



SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION, FILM & THEATRE

A GUIDE TO STUDY ABROAD

Students majoring within the School of Communication, Film & Theatre are encouraged to complete a study abroad experience as part of their degree program. This guide is designed to introduce you to the opportunities that studying abroad brings to your major. A full list of study abroad programs is available on the CGE website: <http://bit.ly/FeaturedProgramsPage>.

MAJOR SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

- While these majors are not required to study abroad, it is highly encouraged.

STUDY ABROAD CAN HELP YOU

- Apply concepts learned in class by making connections to the greater world.
- Strengthen your understanding of yourself and challenge your perceptions of the world.
- Enhance employment opportunities by providing real-life experience and adaptability.
- Increase your skills and knowledge while earning academic credit.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

- Use federal, state, and other financial aid. i.e. Pell, Hope/Zell
- Institutional and national study abroad scholarships available
- CGE/NCS provide assistance in researching and applying for funding sources

COST COMPARISON*

Cost of a summer at UNG: \$6,000-10,000 vs
Cost of a summer abroad: \$6,000-\$12,000

Cost of a semester at UNG: \$14,000-20,000 vs
Cost of a semester abroad: \$11,000-\$30,000

***Cost estimates include: tuition, fees, housing, meals, travel, and insurance. Costs are subject to change.**

HOW DO I GET STARTED?

1: Plan Early! Investigate Programs

This brochure is a starting point. Check the [CGE website](#) for more programs and information.

2: Speak with an Education Abroad Advisor

Education Abroad Advisors are professional staff members that can assist you with the study abroad process. You can schedule a [meeting online](#).

3: Speak with a Professional/Faculty Advisor

Discuss how the program fits into your academic plan. You can find your academic advisor on the [Tranguid in Banner](#).

4: Research Funding

Funding opportunities can be found through the following:

- Financial Aid Office
- Nationally Competitive Scholarship Office
- Center for Global Engagement's Webpage

5: Apply!

6: Pack your bags!



"This changed my plans after graduation and changed the work I'm getting. I'm a lot more confident in my networking skills. The experience blossomed me when it comes to those interactions. I have such a heightened energy after going there, and I want to keep that going. It ignited more passion in me for the work I want to pursue."

Claritssa Vargas, Film in LA



Communication, Journalism, & Public Relations Programs:

Asia/Pacific:

SOGANG UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Seoul, South Korea
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** PR Strategies and Theories, Creativity & Visual Expression, The Art of Storytelling, Understanding Public Relations, Media and Crisis Communication, Strategic Communication
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$11,000-13,000 (direct)

ISEP: THAMMASAT UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Bangkok, Thailand
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Mass Communication Law and Ethics, Basic News Reporting, Introduction to Broadcasting, Writing for Broadcasting and Digital Media, Editorial and Article Writing, Feature Writing, Content Editing Price
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$15,000-17,000 (exchange) or \$18,000-19,000 (direct)

ISEP: PROVIDENCE UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Taichung, Taiwan
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Intro to Electronic Media, Design Thinking and Practice, Newspaper Planning and Editing, Producing for TV Studies, Communication and New Media Technology
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$15,000-17,000 (exchange)

ISEP: LA TROBE UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Melbourne, Australia
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Editing and Publishing, Media, Law and Ethics, Sports Media, Multimedia Journalism, Broadcast Journalism
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$16,000-18,000 (exchange) or \$21,000-23,000 (direct)

ISEP: MASSEY UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Palmerston North, New Zealand
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Public Relations Practice, Public Relations Management, News Media and Society, International Case Studies in Public Relations, Media Law and Ethics, Script Writing, Digital Media: Theory and Practice, Organizational Communication, Intercultural Communication
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$16,000-18,000 (exchange) or \$21,000-23,000 (direct)

Europe:

JOHN CABOT UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Rome, Italy
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester or Summer (4 weeks)
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours (3-6 credit hours in summer)
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Intercultural Communication, Public Speaking: Oral Rhetoric and Persuasion, Writing Across the Media, News Reporting and Writing, Internship in Digital Journalism/Communication/Media Studies
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$25,000-27,000 (semester) or \$10,000-\$12,000 (summer)

