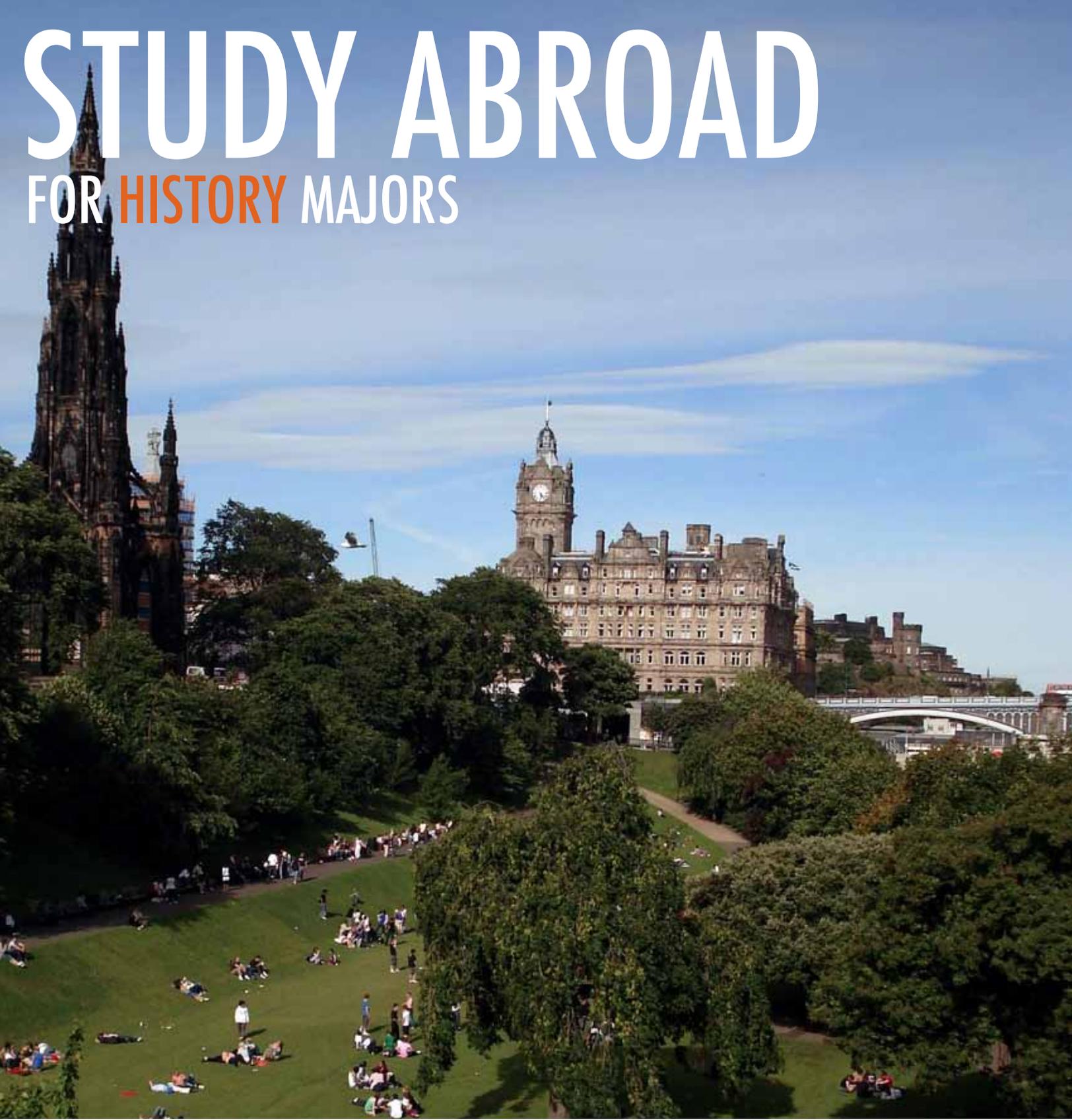


STUDY ABROAD

FOR HISTORY MAJORS



DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN



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WHY YOU SHOULD STUDY ABROAD

Study abroad programs provide History majors the opportunity to examine history at its roots. Exploring history in context helps clarify how history has influenced our world. Uncover African history in Cape Town, World War II in Krakow, and Latin America's past in Lima. Let your time abroad shape your future the way history has shaped the world.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

PROGRAMS

Choose from more than 400 UT-approved programs on six continents. A recommended list for History students is provided within this brochure.

AFFORDABILITY

Consider the real cost of studying abroad: the difference between a semester in Austin and a semester abroad. UT awards hundreds of study abroad scholarships that can help offset costs.

CAREER

Gain a competitive edge that can help you get a job later while building your resume now.

CREDIT

Obtain core, major, or elective credits that count toward your degree. Plan ahead and graduate on time. Search the "My Credit Abroad" database of over 7,000 pre-approved courses with UT equivalents.



"History comes alive in a study abroad context. Whether it's by attending class amidst the ruins of a 17th century church or through meeting survivors of past revolutions, studying abroad provides us with the cultural literacy of the 21st century global citizen."

