YOUR PATH TO A SEMESTER ABROAD

THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION AT ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY



- Explore available <u>study abroad</u> <u>programs</u> at St. John's!
- Meet with your regular academic advisor to determine when it would be best for you to study abroad and what courses you may want to reserve for your time abroad.

"My application has been approved-what's next?"



- Electronically sign the following 4 forms: Assumption of Risk and Release, Authorization for Medical Treatment, Student Code of Conduct, and Semester Programs Confirmation Form.
- Complete the following 3
 questionnaires: Health Disclosure,
 Emergency Contact, and Passport
 Information.
- Pay the \$250 non-refundable deposit online and email confirmation of payment to studyabroad@stjohns.edu Details about submitting your deposit online are available in your OIE portal.
- Review financial aid support, scholarship opportunities, and discuss expenses with your family. The OIE website provides relevant resources to assist in these conversations.



The Application Process "How do I get started"?

- Open an application for the study abroad program of your choice and become familiar with your OIE portal at studyabroad.stjohns.edu
- Don't forget to submit your required course selection questionnaire to complete your application.



Pre-Departure Preparation

"Do I need a visa to study abroad?"

American passport holders studying abroad in one country for more than 90 days (i.e. Discover Italy/Discover France) need a visa. Visit OIE's <u>Apply for an Entry Visa</u> page for more information about visas for all types of passport holders.

"What about registering for study abroad classes"?

OIE will email confirmed study abroad students with full instructions on registering for overseas courses.

"What other pre-departure requirements are there?"

See below for a list of items you need to complete:

- Questionnaires: Arrival Flight Itinerary, Roommate Preference, Passport Upload, and International Phone Number Form.
- Online orientation assessments: Complete 8 learning modules and score 100% on each module's quizzes.
- Attend the Cultural Mentorship Program (CMP): As part of the CMP, students will attend a workshop that explores the basics of intercultural communication, managing culture shock, and developing goals for their study abroad experiences.
- Some programs may require additional questionnaires, so be sure to complete every item listed in your OIE study abroad portal.



