

International **STUDY ABROAD**

EUROPE, ASIA, NORTH & SOUTH AMERICA



FIND YOURSELF, ANYWHERE

WHY STUDY ABROAD?

- Travel the world
- Earn transferable credit
- Strengthen your resume with international work experience
- Choose from 2 to 6 weeks, one semester or full year opportunities
- Complete internships or co-op abroad
- Access financial support options
- Pay NIC tuition while studying abroad

GLOBAL CLASSROOM

NIC classes interact with other classes around the world on a common subject and/or project. NIC has several areas of cooperation with institutions around the world and the Centre for Teaching Learning and Innovation at NIC works with faculty to help develop joint classes and intercultural sharing opportunities.

TYPES OF STUDY ABROAD (MOBILITY TYPE)

Studying abroad takes many different forms at NIC. Your field of study and learning goals will help you decide what's right for you.

LONG TERM

Usually 4 months to 1 year.

International Double Degree

In only 4 years you'll earn two degrees, gain international work experience all while paying NIC tuition.

- Earn NIC Bachelor of Business Administration Degree (Management/Marketing) + Université Savoie Mont Blanc (USMB) Diplôme International de Technologie de l'Université (DITUS).



"I'm a really big advocate for making the world your classroom. I've learnt that you will never accomplish anything by always being comfortable. While travelling to new countries completely alone, I remind myself that "life begins at the end of your comfort zone" and I've been having the most amazing time."

GEORGIA ROGERS
NIC BUSINESS STUDENT



"My co-op experience at Disney was phenomenal. I would go back in a second. I knew that I was going to experience a lot of culture but I didn't know how profoundly it was going to impact me."

BRIANNA FAUCHER
NIC TOURISM HOSPITALITY STUDENT

- Complete your NIC Business (Management/Marketing) OR Tourism and Hospitality Management Diploma, then complete year 3 of 4 year degree in the French Alps.
- International paid work experience with program advisory companies like Patagonia Europe, North Face France, Salomon, etc.

International Exchange

Immerse yourself in a new culture, language and study experience. Study one semester at one of the hundreds of NIC partners in Asia, Mexico, South America, Europe or the USA.

- All credit transfers back to NIC for your successful international study.
- Study in English – or the local language.
- Pay NIC tuition.

International Internship/Coop/Practicum

Combine study and paid international work experience in Japan, Ireland or France OR study and work at Disney World in Florida with the support of the University of California.

- Expand job opportunities and your international network all while earning course credit.
- Deepen your resume with valuable work experience internationally.

International Degree Completion

Complete a certificate, diploma or associate degree at NIC and transfer all/most credit and complete your degree internationally – normally paying tuition at your last institution.

- Opportunities include Culinary Business Operations Management Advanced Diploma to Limerick IT/IT Tralee, Ireland, and many more opportunities in Germany, Belgium, France, Scotland, USA and others.

SHORT TERM

Usually 2 to 8 weeks.

International Partner short summer programs

Culture, language, academic and other opportunities available.

Examples: Spirit of Europe, Public Health, UMAP Summer/Short Term (throughout Asia, Mexico, South America), various French, German, Japanese language programs.

NIC Field Schools

NIC faculty-led short programs (usually up to 6 weeks)

Field Schools are immersive short-term study experiences with other students led by NIC Faculty and they are normally delivered in the spring and summer.

Programs have been delivered in Nepal (Health), Jordan (Humanities), Greece (Humanities) and Philippines (Human Services).

Indigenous International

Comparative indigenous cultural learning as exchange or on short-term faculty-led programs in Hawaii, Brazil and other locations.

