**STUDY ABROAD IN:**
**SOCIAL SCIENCES**

Anthropology ◊ Community and Regional Development ◊ Human Development ◊ International Agricultural Development ◊ Communication ◊ History ◊ International Relations ◊ Linguistics ◊ Philosophy ◊ Political Science ◊ Sociology ◊ Psychology ◊ Women’s and Gender Studies

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**WHY STUDY ABROAD?**

⇒ **Explore your subject area** from a different perspective
⇒ **Apply** your knowledge on the ground, outside of the classroom
⇒ **Enhance** resumes and/or applications for graduate school
⇒ **Participate** in research and internships not available at UC Davis

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**HOW DO I BEGIN?**

**CONSIDER YOUR ACADEMIC GOALS**

While abroad, would you want to:

- fulfill major or minor credit;
- gain marketable skills by doing lab research or an internship;
- improve a second language;
- take GEs, earn the Global and International Studies (GIS) minor

**PLAN EARLY**

- Deadlines vary by program and are 3 - 9 months in advance
- The sooner you plan, the more program (and funding) options available

**TALK TO YOUR MAJOR ADVISOR**

Meet with your major advisor to discuss:

- What courses to take abroad
- When is best to go for your major
- What you will need to complete upon returning

**TALK TO A STUDY ABROAD ADVISOR**

- Study Abroad has over 400 programs. Let us help you find the one for you!

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**STUDY ABROAD IS FOR YOU:**

Almost HALF of all students who studied abroad last year were Social Sciences majors. Don’t miss out!

“There is something to be said for proximity—a student cannot glean everything there is to know about a culture remotely, from its texts. Studying abroad presents an opportunity to be a real part of that culture, to feel its music and movements from the inside.”

—Colin Brennan, UCEAP

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**CAN I AFFORD IT?**

**Financial aid goes with you.** Make an appointment with our Study Abroad Financial Aid advisor by calling 530-752-5763 once you choose a program.

**Scholarships are available.** Additional scholarships for those in STEM majors.

[http://studyabroad.ucdavis.edu/students/finances.html](http://studyabroad.ucdavis.edu/students/finances.html)

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Sample Programs for Social Sciences Students

* The following programs are suggestions. Many more programs are available that are not listed here. Visit our website to explore all options.

UC Davis Study Abroad offers 60+ faculty-led programs. Program options: Quarter Abroad, Summer Abroad, Internships Abroad, Seminars Abroad, and new USA Study Programs. Programs range from 2-16 weeks. Students receive 2-28 units straight from the UC Davis course catalog. Examples:

UK—At the Crossroads of Gender and Communication – Summer, CMN 103 & 198
Consider how men and women communicate as you engage with culture, art and the city of London.

Peru: Into the Andes—History, Environment, Culture – Summer, HIS 162 & 198
Explore the diverse cultural and natural landscapes of the Peruvian highlands. Based in Cuzco, the program includes trips to Lake Titicaca and Machu Picchu, one of the great wonders of the world.

Switzerland—The Politics of Global Inequality – Summer, POL 124 & 198
Learn why poverty persists and how international organizations intervene to help in economically poor countries.

South Africa—City to Safari – Summer, ENL 139 & 198 or AAS 157 & 198
Experience the literature, history, & ecology of South Africa while spending three weeks in the amazing waterfront city of Cape Town and one week on safari.

Environmental Justice in Indigenous Ecuador – Summer, NAS 120 & 198
Experience a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to interact with multiple indigenous groups and see parts of Ecuador that are not available to most tourists. A great program for many majors as you can do a creative project of your choice!

Iconic American Landmarks in NYC and DC – USA Study Program, Summer, UWP 12 & 198
Learn about visual communication while exploring the iconic landmarks—from the dramatic monuments on the National Mall to the famous skyline of the city that never sleeps.

Political Science at the London School of Economics – Fall Quarter, POL 121, 137, 147A, & 190
Spend fall quarter studying at the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), an ideal setting to focus on the politics and international relations of Britain and Western Europe.

UCEAP China, Global International Studies, Fudan University
Engage in critical thought about development with Shanghai’s best and brightest students.

UCEAP Ireland, Trinity College Dublin
Ireland’s most prestigious university offers a wide variety of psychology and much more.

UCEAP Chile, Pontificial Catholic University of Chile
Spanish skills required to immerse in many courses in human rights, psychology, and more.

UCEAP Australia, University of Queensland
This program gives you the opportunity to become fully integrated into the academic and multicultural social life.

UCEAP Mexico, Field Research, Mexico City
Research under Mexican professors anywhere in Mexico. Unparalleled access to social, political and cultural immersion.

UCEAP UK, International Summer School, Pembroke College, Cambridge University
A unique opportunity to attend an institution whose academic reputation and prestige are unsurpassed. Choose from many subject areas and experience traditional English university culture at its finest.

UC Education Abroad Program (UCEAP) is open to the entire University of California system. Our UC-approved programs offer UC credit, grades, and financial aid. There are 100+ UCEAP programs available in these majors. Examples:

More Options & Next Steps

- Visit the Major Advising Pages to see programs for your major at http://studyabroad.ucdavis.edu/academics
- Try out the “Study Abroad Builder” advanced program search for more UCEAP programs at http://eap.ucop.edu
- Visit us! Let us help you find the right program for you.