



# Education Abroad Advising Guide

Your [Academic Advisor](#) and an [Education Abroad Advisor](#) are the best way to get started!

We offer First Advising Sessions every day (M-F) during the semester in our office at 12:30, no appointment necessary. If you're just getting started, this is the best place to learn about the different types of study abroad programs and get answers to your questions about funding, credits, and everything else

We're located at:

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## What courses should I take?

This can be different for every student, but Business major advisors agree that study abroad is a wonderful opportunity for students to take classes that fulfill a variety of requirements including:

- MGMT 310 Managing People in Organizations
- MKTG 301 Principles of Marketing
- INFO 360 Business Information Systems (Required for most business majors)
- FIRE 311 Financial Management
- BUSN 325 Organizational Communication
- SCMA 301 Business Statistics
- BUSN 323 Legal Environment of Business (Required for most business majors)

Be sure to check out our [pre-approved courses database](#) where you can search for courses in your major.

## Where should I go?

The reverse side features a list of programs recommended for Business majors. While these are featured programs, students are not limited to these opportunities.

### Want to see more?

Visit our [website](#), use our search feature, and contact an Education Abroad Advisor.

## Funding Study Abroad

Studying abroad does not have to be expensive! VCU offers a variety of program options to fit most students' budgets and the Education Abroad office assists students with identifying and applying for funding.

Most financial aid and scholarships that you already receive can be used toward study abroad.

### Scholarships:

There are [VCU scholarships](#) to study abroad as well as nationally competitive scholarships, like the [Benjamin A Gilman Scholarship](#) for Pell-grant recipients. Begin your search on our site and at [StudyAbroadFunding.org](http://StudyAbroadFunding.org) and [DiversityAbroad.com](http://DiversityAbroad.com)



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# Recommended Study Abroad Programs: Business Majors

## [VCU Programs](#)

### [VCU: International Consulting Program](#)

**Terms:** Summer

The Global Education Office and the School of Business are pleased to offer an exciting, faculty-led, summer international internship experience in four different locations. Three locations—Athens, Greece; Cordoba, Spain; and Prague, Czech Republic—are open to undergraduate students. Tokyo, Japan is open to graduate students.

### [VCU in Australia: Macquarie University](#)

**Terms:** Fall, Spring, Academic Year

Macquarie University offers an incredibly exciting and global experience for VCU students to study for a semester or a year. Located less than 10 miles outside Sydney's city center, Macquarie's expansive 300-acre campus is situated in the heart of Australia's largest high-tech precinct which means students will be surrounded by more than 300 leading companies located on or around the campus. Macquarie also offers an internship program for Business students.

### [VCU in Korea: Chung Ang University](#)

**Terms:** Fall, Spring, Academic Year

Chung Ang University is a private institution with approximately 30,000 students. It consists of 10 undergraduate colleges and 16 graduate schools and operates two campuses, in Seoul and Anseong, Korea.

### [VCU in Greece: The American College of Greece](#)

**Terms:** Academic Year, Fall, Spring, Summer

The American College of Greece is an ideal study abroad destination because it is located in one of the world's most renowned and safe cities. Its idyllic campus is the springboard for exploring Athens and the nearby Greek islands. ACG is the largest American college or university in Europe, and a truly international learning community.

### [VCU in England: University of Surrey](#)

**Terms:** Spring, Academic Year

Located on a beautiful lakeside campus, Surrey is a ten-minute walk into Guildford Town center and just 34 minutes by train into central London, providing students with the best of the UK; rolling countryside and exciting city life. 32% of the student body at Surrey is international, so students studying on exchange at the university will be part of a larger international community on campus.

## [International Student Exchange Program](#)

Choose from over 300 universities around the world offering summer, semester and year-long programs. Apply to up to 10 institutions on a single application. ISEP offers two types of placements: ISEP-Exchange (program fee based on VCU's in-state tuition, room and board) and ISEP-Direct (program fee based on the host university's tuition, room and board).

### **Where have VCU students studied Business with ISEP?**

- GERMANY: [Karlshochschule International University](#)
- JAPAN: [Tokyo International University](#)
- TAIWAN: [Providence University](#)

... and many more places across the globe!

## [Featured External Programs](#)

### **CZECH REPUBLIC:** [University of Economics in Prague](#)

(available through CIS)

**Terms:** Fall, Spring, Summer

**Courses have included:** International Marketing Communications, Marketing in Central and Eastern Europe, International Strategy

### **SOUTH AFRICA:** [Stellenbosch University](#)

(available through USAC)

**Terms:** Fall, Spring

**Courses have included:** Information Systems, Business Management, Financial Accounting, Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management, Corporate Social Responsibility, Marketing Management, Advertising and Sales Promotion

### **SPAIN:** [Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona](#)

(available through SAI)

**Terms:** Fall, Spring, Year, Summer

**Courses have included:** Doing Business in Emerging Markets, Cross-Cultural Management, Business in Action: Local Companies in a Global World, E-Commerce and Online Business

### **FRANCE:** [American Business School](#)

(available through ISA)

**Terms:** Academic Year, Fall, Spring, Summer

**Courses:** Financial Accounting; Advanced Financial and Managerial Accounting; Business Ethics, Entrepreneurship, International Economics; Introduction to American Business Law; International Business, International Marketing