



Education Abroad

2019-2020 Study Abroad Snapshot

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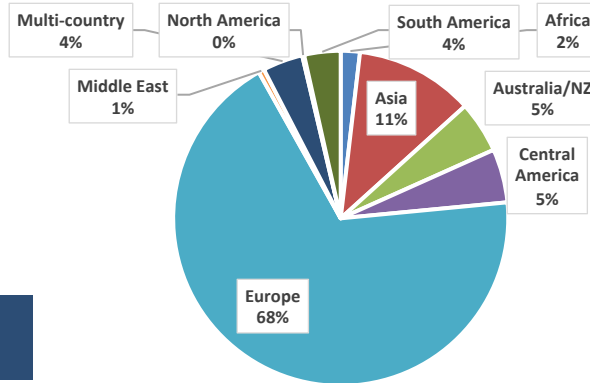
The Covid-19 pandemic caused a decrease (64%) in the total number of University of Alabama students who studied abroad (or participated in virtual abroad programs) **for academic credit** between Fall 2019 – Summer 2020. **572** students including those who participated in non-credit programs.

Top 10 Countries*

1. Multi-country
2. Spain
3. Italy
4. Ireland
5. UK
6. Scotland
7. Australia
8. Denmark
9. Germany
10. Costa Rica

More than 40 countries were represented

* Virtual program participation make up 25% of country and regional data

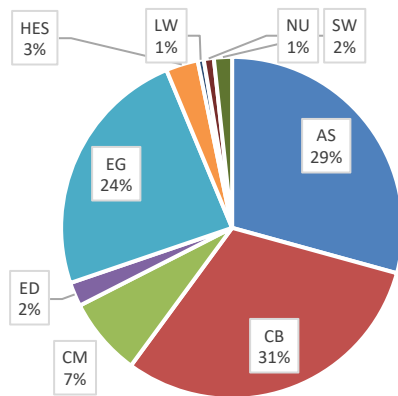


Study Abroad by Region*

Study Abroad by Program Type

1. Affiliate (43%)
2. UA Faculty Led (34%)
3. Exchange (7%)
4. Non-UA Affiliate (6%)
5. Internships UA & Non-UA (5%)
6. Direct Enroll (4%)

Students participated in more than 193 unique programs



Study Abroad by College

Top 10 Majors

(incl. 2nd major)

1. Chemical Engr (52 stu.)
2. Business Adm. (38 stu.)
3. Marketing (32 stu.)
4. Political Sci (29 stu.)
5. Finance (28 stu.)
6. Spanish (22 stu.)
7. Accounting (21 stu.)
8. Biology (21 stu.)
9. Mech. Engr (21 stu.)
10. Psychology (20 stu.)

COVID-19 Response

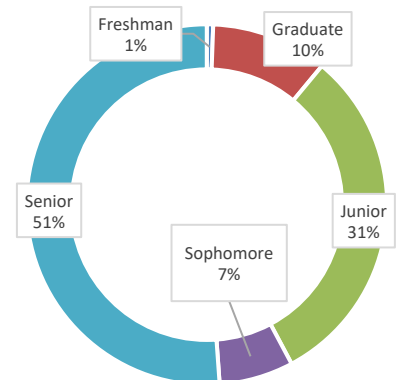
The COVID-19 pandemic brought unprecedented challenges to the Education Abroad (EA) office during the 2019-2020 academic year.

As the pandemic halted travel worldwide, EA responded by supporting our Spring and Summer students through the challenges.

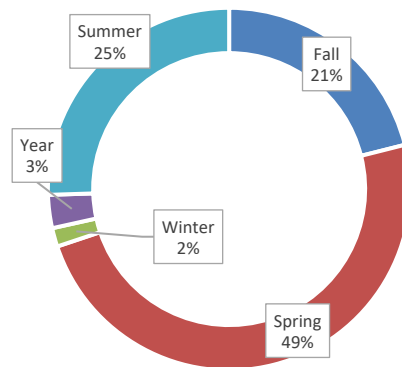
- **268** students had programs disrupted mid-semester (Spring 2020 and AY 19-20)

In collaboration with partners on campus, and around the world, the EA team supported students in arranging their return to the U.S., finishing their semester remotely and navigating the reimbursement procedures of the sudden cancellation or interruption of their study abroad experience.

- **1,030** students had spring break and summer programs canceled in advance (**762** faculty led and **280** provider programs)
- **12** faculty-led programs, supporting **138** students pivoted to virtual programming for Summer 2020



Study Abroad by Class

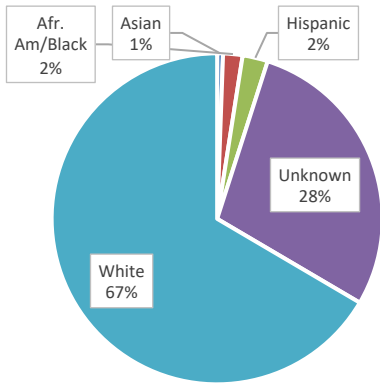


Study Abroad by Term

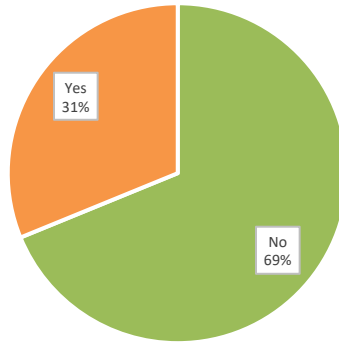


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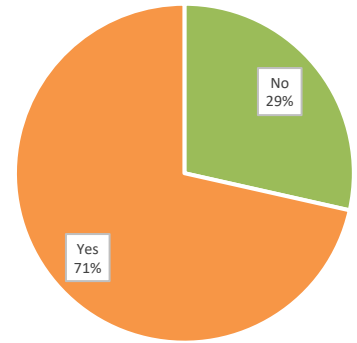
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Study Abroad by Ethnicity



Financial Aid Students who studied abroad 19-20



Scholarship Students who studied abroad 19-20

Top Travel Registration Countries

(non-credit programs registered through EA office)

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| 1. Costa Rica | 6. France |
| 2. Canada | 7. India |
| 3. Germany | |
| 4. Japan | |
| 5. United Kingdom | |

Interesting facts:

- **66%** of those who studied abroad are women.
- **21%** of students were Alabama residents.
- **58%** of those who studied abroad were Honors students.
- Study abroad students had a **3.63** average GPA.

Past 20 years of Study Abroad (for credit) at UA