ISA: BUSINESS, HOSPITALITY, DESIGN & LIBERAL ARTS

- 📍 **Location:** Florence, Italy
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Intercultural Communication, Introduction to Public Relations, Introduction to Public Relations Experiential Learning, Social Media, Social Media Experiential Learning, Magazine Editing and Publishing I
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$20,000-22,000

ISA: BUSINESS, MEDIA STUDIES, PSYCHOLOGY & LIBERAL ARTS

- 📍 **Location:** London, England
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-16 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Global Practice in PR and Advertising, Media Insight and Intelligence for Public Relations and Advertising, Media Law and Ethics, Critical Perspectives on Media, Scriptwriting For Media, Transmedia Practices
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$28,000-30,000

ISA: ARTS, BUSINESS, LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES

- 📍 **Location:** Athens, Greece
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-16 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Fundamentals of Public Relations, International Public Relations, Public Relations and Special Events Planning, Public Relations Techniques, Communication Theories
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$22,000-24,000

ISEP: AMERICAN UNIVERSITY IN BULGARIA

- 📍 **Location:** Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Visual Communication, Television News Reporting, Media Law and Ethics, Public Relations Fundamentals, Digital Photojournalism, Writing for Media, Visual Communication, Digital Storytelling
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$15,000-17,000 (exchange)

The Middle East:

ISEP: AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF SHARJAH

- 📍 **Location:** Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Advanced PR Writing, Public Relations Campaigns, Broadcast Journalism, News Writing, Feature Writing, Editing for the Print Media, Photojournalism, Intercultural Communication, Crisis and Conflict Communication, Organizational Communication and Leadership
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$15,000-17,000 (exchange) or \$22,000-24,000 (direct)

The Americas:

ISA: ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES, HEALTH CARE, LIBERAL ARTS & SPANISH LANGUAGE

- 📍 **Location:** San Jose, Costa Rica
- 📅 **Program Length:** 5 Weeks (Summer)
- 📖 **Credits:** 6-8 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Creative Conflict Resolution, Intercultural Communication and Competence, Creative Leadership Skills
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$7,000-9,000

ISA: NATURAL SCIENCES, SPORTS SCIENCE, HUMANITIES & BUSINESS

- 📍 **Location:** Stirling, Scotland
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Advanced Reporting for Journalism, Digital Creativity, Ethical Issues in Journalism, Magazine Journalism, Social Media Marketing: Contexts and Strategies, Writing News & Features
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$23,000-25,000

CIEE: COMMUNICATIONS, NEW MEDIA + JOURNALISM

- 📍 **Location:** Seville, Spain
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 📖 **Credits:** 15-18 credit hours
- 📚 **Sample Courses:** Research Methodologies in Communication, Photojournalism, Multimedia Journalism & Digital Graphic Design, Film-Making I/II/III, Theory and Technique of Photograph, Multimedia Design and Applications
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$22,000-24,000

Programs may not be available every year.



Film & Digital Media Programs:

Europe:

UNG FILM IN ITALY

- 📍 **Location:** Barga, Italy
- 📅 **Program Length:** 5 weeks (Summer)
- 🎓 **Credits:** 6 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** MDST 4360 Italian Cinema, MDST 4590 Topics in Film & Digital Media, MDST 3820 Documentary Production
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$5,000-6,000

ABERYSTWYTH UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Aberystwyth, Wales
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 🎓 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Making Short Films, Intro to Film Production, Intro to Post-Production and Editing, Movements in Film History, LGBT Film & Television, Writing for Film & TV, Directing & Producing, Work in the Film & Television Industries, Creative Documentary, Sound Design, Experimental Media Production, Documentary Production, Scriptwriting, Cult Cinema, Art Cinema, Visual Effects
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$15,000-17,000

