Study Abroad & Prestigious Scholarships

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- Study Abroad Advisor
- 2014 Elizabethtown College graduate
  - Communications major
  - Professional Writing minor
- Studied abroad in Cheltenham, England (spring of junior year)
- Traveled to:
  - Ireland
  - The Netherlands
  - Czech Republic
  - Italy
  - Greece
  - Mexico
  - Ecuador
  - Canada
Jean-Paul Benowitz

- Director of Special Programs & Prestigious Scholarships and Fellowships
- Honors Program
- History Faculty (27 years) U. S. History, American Politics, U. S. Diplomacy
- Undergraduate Study Abroad (Study Away)
  - Navajo Nation & Hopi Reservation (Arizona, Utah, New Mexico)
- Traveled to:
  - England (twice)
  - France (twice)
  - Spain (once)
  - Italy (once)
  - Canada (fourfold)
  - Mexico (twice)
  - Bermuda (twice)
  - Bahamas (once)
  - Cuba (once)
What is study abroad?

- Summer, winter, semester or year-long academic programs
- Faculty-led programs, direct enroll or program providers
- Courses taught at a local university, alongside local students
- Volunteer or intern abroad
- Conduct research abroad
- Culture and language exploration
- Opportunity to live like a local, go beyond tourism
Affiliated Semester Locations

Africa
- Ghana
- Morocco
- South Africa

Asia
- China
- India
- Indonesia
- Japan
- South Korea
- Thailand
- Vietnam

Caribbean
- Trinidad and Tobago

Europe
- Belgium
- Bulgaria
- Czech Republic
- England
- Estonia
- France
- Germany
- Greece
- Hungary
- Iceland
- Ireland
- Italy
- Poland
- Portugal
- Scotland
- Spain
- Sweden

Latin America
- Argentina
- Costa Rica
- Ecuador
- Mexico
- Peru

North America
- Washington, DC

The Pacific
- Australia
- Fiji
- New Zealand
Upcoming Faculty-led Programs

• Africa
  • Field Research in The Gambia
  • Peace and Conflict in South Africa

• Asia
  • Discovering Contemporary Japan: A Three Week Cultural Immersion Experience
  • Social Work and Occupational Therapy in Vietnam

• Europe
  • Entrepreneurship in the Emerging Economics in Prague, Czech Republic (spring break program)
  • Regional Writers of England
  • Peace Education and Integrated Schools in Northern Ireland and US
  • Ireland in Text and Image
  • International Organizations: United Nations, EU, and The World Trade Organization – Geneva, Switzerland & Konstanz, Germany

• North America
  • Politics of Historic Preservation in Washington DC
How will I pay for study abroad?

- **Affiliated semester programs**
  - Tuition: Same as a normal semester at E-town
  - Room and board: Paid to the study abroad provider or school, not E-town
  - $250 study abroad fee

- **Winter or summer programs, including faculty-led**
  - Responsible for the full cost of the program, because it’s outside the academic year.
  - $250 study abroad fee (not required for faculty-led programs)

- International, tuition exchange and tuition remission students should consult the Financial Aid Office to discuss financing study abroad during the academic year, as your arrangements may be different.
Study Abroad Scholarships

- **E-town Study Abroad Scholarships**
  - Four $1,000 semester scholarships
  - Four $500 summer scholarships

- **$5,000 Gilman Scholarship**
  - Federal Pell Grant recipients
  - Two chances to apply!

- **Critical Language Scholarship**
  - All expense paid summer program to study a language:
    - Arabic
    - Azerbaijani
    - Bangla
    - Chinese
    - Hindi
    - Indonesian
    - Japanese
    - Korean
    - Persian
    - Portuguese
    - Punjabi
    - Russian
    - Swahili
    - Turkish
    - Urdu
Impactful Experience

- More than 150 E-town students study abroad each year
- Study abroad is continuously ranked of one of the top two most influential education experiences of our graduates
- Other alumni constantly say not studying abroad was one of the biggest regrets of their time at E-town
- In the past seven years, 16 E-town students and alums have been awarded Fulbright Scholarships – all alums studied abroad during their undergraduate degree
- Prestigious Scholarships and Fellowships website: https://www.etown.edu/programs/fellowships/
Stay Connected!

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