Education Abroad Program

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AFRICA & THE MIDDLE EAST
WELCOME TO UCEAP

The typical college experience is just that: typical. Your UC experience should be an adventure. Dive into distant cultures, make friends all over the world, and have fun while boosting your résumé and enhancing your education.

UCEAP is your all-access pass to the world. As a member of this elite international network, you’ll find options that fit your language level, major, and preferred length of stay. Wherever you want to go, whatever you want to do, UCEAP will bridge the gap and get you there.

Your journey starts here: eap.ucop.edu

GET READY TO GO!

The UC Education Abroad Program (UCEAP) is the only official UC-wide study abroad program and a global leader in international education. For 50 years, EAP has offered exceptional academic opportunities at the highest-ranked universities in the world. Select from over 300 programs in 35 countries and go.

KEY PHRASES

ILP
Stands for Intensive Language Program and is often required before regular university courses begin to help you learn the system and polish your language skills.

PROGRAM TYPES
In the chart on each country page, if the program name says:

1) “Immersion” or just the name of a university, you enroll directly in a host university and take courses in most majors with host country students

2) “Language & Culture,” you take courses focused on language acquisition and culture with other UC students

3) A field of study (i.e., Global or Hispanic Studies) at a university, you choose from a list of courses in the designated field at the host university

4) A field of study at a “UC Center,” you will be in a program developed for UC students only

COST ESTIMATES
Estimates include all program fees (tuition, excursions, insurance, etc.) and all basic living expenses (room, meals, transportation, etc.) except personal travel and entertainment. Estimates are based on most recent costs for undergraduate, in-state residents.

GPA
Grade point average prerequisites are listed in the charts for each country. If there is a language prerequisite, the language GPA is the same as the cumulative GPA.

SUBJECT AREAS
Subject Area listings include all courses whether the language of instruction is English or the host language. Detailed information is available at eap.ucop.edu

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Spend the summer studying in Istanbul and enjoying this fascinating fabled city on the Black Sea

Discover Turkey’s rich culture, food, and traditions while living at the crossroads of Europe and Asia

Explore Turkey’s incredible terrain and a variety of university sports clubs and activities, including mountaineering, monofin diving, and underwater hockey

Participate in archaeological digs at historical sites or intern with the Universal Peace Organization

Gain a strategic advantage and expertise in Turkish language, politics, and culture for your major and international career

Volunteer at NGOs and schools, or join the Bilkent International Relations or METU Foreign Policy clubs

Visit the ancient city of Troy, site of the Trojan wars, or the famous gladiator cemetery in Ephesus

Located between Asia and the Middle East, and highly influenced by Europe, Turkey has something really special to offer. Whether you’re looking for something exotic or more familiar, you’ll find it all in Turkey.

Helen Lai
UC Santa Barbara

The ruins of Ephesus, once a city of luxury and trade

Centers of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam in one view… only in Jerusalem

My year in the Middle East was a dramatic turning point in my life. My mind and heart were opened to new ideas and cultures. I made lifelong friends and established a new career in intercultural relations.UCEAP should be required for every American student. Our world would be transformed.

Nora Lester
UC Los Angeles

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Israel’s #1 university, HU, takes education to new levels on a modern campus with a rich academic heritage

Create and perform in an innovative artistic dance program, DanceJerusalem, with top Israeli composers and choreographers

Meet new friends in the hiking club, a sports team, and many other enriching tours and events

Gain comprehensive Hebrew language skills through the rigorous ULPAN program

Travel through Israel’s mystic deserts in the paths of religious prophets, nomads, and merchants of old

Conduct fieldwork and honors-level course work in HU’s spring in Jerusalem Honors Program

Intern in the community at a hospital, the Jerusalem Biblical Zoo, or government ministries

You can study just about any subject area in Turkey. Visit eap.ucop.edu for details.
Don’t be afraid to get to know some locals and try to speak Arabic; they will love you for it. Most of all—have fun!

Brendon Parenti
UC Davis

You can study just about any subject area in Egypt. Visit eap.ucop.edu for details.

You can study just about any subject area in South Africa. Visit eap.ucop.edu for details.

Cruise the Nile, visit the Great Pyramids, decipher hieroglyphics, and riddle the Sphinx

Learn Arabic while soaking up Islamic Cairo’s frenetic souks (bazaars), thriving mosques, and vibrant film and music scene

Join AUC’s rowing, taekwondo, swimming, or diving teams

Take English-language classes at AUC in Islamic art and architecture, Arab media, and the historical roles of Shi’i Muslims

Study Egyptology in the land of the Pharaohs while conducting research at active excavations

Volunteer to work with refugee children, an empowering experience for you and for them

Come to South Africa, a country of beauty, diversity, and political and social transformation

Witness firsthand efforts to address crime, AIDS, and economic disparity

Take UCT courses in Zulu, Xhosa, development studies, marine biology, pre-med health, commerce, and more

Volunteer at a lion orphanage, tutor in a local township, or join SHAWCO, a student-run NGO

Pursue community service or an internship in ecological conservation, education, health care, or criminal justice

Soak in South Africa’s sunny beaches, national parks, wildlife, and prized wineries in stunning vineyards

Talk about your time in South Africa in your next job interview; the benefits gained stay with you for life

The most valuable experience was that I was able to befriend students from many African countries. This opened my eyes to issues that I would never have learned about in a classroom, especially one in the U.S.

