germany, the State of Hessen includes the cities of Frankfurt, Kassel, and Marburg
- Internships are also available!

## HUNGARY:

### Budapest\*\*

- Study alongside Hungarian and other international students, while earning credit from the most prestigious universities in Hungary
- Discover more about the host culture through one-to-one language exchanges with Hungarian students
- Work towards your major requirements by taking courses offered in English in hard to find subject areas

## IRELAND:

### National University of Ireland, Galway\*\*

- Select from courses in seven faculties: art, Celtic studies, commerce, engineering, law, medicine and health sciences and science
- Study in the third largest city in the Republic of Ireland and one of Europe's fastest growing urban centers
- Housing is available at Corrib Village, a self-contained residence near the NUI campus

## ISRAEL:

### Tel Aviv University Lowy School For Overseas Students, Tel Aviv

- Select from a wide variety of courses including Jewish studies, business and management, social sciences and Hebrew language studies, all taught in English
- Live with Israeli and other international students in the residence halls

## ITALY:

### Rome with UW-Platteville

- Spend a semester at the American University of Rome with students from all over the U.S.
- Courses available in Italian language and literature, art history, communications/media studies/cinema, history, political science/ international relations and international business in Italian or English

## JAPAN:

### Nagasaki with UW-Platteville

- Learn about Japan and Japanese culture by living with a Japanese family, interacting regularly with a Japanese university student who serves as a language tutor, taking field trips and tours to significant historical and cultural sites and participating in organized social events
- Located at Nagasaki University of Foreign Studies, students select from Japanese language courses, Japan studies courses or seminars in traditional Japanese Arts

## MEXICO:

### University of the Americas (UDLA), Puebla

- Mexico's premier private university often called the "Harvard of Mexico"
- Take Spanish courses offered by the language department, content courses offered in English or Spanish
- Meet Mexican students who study and socialize with you at UDLA

### University of Veracruz, Xalapa\*\*

- Improve your Spanish and learn about Latin American culture
- Local outings, visits to market places, shops and family-owned factories, as well as salsa dancing and craft lessons enrich your academic program
- Live with a host family to enrich your time in Mexico

## THE NETHERLANDS:

### Maastricht Center for Transatlantic Studies\*\*

- A unique educational program based on the interactive relationship between peoples and cultures on both sides of the Atlantic
- Courses offered vary from one semester to the next. The majority are from the social sciences, humanities, fine arts and business

## SPAIN:

### Universitas Castellae, Valladolid\*\*

- A specialized center dedicated to the study of Spanish language and Hispanic culture for foreign students
- Courses available include advanced language, literature, art, history, culture and sociology studies
- A series of guided weekend field trips to different regions of Spain throughout the semester are arranged for students
- Enjoy living with a host family to enhance your cultural immersion

### Seville with UW-Platteville\*\*

- The Spanish-American Institute of International Education combines coursework, field trips, intercambio partnerships and homestays into an all-around cultural immersion program
- Liberal Arts courses are offered in English and in Spanish — and international business courses are offered in English

## SWEDEN:

### Växjö University

- Students study one course at a time, rather than take several courses simultaneously (courses are taught in English)
- 65 different programs and 1,200 courses in approximately 50 different subjects
- Växjö (pronounced Vex-sure) is the "capital" of Kronoberg County in southeastern Sweden and is an attractive area for those who love outdoor activities

## UNITED KINGDOM:

### London Metropolitan University

- One of the top universities in the United Kingdom
- Boasts a broad curriculum in the humanities, sciences, business, mathematics and computing
- Experience well-known sites in London such as the Houses of Parliament, Big Ben or the Tower of London

### Study in Scotland\*\*

- Choose from three Scottish universities: Aberdeen\*\*, Glasgow, or Stirling\*\*
- Campuses offer a wide variety of courses in many disciplines
- Immerse yourself in the culture of Scotland

### London with UW-Platteville

- Offers full academic facilities, including a Learning Resources Centre, and British instructors in all courses
- Live in British homes in the surrounding community to enhance your cultural experience

## SUMMER PROGRAMS

### AUSTRIA:

#### Webster University, Vienna

- Spend the summer in this charming 18th Century European city
- Visit world class museums and famous concert halls
- Earn transfer and/or resident credit while spending your summer abroad!

### FRANCE:

#### The Centre d'Enseignement du Français pour Etrangers, Caen

- Intensive French language courses
- Excursions to the D-day landing beaches of Normandy and evenings of French films and entertainment

### JAPAN:

#### Hirosaki Gakuin University

- No previous knowledge of the Japanese language is required!
- Language programs are held during the morning, and cultural lessons and mini-fieldtrips are conducted in the afternoon around Hirosaki

### MEXICO:

#### Gate Program

- Spend 10 days in Mexico with Viterbo University and the Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration exploring Mexico's spiritual diversity
- The program includes a visit to the shrine of Our lady of Guadalupe, the Zócalo, birthplace of modern Mexico, and the ancient site of the pyramids of Teotihuacan.

### Puebla Internship Program

- This unique 10-week program allows students from all areas of campus to have an international experience while completing a required internship experience
- Internships in education, business, sociology, health sciences and many more areas available!

### NORWAY:

#### International Summer School, Oslo

- Take a variety of courses in various disciplines with over 500 students from around the world
- Students are housed at Blindern Studentehjem, located in a park-like garden adjacent to the University and have roommates from many different countries

### POLAND:

#### Krakow

- Explore Krakow, its culture and history through hands-on courses, onsite lectures and field trips
- Earn credits toward your major through a wide variety of elective courses

### RUSSIA:

#### St. Petersburg

- Study Russian language and culture history, literature, art and architecture in English
- Attend lectures, museum tours, and guided visits to historical monuments and locations

### SWITZERLAND:

#### Webster University, Geneva

- Select from a variety of different courses
- Experience Switzerland's robust national culture and alpine landscapes

### THAILAND:

#### Webster University, Cha-am

- More than 30 courses are offered each summer
- Immerse yourself in breathtaking natural beauty, inspiring temples, renowned hospitality, robust cuisine and the ruins of fabulous ancient kingdoms

Many more sites available through our program partners: Academic Programs International (API), the Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE), Cultural Experiences Abroad (CEA) and the International Student Exchange Program (ISEP).

## J-TERM/MAY TERM/SPRING BREAK

### AUSTRALIA/NEW ZEALAND Escape (J-Term)

- May be taken for credit or for experience only
- Backpacking, rock climbing, skydiving, white water rafting, mountain biking, horse riding, snorkeling, and much more

### JAMAICA Community Integration (Spring Break)

- Spend Spring Break making a difference
- Travel with University Centers and help teach adult literacy, build a school or install plumbing

Other Programs may be offered. Check our Web site for the most accurate information, program fees and dates.

\*\*Summer programs are also available in these locations!