

STUDY ABROAD IN INDIA PROGRAMS

The mission of the Indus Foundation is to provide students of foreign universities with high-quality academic study abroad programs that foster intercultural development. Our vision for the future is a world filled with inter-culturally competent leaders who have both the understanding and skills to effectively, humanely, and positively navigate across different cultures, in politics, education, and business.

India is a country in South Asia. It is the 7th largest country in the world and second most populous. Four major world religions, Hinduism, Buddhism, Jainism and Sikhism originated here, while Islam, Christianity, Judaism and Zoroastrianism arrived in the first millennium C.E. and have shaped India's varied culture. India finally became a modern nation state in 1947 after a long struggle for independence. Although India has the second fastest growing economy in the world, it still battles poverty, illiteracy, and persistent malnutrition.

India's regions range from the Himalayan peaks of Ladakh to the desert kingdoms of Rajasthan to the bustling energy of Delhi and Mumbai to equatorial tropics of Kerala. India has tremendous biodiversity and is home to 6.7% of all mammals, 12% of apes, 6% of reptiles and 6% of all flowering plants on Earth.

On the societal side, India is the largest democracy in the world and has the world's largest Hindu population as well as the world's second largest Muslim population. Altogether, several hundred languages are spoken in India including twenty-five with over one million speakers. India is home to many World Heritage sites, including the Taj Mahal, Agra Fort, Humayun's Tomb, Fatehpur Sikri, Konark Sun Temple, Qutub Minar, Sanchi Stupa as well as countless castles, temples and pilgrimage points.

Over the last fifteen years, India has brought itself to the center stage of the world economy. India's engineering and technical strengths are legendary. India has become a powerhouse in software development and business process outsourcing and is making great strides in manufacturing and other high technology fields. There is no doubt that India will be a major economic force in the 21st century, though it will face significant challenges in developing infrastructure and spreading these economic gains to its still overwhelmingly rural population.

Today's competitive job market requires applicants to distinguish themselves, and international education experience is the perfect way to do so. Having international education experience is an incredible resume booster, as it shows prospective employers that the applicants are motivated, independent, and generally more qualified. Additionally, obtaining foreign language skills can make applicants eligible for a variety of jobs that they may have otherwise been unqualified for.

Students of the foreign universities are welcome to India. Studying abroad in India for a semester or year will give students a fresh perspective on themselves, India, the USA, and the world. By living in a foreign country such as India, students will constantly challenge themselves in many new and exciting ways and gain a level of independence they never knew they had. Studying abroad in India will expose them to diverse people and viewpoints, and they will get to experience a different way of life apart from their own country. They will be immersed in the language, culture, and people of the host country and will get to experience life as residents, not as mere tourists. While studying in India, they will also earn credit towards their current degree. The Foundation will arrange study abroad programs at graduate and post-graduate levels in high quality Indian institutions, which have facilities of international standards. Students of the foreign universities will get the most memorable study abroad experience possible.

Students will pay the regular tuition and fees, room and board expenses, to their parent institution. The foreign universities will pay an agreed amount to Indian institutions for providing tuition, room and board. International travel costs will be borne by the students.

Given below are the details of foreign Universities which are interested in having Study Abroad in India Programs in Collaboration with well-established Indian institutions. The text used is that of the concerned Universities.

American University in the Emirates, UAE

College of Business Administration, College of Media and Mass Communication, College of Computer Information Technology, College of Fine Arts and Design, College of Law, College of Education

American University of Sharjah, UAE

Yes. AUS is currently a member of International Student Exchange Programs (ISEP), Center for International Educational Exchanges (CIEE) and Academic Programs International (API) – but there are limited opportunities for our students in India. We would like to work with Indian Universities to develop English-language programs in Engineering, Architecture and Design, Business, and Arts & Sciences. We would also like to increase the number of study abroad students visiting AUS for one or two semesters as exchange/study abroad visiting students.

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

Yes, we are interested in examining this possibility.

Association of Vermont Independent Colleges (AVIC), USA

AVIC wishes to learn more about possible partner institutions for semester-long programs in many undergraduate fields. The programs could be cultural based or, preferably, major-related study abroad programs, particularly in the area of sustainable business practices. Landmark College is also interested in customized programs for students with learning disabilities.

Aston University, UK

Yes we are interested in developing customized study abroad in the following disciplines: Audiology, Biological Sciences, Biomedical Science, Optometry, Pharmacy and Psychology.

Bangkok University, Thailand

Yes, a ten-day education trip in April.

Bayero University, Nigeria

Are you interested in developing customized study abroad in India programs. If so, please provide basic information so that customized programs may be developed.

