Latinx Students Abroad

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TOPICS

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<td>Ranked #6 in the nation (total number of U.S. students studying abroad)</td>
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<td>3 in 10 graduating seniors studied abroad while at IU Bloomington</td>
<td>14M+ financial aid used each year for study abroad</td>
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<td>380+ study abroad program options</td>
<td>Nearly every field of study</td>
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<td>20+ different languages</td>
<td>Multiple study abroad offices</td>
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Study Abroad Offices on IUB Campus

IU Office of Overseas Study
812-856-9304; overseas@iu.edu
https://overseas.iu.edu

Kelley School of Business International Programs
https://kelley.iu.edu/programs/undergrad/academics/study-abroad/index.cshml

College of Arts and Sciences International Engagement and Student Success
https://college.indiana.edu/student-portal/undergraduate-students/international-programs/study-abroad/index.html

School of Public Health Student Immersion & Global Health Experience
https://publichealth.indiana.edu/experience/study-abroad/index.html

OVPDEMA (Office of the Vice President for Diversity, Equity, and Multicultural Affairs) Overseas Studies & Scholarship Program
812-856-1934; demaschl@iu.edu
https://ovpdeamaoverseas.indiana.edu/

Paul H. O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs International Programs
https://oneill.indiana.edu/student-experience/overseas/index.html

Hamilton-Lugar School of Global and International Studies Study Abroad
https://hls.indiana.edu/student-life/study-abroad/index.html

Luddy School of Informatics, Computing, and Engineering Overseas Education
https://luddy.indiana.edu/academics/academic-opportunities.html

The Media School Travel Abroad

School of Education Global Gateway for Teachers

Hutton International Experience Program
https://hiep.indiana.edu/planning-for-study-abroad/index.html
Planning Study Abroad

Research
- Search and compare programs
- Talk to advisors
- Visit study abroad offices
- Connect with returnees
- Research/read
- Online database

Program Considerations
- Types of programs (IU Administered, Co-sponsored, unit-based, non-IU)
- Academic credits, major/minor requirements
- Experiential opportunities (internship, service-learning)
- Location, language limitation?
- Program length
- Pre-requisites (GPA, language, class-standing, course, degree)
- Program host (university, study center)
- Living arrangements
- School/program policies
- Program Cost
Planning Study Abroad

**Funding**
- University Scholarships
  - standard aid
  - semester
  - location
  - program/major
- Provider Scholarships
- National Scholarships

**Creative Ways**
- Fundraising
- Saving
- Family Support
- Blogging/Vlogging while abroad

**Preparation**
- Passport, visa
- Travel vaccine
- Medical check-ups
- Subleasing apartment
- Packing list
- Safety
- Insurance
- Transportation
- Cultural preparation
- Expectation of host cultures
Funding Study Abroad
Can I Use My Financial Aid for Study Abroad?

• Semester or academic year students
  Most of your aid should still apply
  See exceptions on our website OR talk to Student Central

• Summer students
  Talk with Student Central
  Be aware that most financial aid is packaged for fall+spring (= no funds available in summer)
How Do I Know How Much My Program Costs?

Each Overseas Study program has a fee sheet:

- Amount due to IU Bursar
- Estimated out-of-pocket expenses
- Total estimated costs

What's included in the Bursar fees:

- IU and CIEE Fees
- Total Estimated Program Costs

Additional Estimated Program Costs:
- International Airfare
- Visa Fees
- Local Transportation
- Books/Course Materials
- Meals not included in the Program Fees
- Personal Expenses
- Total Estimated Additional Program Costs

Total IU and CIEE Fees: $17,194.71
Total Estimated Program Costs: $34,799.71
How Can I Budget for Study Abroad?

Gather Your Resources

- Your program fee sheet
- Your financial aid report
- Your list of scholarships

- What’s your estimated remaining cost? (aka “the gap” or “net cost”)

### STUDY ABROAD BUDGET WORKSHEET

Please complete the following worksheet electronically to estimate the full cost of your study abroad program. For IU-administered and co-sponsored programs, your primary resource should be the "IU Fee Sheet" associated with your program. It can be found in the "Costs and Financial Aid" tab of the program webpage.

