



A Global Perspective

International Studies @ MCC



Study Abroad

Programs for Students

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Salzburg, Austria

San José, Costa Rica

Canterbury, England

Dijon, France

Carlow, Ireland

Seville, Spain





FY 2005 – 2009

- Approximately 7 MCC students participated in international programs.

1.75 students per year



FY 2010 – present

- 89 MCC students have participated in international programs.

9.89 students per year



Benefits of Study Abroad

Research shows that study abroad students...

- have a 25% higher starting salary
- are about 25% more likely to find a job within six months of graduation
- develop valuable skills for the modern job market, including adaptability to different environments
- are more satisfied with their jobs, thanks to their time studying abroad
- are exposed to new careers they had not previously considered



A person wearing a dark jacket and a beanie is hiking on a rocky mountain trail. They are holding a wooden walking stick in their right hand. The background features a vast, hazy mountain range under a clear blue sky with some light clouds. The foreground shows dry grass and large rocks.

Teaching Abroad & Exchange

Programs for Faculty

Teaching Abroad

Short-term | Full-term | Summer

- Lindsay Carson, Spanish Language
 - Costa Rica (2)
- Todd Culp, History & Political Science
 - England
- Bonnie Gabel, Speech
 - Ireland
- David White, History
 - Austria





+ China

- Ted Hazelgrove
 - English
- Tim Seitz (2)
 - Philosophy

+ Finland

- David White
 - History
- Steve Young
 - Philosophy



+ Netherlands

- Bob Mihelich
 - Applied Technology
- Stephen Mujeye
 - Networking
- Laura Power
 - English
- David White
 - History






Benefits of Teaching Abroad & Exchange

Faculty who teach abroad or participate in international exchanges...

- learn about new cultures and integrate that knowledge into their lesson plans, lectures, and assignments
- learn about new educational systems and are able to compare and contrast them with their own
- develop their content expertise and pedagogy
- make valuable international contacts
- transfer knowledge





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