

## Opportunities not to miss for Fall 2013

Study abroad at American University, in Washington D.C., U.S.A. The Abroad at AU program is open to undergraduate students who plan to study for a year or a semester in the capital of the United States. The program helps create a truly global campus where hundreds of students from diverse cultures and societies interact with American students in the U.S. capital, learning from each other and enriching each others' experiences. AU is a good option for SBM and CAS students and the School of Business is AACSB accredited. Requirements: 3.0 GPA and above.

Study abroad at Louisiana State University, Louisiana, U.S.A. LSU is a public university located near the Mississippi River, in the southeastern part of the US. Students at LSU can choose from many programs in 17 colleges. CEN, SBM, CAS, and CAAD students all can study at LSU as exchange students since it is ABET, AACSB, and NAAP accredited. Requirements: 2.5 GPA and above.

"I found my study abroad experience to be an eye opener. Adjusting to the environment in the US was easy because of the student activities we had during the orientation and the welcoming students. There were a lot of student organizations that you could join with a variety of events offered. The educational system makes you more independent as you have to learn to do everything by yourself and complete the assigned tasks on time. I suggest everyone should go study abroad for a semester as you learn a lot and become more open to other cultures."

Shahin Hoda, an AUS student who studied abroad at LSU

Students interested in studying abroad as exchange students have many options. An exchange program allows students to take courses at any of our partner institutions in the US, Canada and the UK while paying AUS tuition and receiving AUS credit. Study abroad does not impact your GPA. Students can study abroad for up to 2 semesters and at some sites even complete an internship after the end of the program. Students going to the US can find employment on campus during the semester. Sophomores are encouraged to apply but must have at least 60 credits by the program start date. Seniors may not go in last semester.

Don't miss your opportunity. Applications for Fall 2013 will open after the Eid Adha break. Deadline for applications is December 1, 2012.

Students are welcome to stop by MG43 or call 06 515 4027 to speak with a member of our staff. Information about and applications for all of our programs can be found on our website: [www.aus.edu/ixo](http://www.aus.edu/ixo)

## Eid Adha Mubarak

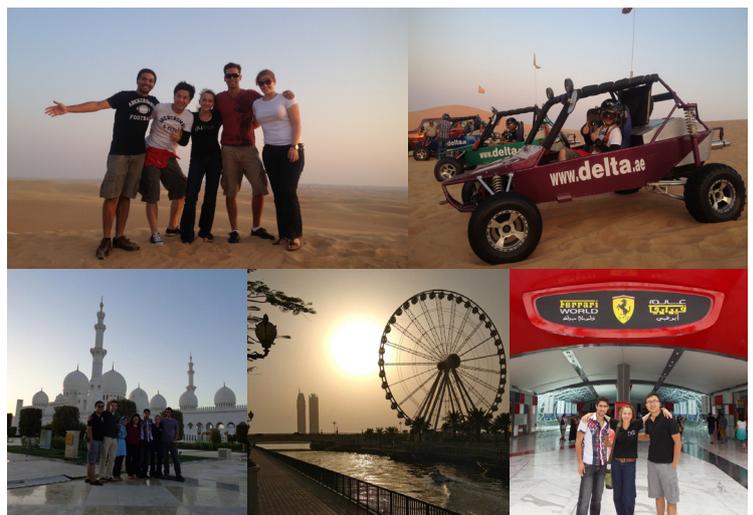
The International Exchange Office wishes you warm greetings, and hopes that all your wishes are granted as you offer your sacrifices. May God's blessings always be with us. Eid Mubarak Everyone.

## Visiting Delegation from the Netherlands



Asset Econometrics is a student organization for the study of 'Econometrics and Operations Research' at Tilburg University, located in the Netherlands. They visited AUS on October 11th, were guided through campus, and attended a lecture in Economics in the Schools of Business and Management.

## So far in the UAE



Only one month into the semester and our exchange students have already visited the Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque, enjoyed Ferrari World Abu Dhabi, been to the top of the world's tallest tower, gone dune bugging, and camped in the desert. There is much more in store for the rest of the semester, including historical outings to Sharjah, a desert safari, and other activities in the UAE.