## Student experiences abroad!

"Studying abroad has been the best thing that ever happened to me! The experience I gained will definitely influence my carrier path and will also be a talking point during my job interviews."

Bilal Ahmed, AUS mechanical engineering program, studied abroad at Utah State University, USA, during

"Studying abroad takes you out of your comfort zone and helps you adapt to new cultures and academic settings."

Mohamed Hegazi, AUS civil engineering program, studied abroad at Louisana State University, USA, during Fall 2013

#### How can I find out more?

You are welcome to meet with our advisors in the Office of International Exchange Programs (IXO), located in the Main Building (MG43). You will also find helpful information or our website, www.aus.edu/ixo.

The world is a book and those who do not travel read only one page. — Saint Augustine, Theologian and Philosopher (354–430)

"Traveling – it leaves you speechless, then turns you into a storyteller." — Ibn Battuta

"For my part, I travel not to go anywhere, but to go. I travel for travel's sake. The great affair is to move." — Robert Louis Stevenson

"I am not the same, having seen the moon shine on the other side of the world." — Mary Anne Radmacher

"The use of traveling is to regulate imagination with reality, and instead of thinking of how things may be, see them as they are."

— Samuel Johnson

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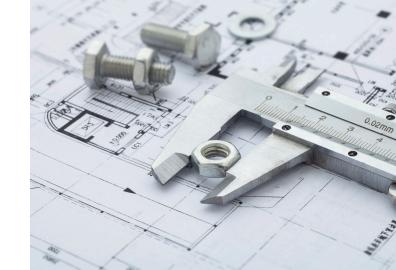
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# Study Abroad!

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### What is study abroad?

Study abroad means spending a semester or up to a year at an approved university outside the UAE. You can spend up to two semesters taking courses outside of AUS.

Spending time at a university abroad is a truly enriching adventure. You will experience first-hand a different way of life, as well as a new culture and educational environment. At AUS, we encourage you to take any opportunity that helps you grow and develop as global citizens. We can help you connect with universities around the world. This

#### What are the requirements?

The basic requirements to study abroad are:

- good standing
- minimum of 60 credits completed at AUS
- minimum GPA of 2.75
- cannot take senior design project while abroad

Other requirements apply based on your specific program.

## Why should I study abroad?

When you travel, you can have the adventure of a lifetime. By studying abroad, you can:

- develop an international perspective and intercultural skills that will appeal to prospective employers
- broaden your horizons through access to different experts and courses





## What are my options?

Our study abroad program allows a student to leave AUS to study at another university for up to two semesters while earning AUS credit. We offer many options for our students to study abroad.

#### **US** Universities

Alfred University	New York
Arkansas State Univesity	Aransas
George Washington University	DC
Georgia Southern University	Georgia
Howard University	Washington
Indiana University at Purdue Fort Wayne	Indiana
Kennesaw State University	Georgia
Louisiana State University	Louisiana
Miami University	Ohio
Montana State University	Montana
New Mexico State University	New Mexico
North Carolina Ag. & Technical State University	North Carolina
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North Carolina State University at Raleigh	North Dakota
North Dakota State University	Arizona
Northern Arizona University	California
San Diego State University	California
San Jose State University	South Dakota
South Dakota State University	Illinois
Southern Illinois University at Carbondale	

Tennessee State University Tennessee Tennessee Technological University Tennessee University of Idaho Idaho University of Iowa Iowa University of Kansas Kansas University of Kentucky Kentucky University of Memphis Tennessee University of Mississipi Mississippi University of Nebraska at Lincoln Nebraska University of North Carolina at North Carolina Charlotte Puerto Rico University of Puerto Rico at Mayagüez Tennessee University of Tennessee at Chattanooga Tennessee University of Tennessee at Knoxville Texas University of Texas at Austin Texas University of Texas at El Paso California University of the Pacific Vermont University of Vermont Wyoming University of Wyoming Utah **Utah State University** Virginia Virginia Commonwealth University Virginia Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University Washington Washington State University West Virginia West Virginia University Kansas

#### International Universities

Western Sydney University

Ajou University	Korea
Keimyung University	Korea
Korea University	Korea
Laurentian University	Canada
Macquarie University	Australia
Toyo University	Japan
University of Seoul	Korea
University of Southern	Australia
Queensland	UK
University of Sunderland	Australia
University of Technology at Sydney	Australia
	Korea