



# INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS MAJOR: LATIN AMERICA CONCENTRATION

## A GUIDE TO STUDY ABROAD

International Affairs majors are required 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

- 🌐 Must be in region of concentration
- 🌐 Minimum length of 4 weeks
- 🌐 Earn at least 3 credits

### STUDY ABROAD CAN HELP YOU

- 🌐 Apply concepts learned in class by making connections to the greater world
- 🌐 Increase your understanding of yourself and challenge your perceptions of the world
- 🌐 Enhance employment opportunities by providing real-life experience and adaptability

### FINANCIAL SUPPORT

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

### COST COMPARISON\*

Cost of a summer at UNG: \$11,000-12,000 vs  
Cost of a summer abroad: \$5,000-11,000

Cost of a semester at UNG: \$24,000-25,000 vs  
Cost of a semester abroad: \$10,000-25,000

\*Costs 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!



"If it weren't for IA, I would have never considered studying abroad. Looking back, I wish I had studied abroad every summer of my college career. Visiting Chile allowed me to understand and experience firsthand the rich history and traditions Latin America has to offer. I will undoubtedly cherish the memories and friendships made on this trip for the rest of my life".

**Abby Humphrey, Chile**



## Summer Programs:

### UNG SPANISH IN PERU

- 📍 **Location:** Cuzco, Peru
- 📅 **Program Length:** 5 weeks
- 🕒 **Credits:** 9 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Spanish language (multiple levels), Peruvian Culture, Latin American Culture and Civilization, Traditional and Contemporary Andean Culture, Regional Studies in Latin America
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$6,500 – 7,500

### CIEE SUMMER IN SANTIAGO

- 📍 **Location:** Santiago, Chile
- 📅 **Program Length:** 4 weeks
- 🕒 **Credits:** 3-4 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Spanish language (multiple levels), Development, Poverty, and Human Rights, Economics of Wine
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$7,500 – 8,500

### ISA CULTURE, PORTUGUESE LANGUAGE AND INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS

- 📍 **Location:** Florianopolis, Brazil
- 📅 **Program Length:** 6 weeks
- 🕒 **Credits:** 7-8 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Portuguese language (multiple level), Brazil in the New Global Economy, Race, Ethnicity, and Society in Brazil
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$6,500 – 7,500

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

- 📍 **Location:** San Jose, Costa Rica
- 📅 **Program Length:** 4 weeks
- 🕒 **Credits:** 8-9 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Human Rights in Latin America, International Relations in Latin America, Costa Rican Tradition: Peace and Democracy and Spanish language (multiple levels)
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$7,500 – 8,500

## Semester/Academic Year Programs:

### ISEP: FUNDAÇÃO ARMANDO ALVARES PENTEADO

- 📍 **Location:** Sao Paulo, Brazil
- 🕒 **Credits:** 12-18 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Portuguese language (multiple levels), Brazil in the Latin American Context, Topics in International Security, and Foreign Trade Practices
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$11,000-12,000 (exchange) or \$16,500-17,5000 (direct)

### UNIVERSIDAD SAN IGNACIO DE LOYOLA

- 📍 **Location:** Cuzco or Lima, Peru
- 🕒 **Credits:** 12-15 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Spanish language (multiple levels), Latin American Literature, Contemporary Peruvian Society and Culture, History of Inca Civilization
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$12,000 – 13,000

### CIEE LIBERAL ARTS IN SANTIAGO

- 📍 **Location:** Santiago, Chile
- 🕒 **Credits:** 15-18 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Spanish language (multiple levels), Chilean Foreign Policy, Chilean Political Parties, Re-Democratization Processes in Latin America
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$20,000 – 21,000

### CIEE LIBERAL ARTS IN BUENOS AIRES

- 📍 **Location:** Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 🕒 **Credits:** 15-18 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Spanish language (multiple levels), International Relations in Latin America, Political Economy of Argentina's Development, Human Rights and Public Policy
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$21,500 – 22,500

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

- 📍 **Location:** San Jose, Costa Rica
- 🕒 **Credits:** 12-19 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Human Rights in Latin America, International Relations in Latin America, Costa Rican Tradition: Peace and Democracy and Spanish language (multiple levels)
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$13,500 – 14,500

### ISA LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

- 📍 **Location:** Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 🕒 **Credits:** 15-19 hours
- 📖 **Sample Courses:** Spanish language (multiple levels), Human Rights and Cultural Representations, Latin America in the Global Economy, Political and Social Change
- 💰 **Price Range:** \$16,500 – 17,500

Programs may not be offered every year.

