



THE UNIVERSITY of NORTH CAROLINA  
**GREENSBORO**

International Programs

## Why Study Abroad?

"I learned not only what I am capable of—which exceeded my expectations of myself—but also what pushes the line for me and what I cannot tolerate.

It was a great internal recognition. My best advice is to go in head first and have no regrets!"

*-Jennifer Beynon*

*Communications Studies Major  
Linnaeus University, Sweden*

"Studying abroad is one of the most amazing experiences you will ever have!

You will learn more about yourself than you ever imagined possible. You will laugh, cry, sing, dance, play, and get tested in ways you never could have, had you not left the borders of the United States."

*-Michael Wells*

*Anthropology Major  
Yeditepe University, Turkey*

"I was able to teach Nutrition, in Spanish, to children between the ages of 10-14 years and witness first hand how health is viewed in a developing country.

This is an experience that you absolutely cannot receive confined to the borders of the United States."

*-Kelsey Griffith*

*Human Nutrition Major  
Universidad Catolica del Uruguay, Uruguay*

## Women's and Gender Studies Study Abroad Information



### Do I Need to Know a Foreign Language?

While studying abroad is an ideal time to complete foreign language requirements or learn a new language, most of our international partner programs offer extensive coursework in English available to exchange students in most majors.

### Will I Graduate on Time?

YES! students receive UNCG credit for classes taken abroad, so there is no need to prolong graduation — *you can still graduate on time!*

### Can I Afford It?

YES! On semester or year-long exchange programs, students pay regular UNCG tuition and fees. Housing and meal costs are typically equivalent to a semester in residence at UNCG. Any financial aid received at UNCG can be applied to the program costs. In addition, students are eligible to receive travel grants to help offset the costs of airfare. Be sure to review the budget sheet and speak to an IPC advisor.

### Other Benefits...

Simply studying abroad in any country waives a Global marker, and depending on the program, a Global Non-Western marker. Studying abroad is an experience of a lifetime, and you will learn so much about other cultures, other people, and most certainly, you will learn so much about yourself!

### Eligibility Criteria...

Participants must be fulltime students in good academic standing (about 2.75 GPA). Further requirements include support from your department and prior approval for courses taken abroad. All exchange program participants are required to attend pre-departure orientation sessions covering academic, administrative, health, financial, and cultural information necessary to prepare for a successful experience.

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### When Should I Apply?

The Fall and Academic Year application deadline to IPC is February 15th. The Spring application deadline is September 15th.

### When Can I Study Abroad?

The best time to study abroad differs depending on your major. Talk to the study abroad coordinator in your department and to an IPC advisor. Generally, students study abroad during their Sophomore, Junior, and Senior year. Students have the option of studying abroad during their fall semester, spring semester, throughout an entire academic year, or during the summer.

### What's Special About UNCG's Programs?

Rather than signing up for preset programs, students work with academic advisors to create tailor-made study plans with their goals in mind. Our programs become an integrated part of a student's path to graduation, rather than an "extra" tacked on.



### Getting Started!

IPC is dedicated to finding the right program for each student, and our huge array of partner universities allows us to do just that. **Call (336) 334-5404 or stop by 207 Foust to schedule an appointment with a study abroad advisor.** This will provide you with more information on appropriate programs, finances, application procedures, and more.

Call or stop by our office!  
Voice: 336.334.5404  
Fax: 336.256.8509  
<http://studyabroad.uncg.edu>

International Programs Center  
The University of North Carolina at Greensboro  
207 Foust Building  
Greensboro, NC 27402-6170

# Women's and Gender Studies Featured Exchange Programs\*

## AUSTRALIA

### James Cook University

At JCU, students can take a variety of social sciences coursework, including the following courses: family, gender, and sexuality in contemporary society; youth, identity, and popular culture; time, truth, and the human condition; power and protest in the globalizing world, and more.

[www.jcu.edu.au](http://www.jcu.edu.au)

### Deakin University

At DU, students can take courses in the departments of social and political thought and sociology. Courses include: democracy and citizenship; political philosophy; morals and modernity; representing men and masculinities; sex, crime, and justice in an electronic age; love, sex, and relationships; culture and control: boundaries and identities, and more.