Yes. We are interested in sending staff members to Pursue Higher Degree Programs (PhD) in Computer Science, IT, Education, Medicine, Engineering, Science

Yes. PhD in Computer Science, IT

Bilkent University, Turkey

Yes. One or two semester study abroad for Physics mainly undergraduate.

Bowling Green State University, USA

Computer Science and many other areas. Short-term and long-term programs in all disciplines

California State University San Marcos, USA

Graduate MBA

Carleton University, Canada

Have organized already.

Champlain College, USA

Possibly at the undergraduate level in disciplines that might offer a value added for our students in business, creative media and film, or social work.

Yes, Semester programs for all academic majors and include courses on Indian Culture, business, Language etc.

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Cherkasy State Technological University, Ukraine

We also have international students from all over the world and would like out students to have such a possibility to study in India.

Clarkson University, New York

This may be especially interesting for our Global Supply Chain program. Our Careers/ Study Abroad office is more involved with this aspect.

College of Mount Saint Vincent, USA

Our College is interested in establishing a study abroad exchange program for undergraduates – our students may study 1 semester in India, undergrad students from India could study 1 or 2 semesters in NYC.

Colorado Heights University, USA

Intensive English, Business Administration

Comrat State University, Moldova

Our institution is interested in developing customized study abroad in India programs in such fields as foreign languages, Economics, Medicine, and International Affairs.

Concordia University, Canada

Already set up.

Cottey College, USA

International Relations, International Business

Cultural Vistas, USA

We work with universities in many countries in order to send US Students abroad to study and in turn. We support rich cultural experiences.

Dartmouth College, USA

We currently have a program connected to the University of Hyderabad

Digipen Institute of Technology, Singapore

Open to discussions

Drexel University, USA

undergraduate study abroad on quarter system, 10-week quarters with one week testing period students complete two quarters consecutive classes followed by two quarters co-op experience study abroad experiences conducted with international co-op opportunities are most desirable.

Eastern Washington University, USA

We are open to discussing potential opportunities.

FATEB - College of Telêmaco Borba, Brazil

We would also like to offer to our students the opportunity to extend their studies in India, enabling the possibility of internships and training programs.

Fayetteville State University, USA

Study Abroad programs focused on Management, Healthcare, Computer Science, Project Management, and Geographic Information Systems(GIS) where students visit institutions and participate in hands on exercises with Indian students pursuing education in similar fields.

Florida Agriculture And Mechanical University, USA

Teacher Education field / internship / clinical experiences in elementary and secondary education.

Florida Atlantic University, USA

We do not have plans for this at this time, but would like to explore our possible participation in these programs.

Fresno Pacific University, USA

3 -4 week short term study abroad programs to study culture, history, economics, and politics of India. Semester-long programs of study focusing on history, culture, religion, and economics of modern India.

Governors State University, USA

Ecological Research based Travel

Idaho State University, USA

Study Abroad Exchange of students involved in the Stem Fields

Indiana University-Purdue University, USA

Last year nearly 400 IUPUI students studied abroad in more than 30 countries. IUPUI has over 45 different study abroad programs. For more information visit <http://abroad.iupui.edu>

International Business School, Netherlands

Exchange agreements (1 or 2 semesters) for students (undergraduate business).

John Carroll University, USA

We are looking for partner institutions for semester - long programs in many undergraduate fields (mainly in the Liberal Arts and Business and Basic Science). 5-10 students per year.

Kansas City Art Institute, USA

We are interested in receiving more information from Indian bodies who organize Study Abroad in India in the fields of Animation, Art History, Ceramics, Creative Writing, Digital Filmmaking, Digital Media, Fiber, Graphic Design, Illustration, Painting, Photography, Printmaking, Sculpture, though we are not yet quite ready to begin working on these programs.

Kansas State University, USA

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Kent State University, USA

Yes. Semester-long experiences and 10 day experiences.

Kwantlen Polytechnic University, Canada

In the near future.

Liverpool John Moores University, UK

Yes.

Longwood University, USA

Would like to discuss potential programs.

Louisiana State University, USA

1-2 week MBA Study Abroad Trip.

McNally Smith College of Music, USA

We are interested in the possibility of study abroad programs in Music Performance, Recording Technology, Music Business, and Music Composition.

Mehmet Akif Ersoy University, Turkey

Information Technologies, Computer Engineering, Software Development

Monash University, Australia

May be.

