International Education & Engagement (IEE) is a campus and community resource focused on supporting student success by facilitating global experiences for students, faculty, staff, and the community. We strive to support and engage cross cultural understanding through programming, teaching, learning, research, partnerships, and service opportunities.

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Our Mission

Fall Study Abroad Fair
Join us for our Fall Study Abroad Fair on Tuesday, October 3rd from 10-2 in the “U”!
Discover all things international with opportunities to meet with our international partner universities, faculty-led program leaders, program providers, alumni, and the IEE team!

Study Abroad 101 Sessions
Learn about the different study abroad programs, application procedures, scholarships, and much more! Topics vary based on audience needs.

- September 13th, 20th, & 27th
- October 4th, 11th, & 18th
- November 1st, 8th, 15th, & 29
- December 6th

4:00 - 5:00PM | 1209 Centennial Hall

Where did UWL students go last year?

- UK: 28%
- Spain: 14%
- Italy: 9%
- China: 8%
- Japan: 5%
- France: 3%
- Germany: 4%
- Ireland: 3%
- Croatia: 3%
- China: 3%
- Argentina: 2%
- Australia: 2%
- Costa Rica: 2%
Welcoming a New Study Abroad Advisor to IEE

Deya joined us on Sept. 1 from Austin Peay State University where she served as a Study Abroad Advisor and Outreach Specialist. Originally from Venezuela, her experience with international education began when she studied English as a second language in the UK for several years. She has now worked in the international education field for over three years.

Faculty-Led Study Abroad Programs
Winter Term (J-Term) 2017
Earn 3 credits over Winter Break! Application deadline: October 4

Argentina! History HIS360 or HIS392, Women, Gender & Sexuality in Latin America History Through Films led by Dr. Victor Marcias-Gonzalez. Please visit the [online brochure](#) for more information.

Costa Rica! ENV303 Ecotourism & Biodiversity Conservation led by Prof. Alysa Remsburg. Please visit the [online brochure](#) for more information.

Interested in a semester at another US Institution? Check out the NSE programs!
Through the [National Exchange Program](#) (NSE), IEE offers UWL students an study away opportunity to experience life from a different point of view at another US institution. Placements are for a semester or academic year. Students must apply a year in advance.

Global Buddy Program
The Global Buddy Program matches domestic students, faculty, and staff with international students and visiting scholars to create long-lasting international friendships. It provides opportunities to share interests, language, and culture. Members meet with their global buddy one-on-one or during our organized events. If you would like to learn more about this program, please contact Yi Huang at huang.yi3@uwlnx.edu or fill out this [online form](#) to become a Global Buddy.

Cultural Coffee Hours
This is an opportunity for students, faculty, staff, and community members to come together to discuss different topics and how they affect people around the world. Each Coffee Hour has a theme and all discussion is based around the predetermined theme for that week. Come join us for some great discussion! Free coffee, tea, and snacks are provided.
- Sept. 26—Pop Culture
- Oct. 10—Well-Being
- Oct. 17—Politics
- Nov. 7—Business
- Nov. 14—Gender Roles

5:00 - 6:00PM | Hall of Nations

Visit IEE’s Calendar to find more ways to get involved!

Scholarship Opportunities

Congratulations [Fiona Boler](#)! Fiona is an UWL student who received the [Gilman Scholarship](#). The Gilman Scholarship provides unique funding opportunities for nearly 1,000 U.S. citizen undergraduate students of limited financial means to enable them to study abroad in world regions critical to U.S. interests, and underrepresented in study abroad.

The I-Engage Scholarship provides funding for education to students who are greatly involved in educating others about their home country/culture or wish to study abroad. Deadlines: Dec. 1 or May 1.

For more information about these and other scholarship opportunities, please visit the International Education & Engagement [scholarships](#) webpage and the Financial Aid [Scholarship Resource Center](#).

Great News! [CEA](#) is offering a $2,000 scholarship for UWL students who apply by Sept. 29 for a spring 2018 study abroad program. The award is automatically received with your application!

The 2017 GLOBAL INITIATIVES WEEK
November 3-10
INTERNATIONAL BANQUET
April 14, 2018

Join us for Oktoberfest!
And [sign up](#) to walk in the Maple Leaf Parade -Sept. 30-