- Dr. Frank Guridy,
Associate Professor, Department of History and Department of
African and African Diaspora Studies, College of Liberal Arts

QUESTIONS

TO ASK YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

- What classes must I complete on campus for my degree?
- What core or major requirements can I complete abroad?
- What remaining prerequisites must I fulfill and how will study abroad impact my progress?
- How many hours of upper-division credit do I need to complete for my degree?
- How many hours of elective (lower vs. upper division) credit do I have remaining in my major?
- Are there any in-residence requirements I need to be aware of before I go abroad?
- How should I follow up with you as my study abroad plans are confirmed?

TO ASK YOUR STUDY ABROAD ADVISOR

- How will I get credit for the courses I take abroad?
- How can I get courses approved for my program(s) of interest?
- What do I need to consider in preparing an estimated budget for my program(s) of interest, and what expenses do I need to plan for up front?
- Where can I find more information about scholarships for study abroad?
- How can I contact UT students who have participated in my program(s) of interest?



“The six months I spent in Istanbul are the most cherished of my college career. Not only was I able to study periods of history not offered at UT, but I also made friends from around the world.”

– Katherine Jordan, Turkey

TO ASK THE OFFICE OF STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES

- Learn about study abroad and financial aid before you contact Financial Services. Visit: world.utexas.edu/abroad/funding
- How do loans work for study abroad? What kinds of aid/loans do I currently receive, and are there any restrictions on this aid if I study abroad?
- Have I reached the maximum of (insert name of) loan allowed per academic year?
- When will funds be released for my semester of participation?
- How will additional scholarships impact my UT financial aid?

HISTORY PROGRAMS ABROAD

More than 400 programs are available including UT Austin exchanges, courses taught by UT faculty, and affiliated programs. Visit the Study Abroad Office online for an extensive list of options: <http://world.utexas.edu/abroad>

ASIA

SOPHIA UNIVERSITY, TOKYO, JAPAN

Courses taught in English. Courses also available in Japanese. Located in the thriving capital city, Sophia University offers a range of History courses pre-approved for credit such as Modern Japan; History of Japanese Women; and History of Korea. One semester of Japanese language is recommended prior to participation. (CIEE Affiliated Studies)

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE

Courses taught in English. This exchange program provides students the opportunity to study at one of the top universities in Asia. Examples of pre-approved courses include Introduction to Southeast Asian History; The Making of Modern Europe; Pre-Modern Japan: History and Culture; and Southeast Asia: Decolonization & After. (UT Austin Exchange)

EUROPE

UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN, DENMARK

Courses taught in English. Students attending this university can choose from a number of pre-approved History courses including European Constitutional Monarchies; The Nordic Model; and The Port of London - European Economy in the Late Middle Ages. (UT Austin Exchange)

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LONDON, ENGLAND

UCL consistently ranks as one of the top five universities in the world. The prestige of the History department makes this program a fantastic school for any History student. Various courses are pre-approved for History credit. (UT Austin Exchange)

UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD, ENGLAND

Sheffield is home to the number one student union in Europe. A number of pre-approved History courses covering various regions of the world are available at this program including Pagans, Christians, and Heretics in Medieval Europe; Tenochtitlan, City of Blood and Flowers: Aztec Society in the Early Sixteenth Century; and Southern Africa and the Wider World, 1750-1918. (UT Austin Exchange)

INSTITUT D'ETUDES POLITIQUES DE PARIS (SCIENCES PO), PARIS, FRANCE

Courses taught in English. Courses in French also available. Sciences Po, in the heart of Paris, offers a number of pre-approved History courses including Guns, Blues, and Cotton: The History and Culture of The Deep South; Comparing the Jewish Experience in Western Europe and U.S.; and The Challenges of Liberty: The French Revolution, Napoleon, and Europe. This university also has a satellite campus in Menton that specializes in Middle Eastern Studies. (UT Austin Exchange)

JAGIELLONIAN UNIVERSITY OF KRAKOW, POLAND

Courses taught in English. Founded in 1364, this university is located in Krakow, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Several History courses are pre-approved for credit on the program including The Cold War; The Holocaust and its Cultural Meaning; and Poland in Europe in the 20th Century. An introductory Polish course is required, and students can complete their schedule with courses available through the Institute of History. (API Affiliated Studies)

THE UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND

History surrounds the architecture and Roman ruins of Edinburgh. Pre-approved courses are available across multiple disciplines. Specific History courses include British History I; Medieval Scottish History; and War and Memory in the 20th Century. (ARCADIA Affiliated Studies)

LATIN AMERICA

PONTIFICIA UNIVERSIDAD CATOLICA DE CHILE, SANTIAGO, CHILE

Courses taught in Spanish. Courses are available covering Chile, Latin America, Europe, and the world – spanning ancient to modern history. A minimum of five semesters of college-level Spanish, or its equivalent, is required prior to participation. An intensive pre-semester in Spanish is also available for additional language preparation. (UT Austin Exchange)