Montana State University Billings, USA

Montana State University Billings is interested in Study Abroad possibilities. Founded in 1927, the university continues to nurture a longstanding tradition of educational access, teaching excellence, civic engagement and community enhancement in an urban setting. Every year, in the classroom and in the community, over 5000 students receive a well-rounded unique education and training in over 160 academic degree programs representing Associates, Bachelor's and Master's degrees awarded by the University's six colleges. Montana State University Billings is regionally accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities, and is a proud member of the public Montana University System.

Mount Royal University, Canada

Very interested. Undergraduate level students, short term and semester exchange.

National Aviation University, Ukraine

We are interested in the organization of vocational educational schools and practice for students. It is very important for us to develop and strengthen partnership between our countries.

National Open and Distance University (UNAD), Colombia

Professionals: Agriculture Business Administration 1 2 3 4 Social Communication Philosophy 5 6 7 Agro forestry Engineering Environment Food from 2010 Aug. 9 Systems Engineering, Telecommunication Engineering, Electrical Engineering, October 11 12 Bachelor Degree in Industrial Engineering in 13 etnoeducación (New resolution curriculum 2011) 14 Bachelor of Philosophy (pre 2010) 15 Bachelor of Philosophy (New resolution curriculum 2011) 16 Bachelor of Psychology EFL Zootecnia 17 18 Chemistry 19

Technicians and technologists: 1 Technician 2 Livestock Production Professional Technical Professional Oil Palm Production Technology 3 4 food technology Agro forestry Offer 2010 II 5 Audio Technology - E-Learning mode 6 7 Technology Systems Technology Electronics Technology Agricultural Technology Management 8 9 Commercial and Business management 10 Technology in Business Administration 11 community associations and organizations in Business Management Technology Livestock management Technology 12 Civil Works and Construction Technology management 13 Network - 14 E-Learning mode Technology in Transport management 15 Technology Industrial Management Technology in Agricultural Production 16 17 18 Animal Production Technology in Environmental Sanitation 19 20 21

Telecommunications Technology Industrial Technology Regency in Pharmacy MBA Organization Education Course, and / or law, human rights and / Information Sciences and Communication

New Mexico State University, USA

Yes

North-West University, Vaal Triangle Campus, South Africa

Yes.

Northwestern College and Media, USA

Again, yes but the opportunities will have to be evaluated on a case-by-case basis.

Oregon State University, USA

Unlikely at this time.

Pantheon Institute, Italy

Architecture for Cultural Heritage sites.

Phetchaburi Rajabhat University, Thailand

Yes.

Pontifical Catholic University of Rio De Janeiro, Brazil

Yes. My university already promotes study abroad programs in many different countries; adding India to our programs would enrich the offer. Ideally, such a program should focus on “Asian Studies from an Indian perspective”, including lectures in Asian/Indian culture(s), religion(s), economics and industrial development, etc.

Queens College, USA

Queens College is interested firstly in short term (winter and Summer Programs) and secondly in semester long programs in India. Courses that are offered in Humanities, Sciences and Social Sciences service learning and internships.

Rush University College of Nursing, USA

Yes. Community health, maternal-child health for graduate nursing and medical students

Sabaragamuwa University, Sri Lanka

Short term technology study hours.

Saint Augustine's College, USA

Saint Augustine's College is interested in investigating the option for study abroad in India programs. Our focus would initially be summer programs but eventually would expand to short term and semester programs. We want to offer our students low-cost options to experience Indian culture, learn new languages, and take full advantage of some of the best academic institutions in the world.

Saint Mary's University of Minnesota, USA

YES, individualized capstone and field studies in Master of Business Administration and MA in International Business Programs

Saint-Petersburg State University of Telecommunications, Russia

In principle, yes. Details - subject of discussion.

Samford University, USA

Yes – depending on faculty interest – History.

Saxion University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands

SAXION may be interested in the future, no current developments. A certain number of our students already conduct research in collaboration with Indian institutes.

Southern Illinois University, USA

In principle we are interested

Southern Illinois University-Carbondale, USA

Very interested in setting up Study Abroad programs for our MBA and MAcc students

Southern University and A&M College, USA

Southern University is interested in participating in a study abroad program in India. Since 1992 the university has entered into formal Memoranda of Understandings (MOU's) with universities in Mexico, Nicaragua, China, Malaysia, Uganda, Liberia, South Africa, The Gambia and Senegal, including a pending MOU with Fatih University in Turkey. The program offers study abroad, faculty exchange, international research, and teaching and project management and consultant opportunities. A unique

facet of the study abroad program is the combination of service learning with language acquisition. The study abroad program has a structure which includes a combination of language development and international service learning. The service learning approach helps students to understand the concept of putting service above self by giving something back and valuing the positive aspects of each countries own culture.

