Life Sciences

Timeline for Your Adventure

- Attend an Education Abroad 101 session or watch our virtual on-demand session
- Request an appointment with an Education Abroad Advisor
- Contact your Academic Advisor
- Apply at www.k-state.edu/abroad/apply
- Research scholarships and financial aid

The following is a sample of programs. Search the complete program list at www.ksu.edu/abroad

Internships & Shadowing Abroad

Valencia, Spain
Program Provider: ISA Intensive Medical Simulation
About: This specialized 2-week summer program includes training on the use of medical devices and technical skills in a clinical setting through simulation scenarios in the Universidad Catholica de Valencia virtual hospital. Students will earn 3 credits. You can also add on coursework or an internship to build your summer abroad in Spain! Cultural activities in Valencia and an excursion to Albufera National Park are included.

Khon Kaen, Thailand
Program Provider: USAC Community Health Science Internship
About: This is an 8-week summer program focused on shadowing various Thai health providers through rotating observation of doctors, nurses, dentists, physical therapists, and traditional Thai medicine doctors OR a public health placement with a Thai health agency. Students will earn 3 credits for this experience, and also take a 3 credit Healthcare in Thailand course and a 1 credit Introduction to Thai Language course to prepare for daily interactions while shadowing or working in the health agency. Khon Kaen is in northeast Thailand and is an important center of education, healthcare, and technology. It is a truly local metropolis without high levels of tourism, so the cost of living is low!

Research Abroad

Liverpool, United Kingdom
Direct Enroll: University of Liverpool Summer Research Program
About: Choose from a 4–12-week experience completing 3 credit hours of research alongside University of Liverpool faculty! Available projects change every year but have included those in the biology, biochemistry, engineering, and geography disciplines, to name a few. See the list of current projects here. Liverpool is a lively port city on the west coast of the United Kingdom known as home of The Beatles and two successful soccer clubs, Everton F.C. and Liverpool F.C.

Stockholm, Sweden
Program Provider: DIS Summer Biomedical Lab
About: This is a 6-week program where students can earn 6 credits doing hands-on training for biomedical research and medical diagnostics. Students will learn how to measure physiological parameters, utilize clinical equipment,
culture cells & conduct assays, in addition to designing biomedical experiments. Stockholm has a rich history and a contemporary appeal. It is also known for its culture of work-life balance and for being one of the most inclusive cities in the world!

**Copenhagen, Denmark**

*Program Provider: DIS Summer Labs, Research & Practicums Session*

*About:* This is a 6-week program where you can select from a variety of practical, hands-on learning experiences working as a research assistant or in a laboratory. Students will earn 6 credits. Choose from sessions like the Climate Change of Arctic Ecosystems Lab, Microbrains: Modeling Neurodegeneration Lab, or Research Assistant: Neuroimaging Brain Abnormalities in Mood Disorders. Copenhagen is known for its strong community spirit and commitment to sustainability, represented by its many canals, parks, and bike lanes. It has an incredible culinary scene and the world's highest concentration of Michelin-star restaurants!

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**Service-Learning Abroad**

**Dominican Republic, Guatemala, The Gambia, and South Africa**

*International Service Teams*

*About:* International Teams is a service-learning program of interdisciplinary teams of Kansas State University students. Teams travel and live in communities around the world during the summer break. International Teams work with community partners to engage in local community work abroad on various meaningful projects. Previous placements have focused on health, education, environmental and sustainability concerns, and youth development.

**Chile, Costa Rica, Ireland, Morocco, New Zealand, Peru, South Africa, and Spain**

*Program Provider: ISA Service-Learning Programs*

*About:* Engage in a service-learning project within community sectors like environment, family & youth development, and health! 4–8-week program options are available, and students can earn 2–4 credits from the University of South Florida for the experience.