[www.deakin.edu.au](http://www.deakin.edu.au)

## BOTSWANA

### University of Botswana

UB offers some women's and gender courses in its educational foundation program, including: gender education; theologies of gender; gender issues in social studies; language and gender; contemporary issues in education management (e.g., HIV/AIDS, sexual abuse, access, equity, gender); gender issues in adult education, and more.

[www.ub.bw/info.cfm?pid=643](http://www.ub.bw/info.cfm?pid=643)

## CANADA

### Brock University

Students can take a wide range of courses in BU's women's studies program. Coursework includes: women's issues: sexuality, class, ethnicity; the status of women: historical perspectives; women in world literature; the mystical woman in legend and religion; global issues for women in under-resourced nations; contemporary feminist thought, and more.

[www.brocku.ca](http://www.brocku.ca)

## CHINA

### Chinese University of Hong Kong

At CUHK, students can choose among a variety of courses in the gender studies program. Coursework includes: philosophy of love, gender and education, gender and sexuality in contemporary society; Chinese culture from a gender perspective, and more.

[http://rgsntl.rgs.cuhk.edu.hk/rws\\_prd\\_life/re\\_menu/tg\\_65038587.asp](http://rgsntl.rgs.cuhk.edu.hk/rws_prd_life/re_menu/tg_65038587.asp)

## KOREA

### Yonsei University

YU is a good option for students wishing to take a variety of coursework across social science disciplines. Coursework includes: theories of post-colonialism in East Asia: body, sexuality, and gender; anthropological topics; critical reasoning; global political philosophy; social change in modern Korea; sociology in contemporary society, and more.

<http://oia.yonsei.ac.kr>

## MALTA

### University of Malta

UM offers a variety of coursework in its gender studies program, including: gender and psychology; gender and political science; gender and social policy; gender and the world of work; gender, law, and crime, gender and culture, and more.

[www.um.edu.mt](http://www.um.edu.mt)

## SOUTH AFRICA

### University of Cape Town

UCT offers an extensive amount of coursework in its gender studies program. Courses include understanding gender; gender, sexuality, and politics; gender and history; anthropology of power and wealth; class, race, and gender; theories, politics, and action, and more.

[www.uct.ac.za/faculties/list](http://www.uct.ac.za/faculties/list)

### University of Stellenbosch

US offers a wide range of coursework across various social sciences disciplines, including the following courses: representation and identity in South African visual culture; gender and science; social anthropology; social issues in South Africa; sociological theory; political sociology; culture, power, and identity, and more.

[www.sun.ac.za/university/jaarboek](http://www.sun.ac.za/university/jaarboek)

## SWEDEN

### Malmö University

Courses include: bodies, sexualities, and political movements; globalization, culture, and identity; challenges of ethnic diversity; Swedish language, culture, and society; social policies in Europe, and more.

[www.edu.mah.se](http://www.edu.mah.se)

## UNITED KINGDOM

### Plymouth University

PU offers women's and gender studies coursework in its sociology department, including: gender and society: a social science critique; culture and social identities; global change & international social justice; gender and society; social research: design and practice, and more.

[www.plymouth.ac.uk](http://www.plymouth.ac.uk)

### Keele University

KU offers women's and gender studies coursework in its sociology department, including: social inequalities in the contemporary world; self and society; sociology of the body; crime, morality, and the media; gender and consumption; sex, death and desire, and more.

[www.keele.ac.uk/sociology](http://www.keele.ac.uk/sociology)

### University of Leicester

At UL, students can take a variety of coursework in the sociology department, including: gender, sex and morality; global poverty and development; the global sex trade; culture, identity and representation; media, language and interaction, and more.

[www2.le.ac.uk/study/ugp/sociology](http://www2.le.ac.uk/study/ugp/sociology)

### University of Hull

UH offers an extensive program in sociology, with a wide range of course options and concentrations, including gender studies, crime and deviant behavior, community and youth, power and violence, social justice, sexuality, among others.

[www2.hull.ac.uk](http://www2.hull.ac.uk)

\*While these are featured programs for the Women's and Gender Studies Department, students are by no means limited to these opportunities. For all available programs, please visit <http://studyabroad.uncg.edu>.