#### ESTIMATED CORE FEES

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#### ESTIMATED VARIABLE FEES

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**Estimated Cost (Core Fees + Variable Fees)**: $0.00 **

**Estimated Federal Aid** (loans, grants): $0.00
**IU Scholarships**: $0.00
**Study Abroad Scholarships** (from OUST, MEEP, Co-Sponsor, etc.): $0.00
**Student and Parent Plus Loans (private loans)**: $0.00
**Savings / Other Resources**: $0.00

**Estimated Funding**: $0.00 **

**Estimated Remaining Cost**: $0.00 **

**Click on any number field to recalculate totals.**
Study Abroad Scholarship Research

Office of Overseas Study

Financial Aid & Scholarships

Last year, all in all, Indiana University students accessed more than $14 million in loans, grants and scholarships to study abroad. Most IU financial aid may be applied to semester and academic year programs administered or co-sponsored by IU. However, there are some exceptions. Loans are the primary source of financial aid for summer programs.

Students who choose non-IU study abroad programs should see our additional information about Financial Aid and Non-IU Programs.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Explore this comprehensive list of study abroad scholarships offered through the Office of Overseas Study, other IU units, partner institutions, and national organizations. Eligibility, application process and deadline, and amounts awarded vary by scholarship. Make sure to visit the websites of specific scholarships for important details.

- Office of Overseas Study Scholarships
- IU Departments, Schools, and Program Scholarships
- Presidential Match Scholarships
- Partner Scholarships
- National Scholarships
- Non-IU Scholarships
- Other Scholarship Search Engines

Open each accordion!
Student Stories

Andres Ayala
• Senior
• International studies/Spanish

Araceli Flores
• Senior
• International studies/Spanish

Anai Hernandez
• Senior
• Marketing/International Business

Valeria Juarez-Martinez
• Junior
• Policy Analysis
4 overseas study experiences

1. SUMMER 2018 - “Wartime in the Netherlands” examined Dutch literature, war diaries, and films to understand the war’s effect on Dutch culture and how this impact manifests in the contemporary context.

2. SPRING 2019 - “Global City Forms” examined the ways various cities developed across regions and how these developments influenced the social interactions of the individual with themself, others, and the city itself. Concepts were applied in Beijing, China as part of the course.
4 overseas study experiences (continued)

3. SUMMER 2019 - Spanish Conversation and Diction in the Dominican Republic. Volunteered with a local non-governmental organization (NGO) to build houses, plant banana trees, deliver eye care, and translate documents. Also examined the Dominican dialect from a linguistic perspective.

4. FALL 2019 - Semester study at the Universitat de Barcelona. Studied Latin American and Spanish literature with Spanish students at the oldest university in Spain.
Ghana

Araceli Flores
• Senior
• International studies/Spanish
Madrid, Spain
Madrid, Spain
• Dominican Republic for Spring Break

• Plan on studying abroad next year

• Don’t worry about money, there are a lot of scholarships available!
  • Gilman Scholarship
  • OVPDEMA Study Abroad Scholarship
  • Program Specific Scholarships
  • Hutton International Experience or Hutton Internship Grant

• Where are you interested in studying abroad?
VALERIA JUAREZ-MARTINEZ

India Summer 2019
INDIA WAS WILD

• Why did I want to go?
• How did I tell my parents?
• How did I afford it?
• My experience.
What is the HIEP Grant?

- Largest single source of funding for IU undergraduates going abroad.
- Can be used for:
  - Study Abroad
  - Overseas Research
  - International Internships
  - Student Teaching in Another Country
  - Volunteer Service Abroad
  - Other Academic Interests Abroad
HIEP Grant Funding

- $500 - $3,300 award range
- Awards are merit-based; financial need is not a component
- Award amounts based on several factors:
  - GPA
  - Length of time abroad
  - Strength of Application Materials
    - Letter of Recommendation
    - Personal Essay
- 90% of students who meet eligibility requirements and have a complete application are awarded
- Additional Named Scholarships awarded on a competitive basis
HIEP Grant Eligibility

- Full-time IU-Bloomington undergraduate with 12 graded credits
- 3.4 cumulative GPA or 3.7 major GPA
- Complete travels before official graduation date
- Not travel to a level 4 country on US Dept. of State Travel Warning list
- HIEP Grant is a one-time-only award
- Restrictions
  - Wells Scholars
  - Kelley Scholars
  - LAMP Robbins/Hutton Overseas Study Scholarship
  - Hutton Honors Study Abroad program participants
HIEP Grant Application & Deadlines

- [https://hiep.indiana.edu/](https://hiep.indiana.edu/)
- Google: “Hutton IEP” or “HIEP”
- Online Application Portal
  - Program Information
  - Notification of Acceptance
  - Essay
  - Faculty Letter of Recommendation
  - Additional Program Verification (Independent Programs Only)
- All Non-IU Programs also require a signed travel waiver form on file with the Hutton Honors College
- Application deadline for **Spring Semester is the last Friday in October.**
- Application deadline for **Summer 2021, Fall 2021, and Academic Year 2021-22 is 03/12/2021.**
HIEP Grant Essay Question

In 400-500 words, please answer the following:

- How will your proposed international experience contribute to your academic growth? Your professional growth? Your personal growth?