EAP Student
Univ. of Cape Town

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Peaceful and progressive Botswana is a great starting point to experience southern Africa.

Live and study in the capital, Gaborone, located ten miles from the border with South Africa.

Take courses in the social sciences, natural sciences, humanities, and engineering and technology.

Learn about public and environmental health, from HIV/AIDS prevention to health care, with hands-on field experience in community service.

Study Setswana, the national language, then test your skills with a local as you go about daily life.

Explore literature archives, wildlife habitat management, or biodiversity in the Kalahari Desert.

Enjoy program excursions to attractions such as the Gaborone Game Reserve, Kolobeng ruins, and the Jwaneng diamond mine.

Subject Areas:
- African Studies
- Biological Sciences
- Business Administration
- Economics
- Education
- Engineering
- Environmental Studies
- Film & Media Studies
- Health Sciences
- History
- Political Science

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Delve into the history of Tanzania and learn about this young East African nation’s adaptability and resourcefulness.

Make the capital of Dar es Salaam (Haven of Peace) your home, with its active seaport, lively markets, and tranquil beaches.

Enroll in courses taught by university faculty in social sciences, natural sciences, humanities, engineering, and technology.

Study Kiswahili, Tanzania’s national language.

From the islands of Zanzibar to national parks and game reserves, explore Tanzania’s varied terrain and see wildlife in its native habitat.

Volunteer and meet Tanzanians active in education, healthcare, environmental protection, and refugee services.

From the top of Mount Kilimanjaro to the plains of the Serengeti, explore Tanzania.

Subject Areas:
- African Studies
- Anthropology
- Archaeology
- Biological Sciences
- Business Administration
- Communication
- Economics
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- Engineering
- Environmental Studies
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- History
- Legal Studies

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A warm climate and welcoming community in Legon invite you to develop your connection to the wider world.

Enjoy lectures by experts and excursions exploring Ghanaian history, culture, and politics.

Conduct independent study on topics such as education, energy renewal, public health, or women’s rights.

Enroll in courses on gender and development, history, environmental studies, dance, drumming, or Twi language.

Adapt to the limited resources of student life in Ghana, and learn and grow from the challenge.

Volunteer or intern with a local nonprofit: read to children in an orphanage, observe care in a local health facility, or study HIV/AIDS prevention campaigns.

EAP changed my life because of the friendships I made with other EAP students and Ghanaians. The experiences I had are unforgettable and still bring a smile to my face. It was difficult at times, but it was worth it and I would not change it for anything.

Megan Nickel
UC Irvine

Not much. Compare the cost of EAP to the cost of staying in California. The difference is nominal when you consider how much more you’ll gain—both now and in the future—from going abroad.

Dollars & Sense
These approximate figures compare the average UC budget (living off campus) with the average cost estimates for EAP programs noted in this brochure:

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For the same price as staying in California, you can go to Turkey or Ghana instead!

Want Money?
You can access more scholarships and grants when you study abroad on EAP. Apply now!

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HOW TO APPLY

Once you’ve chosen the UCEAP program for you, starting an application is easy:

★ Go to eap.ucop.edu
★ Create a free MyEAP account
★ Start an application

DIDN’T FIND THE PROGRAM YOU’RE LOOKING FOR?

For further information or help finding the right program, visit eap.ucop.edu
See also EAP’s four other brochures:

Pick one up today in the International Education Office on your campus. While you’re there, ask to speak to an EAP advisor for assistance with program and campus-specific information:

Berkeley: Programs for Study Abroad
(510) 642-1356; studyabroad.berkeley.edu

Davis: Education Abroad Center
(530) 297-4633; eac.ucdavis.edu

Irvine: Center for International Education
(949) 824-6343; www.cie.uci.edu

Los Angeles: International Education Office
(310) 825-4995; ieo.ucla.edu/eap

Merced: International Center
(209) 228-4722; studyabroad.ucmerced.edu

Riverside: International Education Center
(951) 827-4113; internationalcenter.ucr.edu

San Diego: Programs Abroad Office
(858) 534-1123; programsabroad.ucsd.edu

Santa Barbara: Education Abroad Program
(805) 893-3763; eap.ucsb.edu

Santa Cruz: International Education Office
(831) 459-2858; oie.ucsc.edu/eap

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