STUDY ABROAD



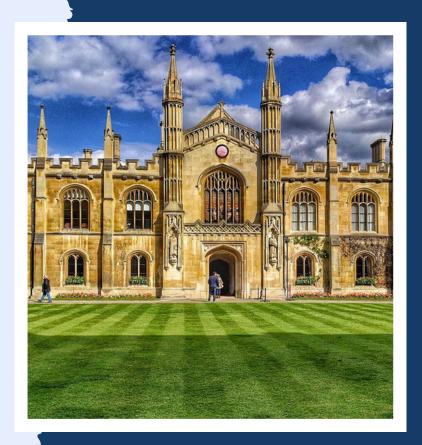
Fellowships Advising & Study Abroad

- You can Study Abroad your junior or senior year at Caltech.
 Applications start the year before (sophomore or junior year).
- Most programs are in the fall term. Cambridge is only program in Winter.
- You can only study abroad one term while you are at Caltech.
- Some programs are longer then the Caltech term but you will be back in time to start the next term
- You will get CIT housing when you return



PROGRAM LOCATIONS

- CAMBRIDGE
- UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON
- UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH
- DANISH TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY
- UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN
- UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE
- ECOLE POLYTECHNIQUE (FRANCE)
- UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO



APPLYING

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE JANUARY 25, 2026

APPLICATION INCLUDES:

- APPLICATION FORM
- PERSONAL ESSAY
- PROGRAM FIT AND COURSE LIST
- 2-3 REFERENCE LETTERS
- TRANSCRIPT





MINIUM REQUIRED GPA

- Cambridge 3.6 overall, 3.7 in option
- University College London 3.3 overall, Bio/Biomed min 3.5, CS min 4.0
- University of Edinburgh 3.0 overall
- Danish Technical University 3.0 overall
- University of Copenhagen 3.0 overall
- University of Melbourne 3.0 overall
- Ecole Polytechnique 3.3 overall
- University of Chicago 3.5 overall

Ecole Polytechnique (French) is the only school with a language requirement. Language assessment is given by our Caltech French teacher on campus.



BENEFITS OF STUDY ABROAD

- Access unique courses—take classes not offered at Caltech, including humanities, social sciences, and specialized STEM topics
- Engage in global scientific collaboration research doesn't stop at borders, and neither should you
- Have an unforgettable experience—explore new cultures, travel, and make lifelong memories while studying in an exciting new and historical setting
- Strengthen your application to fellowships, grad school or jobs—study abroad/away can demonstrate initiative, adaptability, and Broader Impacts in STEM





FINANICAL

- Students will pay all Caltech fees for the term they are abroad
- Caltech fees cover most of study abroad including housing.
- Some locations do have increased costs for housing or tuition
- Study abroad works with financial aid for those who receive aid
- Flights to and from study abroad locations are not covered.



GETTING CREDIT

- All classes are approved by CIT professors before students go abroad.
- Once students are back from their time abroad they will meet with their CIT professor who will grant them credit.
- Credit is granted, a letter grade is not recorded.
- Credit can be given as general credit, elective credit or course equivalent credit depending on what is agreed to and the work you do









We have many more info sessions coming up where we will dive deeper into each one of these topic

In December and January will have walk in hours

GREAT THINGS ABOUT STUDY ABROAD



"My six months away from Caltech were an adventure. The work-life balance I attained abroad not only increased the quantity of my new experiences but the enjoyment and excitement I brought to my studies and research. Living away from Caltech gave me a needed perspective on my senior year: I've gained eye-opening experiences outside of the Los Angeles bubble, and on the other hand, I've learned to appreciate the community and curriculum that I have here at Caltech." - Jessie Gan on experience at Edinburgh



"If you're considering studying abroad, especially at Cambridge, I can't recommend Michaelmas enough. The term is packed with opportunities to meet people, and the traditions – like matriculation dinner and college chapel services – give you a sense of history that's hard to find anywhere else. Between the lively social life, academic depth, and beautiful surroundings, Cambridge offers an unforgettable experience that's both enriching and fun." – Jena Alsup on experience at Cambridge









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QUESTIONS?



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