### CAL POLY GLOBAL PROGRAMS

**Study Abroad with Cal Poly faculty and Cal Poly students while earning resident credit!**

**LENGTH OF PROGRAMS**
- Quarter, Summer, & Short Term programs

**WEBSITE**
- [http://studyabroad.calpoly.edu/programs/cplp/index.html](http://studyabroad.calpoly.edu/programs/cplp/index.html)

### COURSE AREAS
- GE, major, or minor credit

### GENERAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS:
- Australia: Winter
- London: Summer
- Peru: Summer
- Spain: Summer & Fall
- Thailand: Summer

### LENGTH OF PROGRAMS
- Quarter, Summer, & Short Term programs

### CSU INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS (CSU-IP)

**LENGTH OF PROGRAMS**
- All academic year-long study abroad programs

**WEBSITE**
- [www.calstate.edu/ip](http://www.calstate.edu/ip)

**ADDITIONAL COURSE AREAS**
- GE Classes (Area C’s and D’s)

**CLA MAJOR COURSES**
- **Anthropology and Geography:** Australia, Canada, Chile, France, Germany, Ghana, Mexico, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Taiwan, United Kingdom
- **Communication Studies:** Australia, Canada, Philosophy: Canada, Chile, China, France, Germany, Ghana, South Korea, South Africa, Spain, Taiwan, United Kingdom
- **Political Science:** Canada, Chile, France, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Taiwan, United Kingdom
- **Psychology and Child Development:** Australia, Canada, Chile, France, Germany, Ghana, South Korea, Mexico, South Africa, Taiwan, United Kingdom
- **Social Sciences:** Canada, Chile, France, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Spain, United Kingdom
- **Theatre and Dance:** Australia, Canada, Chile, France, Germany, Ghana, South Korea, South Africa, Taiwan, United Kingdom

### NATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE (NSE)

**Exchange to over 200 universities within the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico, Guam, and the US Virgin Islands**

**LENGTH OF PROGRAMS**
- Quarter, Semester, Yearlong, Summer

**WEBSITE**
- [www.nse.org](http://www.nse.org)

**ADDITIONAL COURSE AREAS**
- GE Classes (All GE areas)
- Choose from General Education or Major specific courses, use the ‘Find Campuses within your Major’ search tool on: [www.nse.org](http://www.nse.org)
### CAL POLY INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM

**LENGTH OF PROGRAMS:** Semester

**WEBSITE:** studyabroad.calpoly.edu/programs/cpint/index.html

- John Cabot University- Rome, Italy:
  - College Wide Exchange
  - Contact: Penny Bennett pkbennet@calpoly.edu (47-31)

- Kadir Has Universitesi, Cibali, Istanbul Turkey:
  - College Wide Exchange
  - Contact: Penny Bennett pkbennet@calpoly.edu (47-31)

### PARTNER PROGRAMS

### COUNCIL ON INTERNATIONAL EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGE (CIEE)

**LENGTH OF PROGRAMS:** Semester, Yearlong, Summer, Short Term

**WEBSITE:** www.clee.org/study-abroad

**RECOMMENDED REGIONS:** Africa, Asia-Pacific, Caribbean, Europe, Latin America and the Middle East

**COURSE AREAS**

- GE Classes (Area C’s and D’s)
- Internship Opportunities

**CLA MAJOR COURSES**

- Anthropology/Geography: Argentina, China, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, England, France, Ireland, Italy, South Africa, Spain
- Art & Design: Argentina, Costa Rica, England, France, Italy, South Africa
- Communication Studies: Argentina, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, France, England, Ireland, Italy, South Africa, Spain
- Comparative Ethnic Studies: Argentina, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, England, France, Ireland, Italy, South Africa, Spain
- English: Argentina, Czech Republic, England, France, Ireland, Italy, South Africa, Spain
- Graphic Communication: Argentina, Chile, England, Italy, South Africa

### DANISH INSTITUTE FOR STUDY ABROAD (DIS)

**LENGTH OF PROGRAMS**

- Semester, Yearlong, Summer

**WEBSITE:** www.disabroad.org

**ADDITIONAL COURSE AREAS**

- GE Classes (Area C’s, D’s and F’s)
- Internship Opportunities

**CLA MAJOR COURSES**

- Child Development
- Communication Studies
- Graphic Design
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Social Sciences

