



85 PERCENT OF CENTRE STUDENTS STUDY ABROAD AT LEAST ONCE, MAKING US THE NO. 1 SCHOOL IN THE NATION FOR STUDY ABROAD PARTICIPATION AMONG UNDERGRADUATE INSTITUTIONS.

STUDY ABROAD

Centre College is committed to transforming its students into global citizens. Our study abroad programs demonstrate this commitment by allowing you to live and learn at an array of locations around the world. For a full semester, students can venture to China, England, France, Japan, Mexico, Northern Ireland, or Scotland. If you seek a more short-term experience, try one of our CentreTerm (three-week term in January) courses abroad. Whichever option you choose, you'll be exploring destinations across the globe with a Centre professor who is usually an expert on the region.

Unlike most schools offering study abroad programs, Centre completely runs and staffs its own long-term, residential programs in Strasbourg, France; Merida, Mexico; and London, England. In each of these cities, students live with fellow Centre students and are taught by Centre professors and local experts.

SEMESTER-LONG OPTIONS

• STRASBOURG, FRANCE

Our Centre-in-Strasbourg program is based at the crossroads of Europe, in the city of Strasbourg, France, just across the Rhine from Germany. On long weekends, students often travel to Austria, Czech Republic, Italy, Netherlands, Spain, and Switzerland. Strasbourg is the home of the European Parliament and institutions of the European Union.

• SHANGHAI, CHINA

Our program is housed at the prestigious Tongji University, a tree-lined campus in the middle of this futuristic city of 24 million people. In the mornings, students study beginning or intermediate Chinese language, and in the afternoons do an internship in their area of interest as well as taking a class in Chinese economics, history, or culture. Students have a tutor and live with international students from around the world.

• LONDON, ENGLAND

Each Spring, Centre students can travel to London, live in flats in central London and take courses taught by both Centre professors and local academic experts. This city of eight million becomes both classroom and laboratory with field trips to theaters, palaces, literary sites, museums, concerts, and more.

• MERIDA, MEXICO

The Centre-in-the-Yucatan program is based in Merida, a beautiful, safe city founded in 1542. The capital city of the Yucatan, Merida is located near both the Caribbean Sea and the Gulf of Mexico. It is the birthplace of the ancient Mayan civilization, known for its architecture and hieroglyphic writing system. Students live in homestays and do a mini-internship.

• YAMAGUCHI, JAPAN

The Centre-in-Japan program is at the Yamaguchi Prefectural University, a small university in the Western ancient capital of the Ouchi culture. Students take courses at the university and live in townhomes near campus. There is no Japanese language prerequisite for the program but those who have studied a year of Japanese will be given preference.

• **READING, ENGLAND**

Each fall, Centre students join British and other international students for a term at the University of Reading (pronounced Redding). The University is located on a tree-lined estate less than 30 minutes by train from Paddington station in London.

• **GLASGOW, SCOTLAND**

The Centre-in-Glasgow program enables students to study at the University of Glasgow through the Principia Consortium. Known for its breathtaking architecture, live-music scene, year-round festivals, stunning parks, and renowned museums, Glasgow is Scotland's largest city. Centre students live in residences belonging to the University of Glasgow, all within walking distance of the main campus and many subway stops.

• **NORTHERN IRELAND**

Students in this exchange attend one of five Northern Ireland universities, including Queens and Ulster. Students live in the international dormitory on campus and enroll in classes at the university covering a variety of topics including culture, history, and economics of the region.

CENTRETERM

Centre offers a number of options each year for study during CentreTerm. The 2016 winter term included programs in Argentina/Uruguay, Costa Rica/Panama, Ecuador, Egypt, Japan, Morocco/Spain, New Zealand, and Uganda/Rwanda. For 2017, students will be able to choose among the following options: Amsterdam/Ghent/Vienna, Barbados, Brazil, Cuba, England, Florence/Rome/Pompeii, Ghana, Israel/Jordan, Malaysian Borneo, Merida, Paris/Provence, New Zealand, and Thailand.

SUMMER OPTIONS

For students who cannot take a regular semester or CentreTerm to study abroad, Centre has created a three-week early summer option. The program begins the day after commencement in mid-May. The total cost is not only inexpensive, but includes airfare, accommodations, and academic travel.

• **STRASBOURG, FRANCE**

Travel and study for three weeks the culture, language and history of the Rhine region. Students live in apartments in the city, and the program concludes with an excursion to Paris.

• **KENTUCKY INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES**

Summer programs all over the world through KIIS provide academic credit and a great value for students who wish to study abroad during the summer in such places as Austria, Brazil, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Denmark, Germany, Greece, Italy, and elsewhere.

STUDY AWAY OPTIONS

• **WASHINGTON, D.C.**

The Centre-in-Washington program allows students to live, study, and intern in the nation's capital. They complete internships and take two courses: "Art & Architecture" and

"The City as Text." Students live in apartment suites in a handsome older building that is a short subway ride away from all major residential, governmental, and commercial areas.

• **CHICAGO**

The Centre-in-Chicago program is an internship program in Chicago as part of the Associated Colleges of the Midwest program. The primary areas of emphasis in the program are arts, entrepreneurship, and urban studies; students have the opportunity to explore one of these topics in depth, or participate in classwork and projects across these disciplines. Students can explore vital issues facing cities and the people who live and work in them while digging deeper to relate these issues to their personal lives, education, and career aspirations.

WHO CAN GO?

All Centre residential programs are open to sophomores, juniors, and seniors of any major. Students who would like to go abroad should plan early in order to complete required courses offered only on the Danville campus — especially science majors and students participating in ROTC.

DO I HAVE TO BE A LANGUAGE MAJOR OR MINOR?

No, the programs are specifically created to welcome non-language majors. All programs in non-English speaking countries include both a regular language course and enough "survival language" that students can participate fully, regardless of their major/minor.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

The cost for all of the semester programs is the same as for study in Danville with the addition of a \$375 surcharge. All of your scholarship and financial aid arrangements remain in place. Extra costs include round-trip plane ticket and whatever you need for additional travel and incidentals.

Costs for the short term and early summer Centre programs run between \$2,800 and \$4,000 (depending on the location).

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