STUDY ABROAD AT NIC: FIND YOURSELF, ANYWHERE

Country/Region	Institution	City	Type of Study	Language of Study	UNIVERSITY STUDIES	BUSINESS	TOURISM & HOSPITALITY	FINE ART	DIGITAL DESIGN & DEV.	TRADES & TECHNOLOGY	HEALTH & HUMAN SERV.	CULINARY BUSINESS
Various (Greece, Nepal, Philippines)	NIC Field Schools	Various	Field school	English	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Asia Pacific (Asia, Pacific, Russia, South/Central America)	University Mobility in the Asia Pacific (UMAP)	35 different countries	Exchange	English, Various	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
Belgium	Karel de Grote University	Antwerp	Exchange, Global classroom	English	✓	✓			✓			
	University Colleges Leuven Limburg	Hasselt - Various	Exchange, Global classroom, Short term	English, French	✓	✓			✓		✓	
Brazil	IFAM Amazonas	Manaus	Indigenous focus, Exchange	Portuguese/English	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		
Chile	DUOC	Santiago - Various	Exchange	Spanish/English	✓	✓	✓					
Denmark	Absalon University	Copenhagen - Various	Exchange, Global classroom, Internship/work	English, Danish			✓				✓	
France	ISG	Paris	Exchange	English/French		✓						
	University of Burgundy	Dijon	Exchange, Short term	English/French	✓	✓	✓		✓			
	University of Savoie Mont Blanc	Annecy/Chambery/French Alps	Double degree, Exchange, Global classroom, Short term, WIL	English/French		✓	✓					
Germany	ISM	Dortmund	Exchange	English/German	✓	✓						
	SRH Heidelberg University	Heidelberg	Exchange, Global classroom, Short term	English/German	✓	✓	✓				✓	
Ireland	Institute of Technology Carlow	Carlow	Exchange, Degree completion, Global classroom, Master's degree completion	English	✓	✓						
	Institute of Technology Tralee	Tralee	Degree completion, Global classroom	English								✓
	Limerick Institute of Technology	Limerick	Exchange, Degree completion, Global classroom, Short term	English	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
Japan	Kyoto University of Foreign Studies	Kyoto	Exchange, Global classroom	English/Japanese	✓	✓	✓					
	Nagoya University of Foreign Studies	Nagoya	Exchange, Global classroom	English/Japanese	✓	✓	✓	✓				
	Canada Japan Coop Program (CJCP)	Japan - Various	Internship/work	English/Japanese		✓	✓					✓
Mexico	Universidad de Colima	Colima	Exchange, Global classroom	English/Spanish	✓	✓	✓				✓	
	Universidad Autonoma de Yucatan	Merida	Exchange	Spanish/English	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Norway	Inland Norway University	Lillehammer - Various	Exchange, Global classroom, Degree completion	English	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	
Philippines	Cebu Normal University	Cebu City	Exchange, Degree completion	English	✓	✓	✓	✓				
	Holy Angel University	Manila	Exchange, Degree completion	English	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Scotland	Robert Gordon University	Aberdeen	Degree completion, Global classroom, MDC, Exchange-TBC	English		✓	✓	✓				
USA	Kapi'olani Community College	Honolulu, Hawaii	Indigenous focus, Exchange. Global classroom	English	✓	✓	✓					
	Portland State University	Portland, Oregon	Degree completion, Global classroom, Exchange-TBC	English	✓	✓						
	University of California Riverside and Disney	Riverside, California & Orlando, Florida	Short term, Internship/work	English		✓	✓					
Vietnam	Saigon Tourist Hospitality College	Ho Chi Minh City	Exchange, Global classroom, Short term	English/Vietnamese		✓	✓					

80%

see career
benefit

*More than 80% of employers that hire graduates with international and intercultural experience say these recruits enhance their company's competitiveness.

*SOURCE: LEGER MARKETING EMPLOYER SURVEY FOR UNIVERSITIES CANADA, 2014



FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Financial Aid options are abundant for study abroad students participating in an international experience through NIC. Scholarships, bursaries, awards and student loans are made available for students once they have been approved for their study abroad activity.

READY TO APPLY

We're excited to provide support as you embark on your Study Abroad adventure.

Your first step is to contact us. We help you find the best destination and guide you through the approval process and financial aid options.

