Education Abroad
2015-2016 Study Abroad Snapshot

1,182
Total number of University of Alabama students who studied abroad for academic credit between Fall 2015 – Summer 2016. **1,254** including non-credit programs.

Top 10 Countries:
1. Spain
2. England
3. Italy
4. Germany
5. France
6. Cuba
7. Belgium
8. Austria
9. New Zealand
10. China

Students visited more than 55 countries

Study Abroad by Region

Europe 63%
Asia 6%
Africa 7%
Central America 6%
North America 1%
South America 3%
West Indies 6%
Around the World 1%
Australia/New Zealand 6%

Study Abroad by Program Type
1. UA Faculty Led (58%)
2. Affiliate (28%)
3. Non-UA Affiliate (9%)
4. Exchange (2%)
5. UA Internship (1%)
6. Affiliate Internship (1%)
7. Direct Enroll (1%)

Students participated in more than 280 unique programs

Top 10 Majors (incl. 2nd major)
1. Chemical Engineering (71 stu.)
2. Nursing (68 stu.)
3. Public Relations (64 stu.)
4. Finance (62 stu.)
5. Political Science (54 stu.)
6. Accounting (36 stu.)
7. International Studies (48 stu.)
8. Biology (44 stu.)*
9. Business Admin. (44 stu.)*
10. Psychology (41 stu.)

Interesting facts:

- **100+** different majors/academic programs were represented in 2015-2016
- Study abroad students had a **3.58** average GPA.
- **810** students spent their summer studying abroad
- **70%** of those who studied abroad were women
- **52%** of those who studied abroad were Honors students.
- The **UA in Oxford: English, History and Honors** program was the largest faculty led program with **40** participants.
- **34%** of study abroad students are Alabama residents

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Study Abroad by Ethnicity

Financial Aid Students who Studied Abroad ‘15-’16

Scholarship Students who Studied Abroad ‘15-’16

Top 10 Travel Registration Countries
(non-credit programs registered through EA office)

1. Nicaragua 6. Greece
2. Honduras 7. Belize
3. Peru 8. Brazil
4. South Africa 9. India
5. Cuba 10. Italy

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