### THE EDUCATION ABROAD NETWORK (TEAN)

**LENGTH OF PROGRAMS**

- Semester, Yearlong, Summer, Short Term

**WEBSITE:** www.educationabroadnetwork.org

**ADDITIONAL COURSE AREAS**

- GE Classes (Area C’s and D’s)
- Internship Opportunities

**RECOMMENDED COUNTRIES:**

- Humanities: Australia, New Zealand, China, South Korea, Thailand, Thailand/Cambodia Program, Thailand/Vietnam Program, Vietnam
- Modern Languages and Literatures: all countries possible
- Social Sciences: Australia, New Zealand, China, South Korea, Thailand, Thailand/Cambodia Program, Thailand/Vietnam Program, Vietnam
UNIVERSITY STUDIES ABROAD CONSORTIUM (USAC)

LENGTH OF PROGRAMS
- Semester, Yearlong, Summer, Short Term

WEBSITE
- www.usac.unr.edu

COURSE AREAS
- GE Classes (Area C’s and D’s)
- Internship Opportunities

RECOMMENDED LOCATIONS:
- Anthropology & Geography: Australia, Brazil, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Cuba, Czech Republic, England, Germany, Ghana, India, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Scotland, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Thailand
- Art and Design: Australia, Brazil, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Cuba, Czech Republic, England, France, Germany, Ghana, India, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Spain, Sweden
- Communication Studies: Australia, Chile, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Denmark, England, France, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Scotland, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Thailand, Turkey
- English: Australia, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, England, France, Ghana, Ireland, Italy, Japan, New Zealand, Scotland, South Korea, Spain, Turkey
- Ethnic Studies: Australia, Ghana, Ireland, Japan, New Zealand, Scotland, South Korea
- Graphic Communication: Australia, England, New Zealand, Sweden, Turkey
- History: Australia, Brazil, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Cuba, Czech Republic, England, France, Germany, Ghana, India, Italy, Japan, New Zealand, Norway, Scotland, South Korea, Spain

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. When should I plan to study abroad?
In general, fall quarter of Junior or Senior year is the best time to study abroad for CLA majors. Fall semesters offer the greatest flexibility because you will not be missing 2 quarters the way you would by going spring semester. In planning when to go, take these things into consideration:
- Pre-requisite requirements for later classes
- Series courses ie. ENGL core courses, ART series courses
- That some courses are only offered during certain quarters

Use your flowchart and PolyPlanner to plan for studying abroad. Find out if departments plan to offer courses during certain quarters through their websites. Meet with your academic advisor early to ensure that you will be able to stay on track and graduate on time.

YEAR ABROAD
If you decide to go for a full year, make sure you have many course options in GE, major, or minor.

2. What is the first step or when can I meet with a Study Abroad Advisor?
The first step is to attend a Study Abroad 101 Workshop. We offer these two times a week and the locations, times and dates can be found here:
http://www.studyabroad.calpoly.edu/getting-started/101.html
After that you can come to the International Center to speak with a Study Abroad Advisor.
We are located in Bldg 52-E32 and our drop in hours are listed here: http://studyabroad.calpoly.edu/contact.html

3. Can I take major or support courses for my major abroad?
Yes! Make sure to meet with your department contact (see below) before you go. Some coordinators will sign substitution forms before you leave as long as you have a detailed course description, others will give you verbal approval and complete forms when you return. In these cases, make sure to save your course syllabus.

CAN I FULFILL MY SUPPORT LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT OR LANGUAGE MINOR REQUIREMENTS?
It may be possible to work toward or complete your language requirement depending on:
- What language courses you have already taken at Cal Poly
- The program you attend (some require you to have basic language skills)
- Your language placement test (taken upon arrival)
- Whether you took the appropriate level(s) abroad (determined by your department and, in most cases, the chair of the Modern Languages and Literatures department)

4. Who do I talk to about getting credit through study abroad?

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5. Is there a list of pre-approved major or support courses?
Not yet, we are building it. Currently it is up to you to find course descriptions at the university abroad before you leave and bring those descriptions to your department contact for approval.

6. How does study abroad credit affect my GPA?
For Cal Poly Global Programs, grades will be factored into your overall Cal Poly GPA. For programs that earn transfer credit, grades will factor into your higher education GPA. If you take major courses, grades will also factor into your major GPA.

7. How long will completed courses take to show up on my DPR?
For Cal Poly Global Programs, courses will appear on your DPR just as if you were taking courses on campus. For programs that offer transfer credit, it will take approximately two quarters. Keep ALL copies of approved course forms, course syllabus, unofficial transcripts, and the course catalog description. If you completed a pre-requisite abroad, you may be required to get a permission number for the course requiring the pre-requisite if it has not yet been posted to your DPR. Contact the course’s department for a permission number to waive the pre-requisite. Note: you will be asked to provide evidence of the pre-req course completion abroad.

SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL AID

- Meet with an advisor in the International Center to discuss financial aid and scholarship opportunities
- Visit the Study Abroad Financing resources website at http://studyabroad.calpoly.edu/financial/index.html
- Financial aid can apply, but will vary depending on which program you select