WE'RE HERE TO HELP

You don't need to have all the answers. Contact us:

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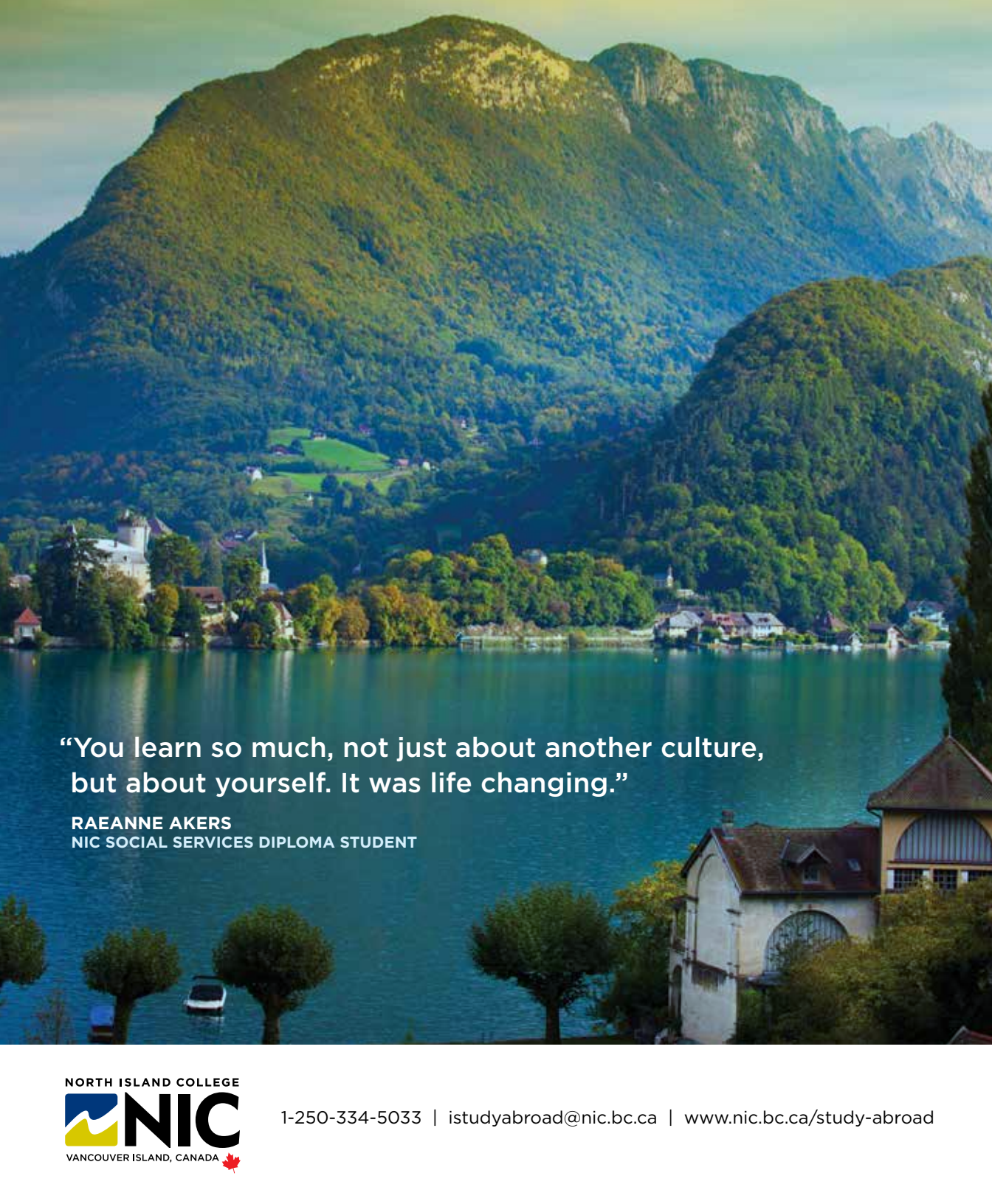
"When I was in Japan I was able to focus on what I really wanted to do, what I would enjoy doing – that led me to choose to become an English teacher."

JACOB TEICHRIB
NIC UBC TRANSFER
STUDENT

"The opportunity to go study abroad should never be overlooked. By living in another country and culture, you will receive some of the best riches life has to offer. From meeting new people and having places to travel within the country and even tasting new amazing food, there's no way you could regret studying abroad."

BENTLEY BARTH
NIC UVIC TRANSFER STUDENT





**“You learn so much, not just about another culture,
but about yourself. It was life changing.”**

RAEANNE AKERS
NIC SOCIAL SERVICES DIPLOMA STUDENT