

Program Types

Program Type	Program Description	Program Length	Quick Facts
Faculty-Led Study Abroad	Study abroad program led by UWG Faculty members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Usually summer/spring/break/short-term programs ranging from a couple weeks to a month. • Can also take place as a semester-long program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best for students who are new to study abroad or have never traveled before • In addition to tuition, students pay a Program Fee that includes accommodations, some meals, excursions, and usually airfare too. • Programs are usually college-specific and offer 3-6 credit hours
Exchange	Independent program in which a student studies at one of UWG's foreign partner universities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Duration is normally semester-long but some programs may be for a few months only • In some cases duration can be as long as one academic year 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best for students that want to live in another country and immerse themselves in that culture • Independent-style; longer period of time abroad • Students enroll and pay tuition to UWG as normal (as though they were on UWG campus) and pay housing/meals/living expenses to the foreign host institution • Most courses in exchange programs are taught in English, but students can also seek courses taught in foreign languages • Some programs focus on specific areas of study, while others are open to all majors
Direct Enroll	Study abroad program in which student identifies and enrolls in a foreign institution on their own	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Semester-long or more • Can take place at any time of the year 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best for students who seek a specific university abroad that does not share a formal relationship with UWG. • Students interact directly with host university administrators • Topics of study vary across institutions • Students enroll and pay tuition to the foreign institution • Credit hours may transfer by UWG. Students are encouraged to confirm course compatibility prior to studying abroad. • Students fully immerse themselves in the host culture and education system
Bootcamps	Short-term programs in which students travel independently to the foreign location	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-2 weeks, generally in the summer • Often targeted toward MBA students 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Topic-specific • Credits may not transfer to UWG • Students enroll and pay tuition to the foreign institution
Study Away	Domestic U.S. travel programs led by UWG faculty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summer (1-2 weeks) • Spring Break • Winter Break 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best for students that want to travel but would like to stay in the U.S. • Usually subject-specific