



# Go Global: Study Abroad

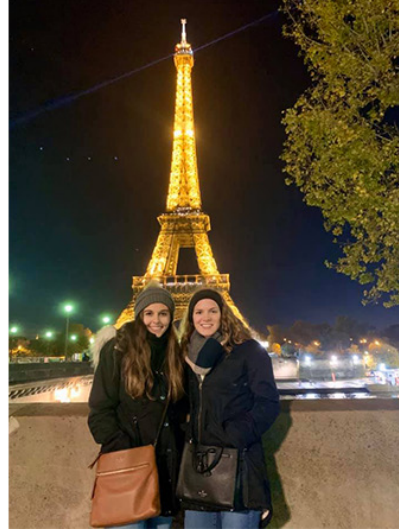
## Reasons to Study Abroad

*"I studied at the State University of Management in Moscow, Russia during the summer of 2019. The trip was split into two parts: in Moscow and in Saint Petersburg. The main benefit of the trip was being able to not only be immersed in my language of study, but its culture as well. Having never had the opportunity to venture out from my home country, it was incredible to experience someone else's. I believe everyone should explore a different culture and experience it during their lifetime. It's good for your growth as a human, and as we saw with the rise of Covid, you never know when you'll have these opportunities."*

- Tyler Gifford  
Computer Science major

*"I studied at the University of Limoges in France and was able to complete an international certification in Business Management! I spent four months there not only learning from an academic standpoint, but also a cultural one. I think the biggest benefit of this program was learning to communicate and collaborate in a group of diverse people. Take advantage of this opportunity! You will grow as an individual and gain lifelong memories and friendships."*

- Mackenzie Bratton  
Business major



The East Central University's Global Education office promotes, provides and facilitates academic and cultural exchange opportunities for the students and faculty to develop global awareness and cross-cultural competencies through participation in programs on campus at East Central University and throughout the world.

## > Why Study Abroad?

In order for East Central University students to compete successfully in today's multicultural world, an understanding of different ethnic groups and their cultures, philosophies and traditions is essential. ECU's Global Education programs provide students with first-hand multicultural experiences that enrich their education by:

- Semester-long and faculty-led short-term Study Abroad opportunities
- Exchange programs with ECU's sister-institutions in France, Spain, Russia, Germany and other countries
- Educational programs with partner universities throughout the world
- Assistance in obtaining study abroad scholarships through the ECU Foundation, Brad Henry International Scholar, Gary and Linda Ainsworth Scholarship and other programs

## > Need More Information?

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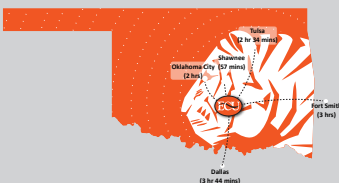


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# Study Abroad Opportunities

› At East Central University

**University of Limoges, France**, is a French public university, based in Limoges, and founded in 1968. It counts more than 14,000 students and near 1,000 scholars and researchers. It offers complete curricula up to the doctorates and beyond in the traditional areas of knowledge and continues to develop new courses in line with the evolution of the postmodern and postcolonial society.

**University of Extremadura, Spain**, was founded in 1973. From its earliest days until present, the university has been gradually growing. The university has two campuses: Caceres and Badajoz. Each of these campuses is associated with a different line of teaching: Sciences are taught in Badajoz and Humanities in Caceres.

**State University of Management, Moscow, Russia**, is one of the largest state higher education establishments of Russia, specializing in preparing managers. This makes the institution unique and original. Over 17,000 undergraduate and postgraduate students are trained at the university. The university constantly develops new strategies for management specializations in the areas of Business, Marketing and Economics.

**Russian State University for the Humanities** is a university with over 14,000 students. It was created in 1991 as the result of the merger of the Moscow Public University and the Moscow State Institute for History and Archives. The institute occupies a network of historic buildings including the former Moscow Print Yard and the cells of the Zaikonospassky Monastery. RSUH currently comprises seven institutes, 11 faculties, 19 scientific and educational centers, eight laboratories and 50 departments.