PONTIFICIA UNIVERSIDAD CATOLICA DE PERU, LIMA, PERU

Courses taught in Spanish. PUC-Peru offers a number of Latin American History courses, such as History of Peru: Prehispanic Period; and History of Contemporary America: 19th and 20th Centuries. Courses covering other regions of the world are also pre-approved for credit. A minimum of five semesters of college-level Spanish, or its equivalent, is required prior to participation. (UT Austin Exchange)

MIDDLE EAST & AFRICA

BOGAZICI UNIVERSITY, ISTANBUL, TURKEY

Courses taught in English. Bogaziçi offers a variety of pre-approved History courses especially suited for students with an interest in Middle Eastern Studies. Pre-approved courses include Introduction to Ottoman History; History of Modern Turkey; History of the Middle East in the 20th Century; and a number of Turkish language options. (UT Austin Exchange)

UNIVERSITY OF CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA

Courses taught in English. UCT is internationally recognized as one of Africa's leading research universities. Several pre-approved History courses are available such as War and Society; Africa: Making of a Continent to 1800; The Sweeping Transformation in China; and Genocide: African Experiences. (CIEE Affiliated Studies)

OCEANIA

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY, CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA

ANU is one of the top 20 schools for History in the world according to recent world university rankings. Some of the best History professors worldwide teach classes pre-approved for UT credit such as Rome: Republic to Empire; and Real Men: Masculinities in Western History. (UT Austin Exchange)

THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

Melbourne, the “cultural capital” of Australia, is a vibrant city ideal for a semester abroad. Examples of pre-approved courses for History credit include Witches and Witch Hunting in Europe; The Age of Stalin; and the Modern Middle East. The University of Melbourne is consistently ranked one of the top 20 schools for History in the world. (UT Austin Exchange)

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

The University of New South Wales offers multiple History courses pre-approved for credit. Some options include Inventing Australia: Race, Nation, Identity 1901-1950; Holocaust and Genocide in Historical Perspective; Slavery and Freedom: US History 1750-1890; and Religion in World History. (UT Austin Exchange)



MAPPING YOUR SEMESTERS

Many of the courses in the History degree plan are ideal options for a semester abroad(*). The general History degree plan is shown below with the recommended semesters abroad highlighted. Meet with your academic advisor regularly to revise your plan accordingly.

SAMPLE STUDY ABROAD PLAN (10-12 CATALOG)

FIRST YEAR

Fall	Spring
Foreign Language 601D*	Foreign Language 610D*
UGS 302-W or 303	Science & Technology, Part I
RHE 306 or Math	RHE 306 or Math
HIS (European)*	HIS (LAAAME)*

SECOND YEAR

Fall	Spring
Foreign Language 611D*	Natural Science
Science & Technology, Part I	Science & Technology, Part II
GOV 310L	E 316K*
HIS (United States)*	GOV 312
	HIS (United States)*

THIRD YEAR

Study Abroad Exchange	(choose fall or spring)
HIS (upper division)	HIS (upper division)
Social and Behavioral Sciences	Visual & Performing Arts
CEHET (Liberal Arts core)	HIS (upper division)
Minor	Elective (upper division)
Elective (upper division)	Minor

FOURTH YEAR

Fall	Spring
Minor (upper division)*	Minor (upper division)*
HIS 350L/R-W	HIS (upper division European)*
HIS (upper division LAAAME)*	Social Science*
Natural Science	Elective (upper division)*
Elective*	Elective*

*These are alternate courses that can be rotated to a semester abroad, allowing flexibility to consider a wider selection of programs.



“Studying abroad was an eye-opening experience. It was an opportunity not only to learn about another culture, but to hear, touch, and see it.”

- Tarik Harris, France

PLANNING TIPS

Studying abroad during the second year is possible with early planning.

Completing language courses at UT during the semesters and summers may be necessary to qualify for some non-English language exchange programs.

Honors students must take History 347L at UT in spring of third year.

NOTES

Foreign language sequences vary by language.

Study abroad is not recommended during your final semester, as the delay in processing course credits could prevent you from graduating "on time."

MY STUDY ABROAD PLAN

FIRST YEAR

Fall	Spring	Summer

SECOND YEAR

Fall	Spring	Summer

THIRD YEAR

Fall	Spring	Summer

FOURTH YEAR

Fall	Spring	Summer



"Studying abroad is the culmination of a life-long dream: to explore individual perspectives of a country's own past, but also to see how foreigners view our history. Choosing Chile has undoubtedly changed my life. It's such a great country that I've decided to live there after graduating."

- Garrett Garfield, Chile

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SEARCH ENGINE

Explore over 400 study abroad options.

STUDY ABROAD INFO SESSION

Learn about the process to get started.

FUNDING STUDY ABROAD SESSION

Learn about funding options, financial aid, online tools, and available scholarships.

MY CREDIT ABROAD DATABASE

Search over 7,000 pre-approved foreign courses with UT equivalents.

TALK TO YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR

Your advisor can help identify the best course options to meet degree requirements and can help determine the ideal semester to participate.

CONNECT WITH PEER ADVISORS

Peer advisors are trained to help you explore options and address concerns during walk-in hours at the Study Abroad Office or via chat, email, and Facebook throughout the academic year.



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