We form MOU's with universities which can help to provide credibility to the program and where possible, arrange for housing with host families. This reduces the cost significantly while increasing the participation in the host countries culture and strengthens language development. Southern University is also interested in having Indian students participate in study abroad programs on this campus. We have hosted many groups from our cooperating international universities.

Stella Maris Polytechnic, Liberia

Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Information Technology, Civil and Architecture Engineering, Social Work, Management and Environmental Science

Sultan Agung Islamic University, Indonesia

Yes.

Tel Aviv University, Israel

The University has a dedicated office that deals with institutional engagement and cooperation agreements. We are interested in a wide array of bi-directional exchange programs.

Temple University, USA

Temple has the largest international campus of any American university, located in Japan. We also have extensive collaborations in China, India, Israel, Italy, and UK, to name a few.

Tennessee State University, USA

Science, Technology, Agriculture & Engineering Programs

Texas Christian University, USA

Film, Digital Media, Interior Desing, Environmental Studies and Business.

The University of Montana, USA

Yes. Summer courses for MBA students with an emphasis on International Business, Forestry and Natural Resource Conservation, Environmental Sciences, Creative Writing, and Others

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA

I'm interested in learning more about partnering with an Indian institution in this area.

Tufts University, USA

We are potentially interested in a study abroad program for our undergraduate juniors at an institution with comparable academic standards.

Universidad Europea De Madrid, Uem, Spain

Yes (Social Sciences, Architecture, Engineering, Sports, Arts & Communications, Health and Biomedics).

University of Arkansas, USA

Accounting / Economics / Finance / Information Systems / Management / Marketing / Supply Chain

University of Baltimore, USA

Yes – Business

University of Business and International Studies, Switzerland

Yes, Dual MBA, Bridge MBA, summer camps, certificate programs

University of California, USA

Yes. Top 10 schools only

University of Cape Town, South Africa

I'd certainly be interested in exploring the possibilities.

University of Central Arkansas, USA

Interested in developing semester exchanges and / or study abroad programs of a semester in duration. Concentrating on areas of Business, Computer Sciences and the Liberal / Fine Arts.

Psychology, Film, Liberal Arts, Science, Leadership, Business, Film and Photography

University of Ibadan, Nigeria

We are interested in study abroad programmes for undergraduate and graduate students in Medicine, IT and Business Studies. We also would like our graduate students in Earth and Life Sciences will also participate in Study Abroad Programmes in India.

University of Johannesburg, South Africa

Study abroad programs for a semester and short learning programs.

Our study abroad programmes are located in South Africa however programmes can be developed to suit the Indian student market in South Africa.

University of Nottingham, UK

Perhaps in Chemistry

University of Oregon, USA

We currently offer study abroad programs for our students in Choglamsar, Dehli, Dharamsala, Hyderabad, Jaipur. These programs are offered by third study abroad providers SIT and CIEE.

University of Rochester, USA

We currently have programs organized through consortia, but we would be interested in exploring the possibility of establishing direct programs, as part of a larger partnership agreement with and India University.

University of St Andrews, UK

- Hosting incoming students on short courses of language and study skills as foundations for entry to degrees
- Undergraduate and postgraduate exchanges in Modern Indian History, politics and culture- 19th and 20th Centuries
- Computer Science- may be some interest, particularly in internships with Indian companies and research institutes (at undergraduate level)

University of Uyo, Nigeria

ICT, Software Engineering, Petroleum and Gas Engineering, Mechatronics, Space Technology, Electrical / Computer Engineering

University of Virginia, USA

This is a possibility, as yet unexplored

University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, USA

We are interested in setting up study abroad programs in India. They could either be semester to a year long programs or short term study abroad programs. They could either be cultural based or preferable major related study abroad programs.

University of Wyoming, USA

Yes, we currently have two faculty – led short-term courses in India in the fields of Art and Women's studies. We welcome the chance to discuss expanding these or adding similar programs in other fields, possibly religious studies or international business.

West Texas A & M University, USA

West Texas A&M University has been engaged in study abroad in India for many years, led by our Dean of Education. We would be interested in expanding opportunities for our students to study in India with an emphasis on encouraging mutual understanding and developing cross-cultural understanding. Currently, the University is evaluating funding opportunities for study abroad in connection with the Obama-Singh 21st Century Knowledge Initiative.

West Virginia University, USA

Visual Arts, World Music, Summer programs for 2-4 weeks, Semester program August 20-December 10 + January 15 – May 6

WVU Institute of Technology, USA

WVU Tech would like to explore partnerships for Internships courses for students in Accounting, Business Management, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Electronic Engineering Technology, Engineering Technology (Civil, Environmental, and Mechanical Emphases).