JOHN CABOT UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Rome, Italy
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester or Summer (4 weeks)
- 🎓 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours (3-6 credit hours in summer)
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Intercultural Communication, Documentary Film, Italian Cinema, Public Speaking: Oral Rhetoric and Persuasion, Writing Across the Media, News Reporting and Writing, Internship in Digital Journalism/Communication/Media Studies
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$25,000-27,000 (semester) or \$10,000-\$12,000 (summer)

CIEE: COMMUNICATIONS, NEW MEDIA + JOURNALISM

- 📍 **Location:** Prague, Czech Republic
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester or 4-12 weeks (Summer)
- 🎓 **Credits:** 3-18 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Audiovisual Interpreting the Reality, Film Style and Form, History of Animation, Introduction to International Film/TV Production, Photographic Imaging, Script Analysis, Short Film Practical Analysis: Directing, The Realm of Montage, Visual Theory, Communication: Social Power of Media, Intercultural Communication and Leadership
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$6,500-7,500 (Shortest summer session) or \$23,000-25,000 (Semester)

ISA: FILMMAKING OR ACTING FOR FILM

- 📍 **Location:** Florence, Italy
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester or Summer (4-6 weeks)
- 🎓 **Credits:** 12-13 credit hours (3 credit hours in summer)
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Acting for Directors, Camera & Lighting, Digital Editing, Director's Craft, Production Workshop, Screenwriting, Filmmaking
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$27,000-\$28,000 (semester) or \$11,000-14,000 (summer)

The Americas:

UNG FILM IN LA

- 📍 **Location:** Los Angeles, California
- 📅 **Program Length:** 1 Week (Spring Break)
- 🎓 **Credits:** 3 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** MDST 4150 Entertainment Business, MDST 4590 Topics in Film & Digital Media
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$2,500-3,500

Asia/Pacific:

SOGANG UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Seoul, South Korea
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 🎓 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** PR Strategies and Theories, Creativity & Visual Expression, The Art of Storytelling, Understanding Public Relations, Media and Crisis Communication, Strategic Communication
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$11,000-13,000 (direct)

SOGANG INTERNATIONAL SUMMER PROGRAM (SISP)

- 📍 **Location:** Seoul, South Korea
- 📅 **Program Length:** 4 weeks (Summer)
- 🎓 **Credits:** 6 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Digital Media & Society, Gender, Race, and Class in Korean Drama and Movies, K-movie and Hallyu
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$6,000-7,000

Theatre Programs:

ABERYSTWYTH UNIVERSITY

- 📍 **Location:** Aberystwyth, Wales
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 🎓 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Theatre in Context, Theatre Technologies, Body, Voice, Expression., Directors' Theatre, New Media Performance, Playwriting, Theatre and Contemporary Society, Shakespeare in Performance, Musical Theatre Dramaturgies
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$15,000-17,000

ISA: FILMMAKING OR ACTING FOR FILM

- 📍 **Location:** Florence, Italy
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester or Summer (4-6 weeks)
- 🎓 **Credits:** 12-13 credit hours (3 credit hours in summer)
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Acting for Film, Filmcraft, Technique & Scene Study (Plays), Voice & Movement
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$27,000-\$28,000 (semester) or \$11,000-14,000 (summer)

ISEP: SUMMER IN LONDON

- 📍 **Location:** London, England
- 📅 **Program Length:** 3-6 weeks (Summer)
- 🎓 **Credits:** 3-6 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Shakespeare in London, Introduction to the London Stage
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$9,000-13,000

ISEP: UNIVERSITY OF ROEHAMPTON

- 📍 **Location:** London, England
- 📅 **Program Length:** Semester
- 🎓 **Credits:** 12-15 credit hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Introduction to Literary Studies 2, Laughing Victorians, Shakespeare as Literary Dramatist, Shakespeare in London, Victorian Literature: Politics, Sensation and Sexuality, Fiction and Innovative Form, Writing Contexts
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$15,000-17,000 (exchange) or \$21,000-23,000 (direct)

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