Chemistry Abroad

Discover the World! Discover Yourself!

Programs

Study Abroad
Enroll in coursework abroad that transfers back to your major or minor requirements. Programs often have their own criteria, such as a higher GPA or a language requirement, so you should read each program’s terms carefully. Proficiency in another language is often unnecessary, so you could study in English, even in non-English speaking places.

Intern Abroad
Consider an internship abroad to strengthen your resume! Companies value intercultural skills and the ability to speak another language. Internships abroad often are voluntary rather than paid, but financial aid and scholarships may help defray costs if you earn credit.

Service-Learning Abroad
Give back to the world! Teach English in China, assist a women’s shelter in Morocco, or help preserve native species in Costa Rica through a service-learning program.

When Should I Go Abroad?

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Funding

An international experience can be affordable! Most chemistry students are eligible for federal financial aid, and many scholarships are readily available. Some opportunities include, but are not limited to:

- **Federal Financial Aid**
  - Full-time K-State students who are eligible may apply for federal financial aid to help cover the costs of credit-bearing faculty-led, exchange, summer, and other programs in our database. For more information, contact the Study Abroad Office or Office of Student Financial Assistance.

- **Faculty-Led Scholarship**
  - Twenty-five $2,000 scholarships are available each year toward any K-State Faculty-Led program.

- **Goss Discovery Scholarship**
  - Twenty-five $5,000 scholarships are available each year toward a semester or academic year program. Preference is given to Kansas high school graduates.

- **K-State Global Education Initiative Scholarships**
  - Scholarships are available each year in varying amounts from $200 to $1,000 for faculty-led, summer, or academic year programs. Scholarship recipients must assist with the Study Abroad Fair and complete one service project for the Office of International Programs.

"The Goss Discovery Scholarship has allowed me not only to have the best semester of my schooling career, but the grandest adventure of a lifetime." -Debbie Dalechek, Prague, Czech Republic
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**Exchange Programs**

Exchange programs allow students to pay in-state tuition and fees for courses taken at universities abroad.

- **Sydney, Australia**
  - University of Sydney
  - $16,805.00*
- **Giessen, Germany**
  - Justus Liebig Universität (University of Giessen)
  - $10,349.00*
- **San José, Costa Rica**
  - Universidad de Costa Rica
  - $11,181.00
  - National University of Ireland, Maynooth
  - $11,281.00*
- **Prague, Czech Republic**
  - Institute of Chemical Technology, Prague
  - $10,469.00*
- **Istanbul, Turkey**
  - Boğaziçi University
  - $13,100.00*
- **Clermont-Ferrand, France**
  - Université Blaise Pascal
  - $14,678.00*
  - Heriot-Watt University
  - $11,681.00*

*All noted costs are estimates that include tuition, fees, insurance, housing, and food for one semester abroad. Courses are taught in English, unless otherwise noted.

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**Program Providers**

Program providers organize study, internship, or service-learning programs abroad that offer additional assistance. These programs are offered for various lengths of time during the year and provide a more structured experience, often with cultural activities and excursions.

**Academic Programs International (API)**

API offers a selection of programs in Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East. For the most current program details, visit api@studyoabroad.com.

**International Studies Abroad (ISA)**

ISA organizes programs in East Asia, Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East. For the most current program details, visit www.isabroad.com.

**SAI**

SAI initially developed programs in Italian locations like Florence, Milan, Siena, Sorrento, and Rome, but now runs programs in London and Barcelona. For the most current program details, visit www.saiprograms.com.

**Semester at Sea**

Semester at Sea features semester programs that travel around the globe in which you can take a variety of general education courses. For the most current program details, visit www.semesteratsea.org.

**University Studies Abroad Consortium (USAC)**

USAC facilitates many programs abroad in Africa, Australia and the Pacific, East Asia, Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East. For the most current program details, visit usac.unr.edu.

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**Internships and Service Learning Programs**

Get out of the classroom! Internships and service-learning programs abroad allow you to deepen your immersion in another culture or language as well as provide hands-on experience that can help distinguish you on the job market.

**eLAP by ISA**

Combine an internship with study abroad by interning before, during, or after a study abroad program. Participants can also intern independently from study abroad or participate in a volunteer group project. Choose a program ranging from 4 to 12 weeks during a semester, summer, or intensive month. Earning academic credit is also possible with some programs. For prices and more information, visit studyoabroad.com/elap.

**World Endeavors**

World Endeavors helps participants find internships that best fit their personal and professional goals. Programs are usually a minimum of 2 or 3 months long, and are offered in Africa, Asia, Australia and the Pacific, Europe, and Latin America. Interns also have the opportunity to earn academic credit upon completing an internship. For the most current program details, visit www.worldendeavors.com.

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*“I walk away from my year in Japan with not only a better command of the Japanese language, but also new friendships and memories that I will never forget.” —Aaron Voth, Nagasaki, Japan*

*“This is one experience I highly suggest EVERY student take a chance with. I can promise your eyes will be opened to amazing new things.” —Sonia Gonzalez, Hatfield, England, United Kingdom*