**International University of Moscow, Russia**, was the first private university in Russia. It occupies a leading position among Russian private schools. It was founded in 1991. The idea of this university was initially supported by the President of the USSR Mikhail Gorbachev and the President of the USA George Bush, Sr. The university offers undergraduate, graduate and post-graduate programs in the fields of Business Administration, Economy, Art Business, Foreign Languages, Law, Journalism and several others.

**University of Swansea, Wales**, located in Southwest Wales, UK, was founded in 1920. The University community thrives on exploration and discovery, and offers the right balance of excellent teaching and research. The university has achieved its ambition to be among the top 30 research universities in the United Kingdom. Swansea's multicultural dual-campus community provides a global perspective and opportunities to gain skills that last a lifetime.

**Hunan Women's University, China**, was established in 1985. The public full-time women's higher school is located at the Changsha City in Hunan Province and directly subordinated to the People's Government of Hunan Province and the All-China Women's Federation of PRC. At present the total school staff are about 450 persons and the enrolled students are more than 5,200.

**Guilin University of Electronic Technology, China**, has at its core Electronic Information Technology as its main discipline while the other disciplines include Mechanical Engineering, Business Management, Literature, Law and Education. The university has 10 departments offering 39 undergraduate programs, and 18 graduate programs for students from all over the world. It has about 20,000 full-time students.

**Biberach University of Applied Sciences, Germany**, emerged in 1971 out of the Public Engineering School for Architecture, which had been founded in 1964. It is home to 2,400 students and 240 faculty members. Biberach is located in Southwest Germany near the borders of France, Switzerland and Austria.

**Wisconsin International University (USA), Ukraine (WIUU)**, is a liberal arts institute located in the center of Kiev, the capital of Ukraine. The university was established in 1997 and offers an academic program that combines the practices of business education in Ukraine and in the USA. WIUU to date is the only Ukrainian higher learning institution with programs that lead to both Ukrainian degrees and American degrees.

**National University of Linguistics, Kiev, Ukraine**, was founded in 1948 as Kiev State Pedagogical Institute of Foreign Languages. Kiev National Linguistic University is one of the most popular and important universities in Ukraine. The university mostly prepares teachers of foreign languages as well as highly qualified translators and interpreters in 54 world languages.

**University of Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico**, is the second-oldest university in Mexico, the fifth-oldest in North America and the 14-oldest in Latin America. It is regarded as one of the most significant universities in Mexico, and has the second largest student population in Mexico.

**Folkeuniversitetet Midt-Norge, Trondheim, Norway**, was founded in 1864. Folkeuniversitetet has around 42,000 registered students divided between vocational subjects, culture and leisure activities, and higher education programs. The university offers courses in Art, Trade, Law and other areas. The university currently consists of 22 member organizations, 8-regional offices and 70 local departments.

**Pontifical Catholic University of Paraná, Brazil**, is a private, not-for-profit Catholic university. The main campus is located in Curitiba, in the State of Paraná, Brazil. There are more than 30,000 students in 60 undergraduate and over 150 postgraduate courses. There are 22 graduate courses at master's and doctoral levels: Health Sciences, Law, Animal Science, Urban Management, Philosophy, Theology, Business Administration, Mechanical Engineering, Dental, Health, Production Engineering, Education, Informatics and Health Technology.



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## ECU at a Glance

**Undergraduate Enrollment:** 3,000

**Undergraduate Majors:** 70+

**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 13 to 1

**Average Class Size:** 22

**Faculty with PhDs:** 65%

**States Represented:** 28

**Countries Represented:** 30+

**Year Founded:** 1909

**Campus Size:** 140 Acres

**Area Location:** Ada, Oklahoma



## Tiger Spirit

**Mascot:** Roary the Tiger

**School Colors:** Orange & Black

**Student Organizations:** 60+

**Athletics:** NCAA Division II

Men's:

Football

Cross Country

Baseball

Track & Field

Basketball

Women's:

Basketball

Soccer

Volleyball

Cross Country

Softball

Track & Field

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