

Going global at AUS Global Day 2013

Spring time at AUS is exemplified through traditional Global Day performances. Since the events inception, Global Day has grown year in year out to become an event every AUS student looks forward to.

As our incoming students grow each year and become more involved with activities on campus, this years' Global Day was headlined by star performers namely; Keith Fakhoury for the Emirati and Pakisatni club , Mary DelCaprio for the Pakistani club, Brian Watts for the Saudi Arabian club, Sara Hamza and Teresa Perez Guterrez for the Egyptian clubs and Rukia Sheikh-Mohamed in the fashion show for the Somalian cultural club.



Fall 2013 - Applications still open

It is not too late to apply to study abroad at select partner universities this Fall 2013! You can study abroad if you have earned 60 credits toward your degree by the end of this semester, if you have a strong GPA, and if you are in good standing academically. We still have placements available at the following excellent universities:

- **Maastricht University, The Netherlands** - application deadline is May 15th
- **Sciences Po, Paris, France** - please note the required minimum cumulate GPA is 3.5 or higher. Application deadline is April 26th
- **University of Victoria, Gustavson School of Business, Victoria, Canada** - application deadline is April 30th for business majors
- **Munich Business School** - application deadline is May 15th. Munich Business School offers up to three 600 Euro scholarships to AUS students for the 2013-14 AY. Students opting to study for a full year will be able to get one 600 Euro scholarship for each year.

If you are interested, please visit IXO in the Main Building, Ground Floor, and MG43 without delay!

College in the USA: the best time of my life - by Salman Dossani

"Taking part in a yearlong study abroad program at the American University in Washington, DC, was an incredible experience. Washington is a calm, scenic and pleasant city consumed with politicians and intellectuals from all corners of the world. As a student, making connections and being able to converse with highly skilled professionals serves as an additional learning tool. Washington is the perfect city to network and interact with individuals from all walks of life. A truly valuable experience."

American University is tucked away just a few miles from the White House on the outskirts of downtown Washington. Nestled neatly amongst flora and vegetation, the atmosphere on campus, in particular, on a nice sunny day, is surreal. Fellow students are very welcoming and blending into the community is certainly not as difficult one would imagine. This is your opportunity, grasp it and you will have the best time of your life."



Why you need to study abroad?

"There's no better way to learn a language:

Students today need to be linguistically and culturally competent enough to meet the international demands of business, government, and other institutions. But colleges are struggling to graduate students that can keep up. With a study abroad experience, students are immersed in a new language, and forced to quickly adapt and learn how to communicate, a skill that is highly useful in a variety of situations back home.

Students become more creative:

Whether it's through entrepreneurship, science, or art, creativity and ingenuity are valuable skills for students to develop, and a great way to do just that is to travel abroad. According to the American Psychological Association, living abroad increases a student's ability to be more creative"

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