HIEP Grant Application Denials

- Not following instructions
- Weak essay
Named HIEP Scholarships

HIEP Grant Application also serves as your application to all of the following:

1. The Hutton Family Study Abroad Scholarship – competitive HHC student
2. The Melissa Laney Scholarship – SPEA majors/environmental interest
3. The Simon Goe Scholarship - China
4. The Dr. Arvin T. Henderson Scholarship – pre-med/medical interest
5. The Josephine Stuckey Scholarship – education majors
6. The Les & Mary Lou Waters Scholarship – business majors
7. The Masaichi Yakahi Scholarship - Japan
8. The Mary & Tom Martz Scholarship – Paris studying art
9. The Omnicare Scholarship – competitive overall
10. The IU Timmy Foundation Scholarship – Timmy Global Health Program
Other HHC Grants

- Internship Grants
- Research Grants
- Creative Activity Grants
- Research Partnership Awards
- Hutton Honors College Thesis Awards
- BFA Capstone Awards
- Individualized Major Program Capstone Awards
- Teaching Internship Grants
- Hutton Honors College Travel Grants
- Alternative Break Grant

For more info on these grants, contact: hcgrants@indiana.edu

- https://hutton.indiana.edu/funding/grants/index.html
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<td>Make student aware of other funding sources</td>
<td>Provide holistic study abroad support</td>
<td>Help students network</td>
<td>Partner with internal and external organizations</td>
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OVPDEMA Study Abroad Scholarships

https://ovpdemaoverseas.indiana.edu/study-abroad-scholarships/study-abroad-scholarship.html

Program
- Established in Summer 2013
- Need-based; credit-bearing

Scholarship
- One of the largest on campus
- Up to $4,000 (average award amount $1,600)

Students
- 100+ awards each year
- OVPDEMA programs only

Full-time undergraduate student in one of the OVPDEMA programs
- 21st Century Scholars Program
- Groups Scholars Program
- Hudson & Holland Scholars Program
- Academic Support Center (OVPDEMA tutors)
- FASE Mentoring Program (mentors)
Minimum GPA of 2.5 and above
Participate in a credit-bearing study abroad programs
Offered in Fall, Spring and Summer semesters

1. Contact and General Information
2. Academic Information
3. Study Abroad Information
4. Estimated Budget and Program Cost
5. Recommendations
6. Essays
Identities Abroad Resources

IU Office of Overseas Study
Diversity, Identity, & Accessibility Resources

CIEE Around The World

IES Abroad
Student Diversity Access

International Educational Exchange
The Open Doors Data
U.S. Study Abroad

U.S. State Department
U.S. Students Abroad

Diversity Abroad
Latinx Students Abroad

Meaning Travel Tips & Tales
Latinx Traveler Perspectives:

The Truth Revealed: 9 Misconceptions about Latinx Students & Study Abroad Debunked:

Latinx Experience Abroad:

GoAbroad: 7 Study Abroad Scholarship for Hispanic Students

Parents Guide to Study Abroad:

Latinas Who Travel
Cultural Resources in Bloomington

Passport Acceptance Facility

IU Global

IU Office of International Services

Culture Centers

Hamilton Lugar School of Global and International Studies

City of Bloomington Community and Family Resources

Learning communities

Student Organizations

Bloomington Worldwide Friendship
IU Study Abroad Scholarships

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Zero-credit, self-paced tutorial walks you through each part of the Gilman application.

Planning ahead? Email amaro@iu.edu or oescue@iu.edu to ask to be invited.
Upcoming Events

*will partner with student organizations on events, email oescue@iu.edu

IU International Education Week Events Calendar: [https://ois.iu.edu/connect/education-week.html](https://ois.iu.edu/connect/education-week.html)
Study Abroad Prep Courses

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