STUDY ABROAD IN MEDIA & JOURNALISM

WHY STUDY ABROAD?

❖ Gain exposure to the way professionals in the field view media and journalism differently around the world
❖ Make professional contacts
❖ Practice problem solving through studying, living, and working in an unfamiliar context
❖ Increase your level of cultural competence by understanding how to work with people and organizations from other countries and cultures
❖ Develop self-confidence, a strengthened sense of personal identity, flexibility, and creativity
❖ Gain a deeper appreciation and awareness of life within the U.S.
❖ Set yourself apart when applying to jobs and grad schools – did you know only 10% of college students study abroad?

DEADLINES:
University of Hartford Applications due:
❖ Fall Term: March 15
❖ Spring Term: October 15

Students complete applications for the program providers in addition to the UHart application - these deadlines vary so please speak with the Study Abroad Office as soon as possible for more information. Students are required to attend a 101 information session, which are held weekly in the Study Abroad Office. You can take courses in your major, general electives and AUCs, and scholarships are available – studying abroad doesn’t have to break the bank!

Please visit the International Center’s website and social media pages to learn more about studying abroad, the 101 sessions, and to see photos from recent study abroad alumni. You can find us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and on the University of Hartford Study Abroad Blog.

CONTACT INFORMATION:
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SAMPLE PROGRAMS:
TEAN – WOLLONGONG, AUSTRALIA (RANKED 243RD UNIVERSITY IN THE WORLD, QS WORLD RANKINGS 2015-2016)
Students will study abroad at the University of Wollongong, a campus similar to University of Hartford and located a few hours south of Sydney. You can experience all that Sydney has to offer, but also have a more intimate and laid-back lifestyle close to the beach.

Sample courses include:
❖ Intro to Communication & Media Studies
❖ Research Practices in Media & Communication
❖ International Media and Communication
❖ Global Media and Social Justice
❖ Media, War, and Peace
❖ Media Reporting and Storytelling
❖ Media Editing and Production Practice
❖ Audio Journalism Production
❖ Video Journalism Production
❖ Advocacy Journalism
❖ Magazine and Lifestyle Journalism
❖ Journalism Newsroom
❖ Issues in Journalism
❖ Narrative Non-Fiction

TEAN – AUCKLAND, NEW ZEALAND (RANKED TOP 500 UNIVERSITIES IN THE WORLD, QS WORLD RANKINGS 2015-2016)
Students enroll in courses at Auckland University of Technology (AUT), New Zealand’s fastest growing university. Students take classes with the locals and have the option to participate in field-related internships. AUT is centrally located within New Zealand’s largest city, and you will start off the semester by exploring Fiji on TEAN’s pre-semester excursion.
Sample courses include:

- Media Communication
- Principles of Journalism
- Applied Media Ethics
- Journalism Law and Ethics
- Media Psychology, Strategy, and Planning
- Magazine Journalism
- Radio Journalism
- Photo Journalism
- Television Journalism
- Mobile Journalism
- Data Journalism
- Radio and Society
- Sponsorship and Promotion
- Communication in a Business Environment

SIT – RABAT, MOROCCO

Students enroll in SIT’s Field Studies in Journalism and New Media program in Rabat, Morocco. While on the program, students learn foreign reporting under the guidance of veteran journalists, take part in ongoing reporting assignments, and will then collect, evaluate, and craft a major feature story that may be placed in a US media outlet.

Sample courses include:

- Contextual Studies in Journalism: Morocco and North Africa
- Field Ethics of Journalism in Morocco
- Arabic Language
- French for Media and Communications
- Independent Study Project in Journalism

API – SHARJAH, UAE (RANKED TOP 420 UNIVERSITIES IN THE WORLD, QS WORLD RANKINGS 2015-2016)

Students will take classes at the American University of Sharjah, which is known by many as the “Jewel of Sharjah”. Sharjah is the third largest city in the United Arab Emirates, which has one of the strongest economies throughout the surrounding countries, and the world. The city is also one of the most modern and dynamic trading and commercial centers in the region.

Sample courses include:

- Introduction to Mass Communication Studies
- Principles of Journalism
- Video Editing for Journalism
- Mass Communication Research Methods
- Social Media for Mass Communications
- Intercultural Communications
- Mass Communications Law and Ethics
- Broadcast Journalism
- News Writing
- Photojournalism
- Literary Journalism
- Journalism in Arab Countries
- Persuasive Communication
- Social Media Campaigns

API – STIRLING, SCOTLAND (RANKED 384TH UNIVERSITY IN THE WORLD, QS WORLD RANKINGS, 2015-2016)

Students will take classes at University of Stirling, one of Europe’s most scenic campuses. You can find almost everything you need on campus, including restaurants, coffee bars, a supermarket, cinema, a castle, and a golf course. The city of Stirling is only a few minutes away from campus, and both Edinburgh and Glasgow are only an hour away with plenty of public transportation opportunities.

Sample courses include:

- Advanced Reporting
- Digital Journalism
- Ethical Issues in Journalism
- Journalism and Society
- Magazine Journalism
- Photojournalism
- Print Journalism
- Race, Ethnicity and the Media
- Radio Drama/Feature Production
- Royals and Rascals: Contemporary Studies in British Journalism
- Social Media Marketing: Contexts and Strategies
- Sport and the Media
- Terrorism in the Media
- Writing for Journalists