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Sydney Opera House



Mirabell Gardens,
Salzburg



La Paz Waterfall Garden,
Costa Rica



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Study Abroad

Looking for adventure while continuing your education? It's closer than you think. Rend Lake College offers courses abroad in locations as diverse as Australia, Austria, Costa Rica and England.

Study abroad opportunities allow students to live and attend school in new cultures. These total immersion experiences require the student to live abroad in a family setting for one semester. Various opportunities are available for Fall and Spring semesters and Summer term.

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

International College of Management, Sydney
Summer Term / Approximate Cost: \$5,000

This four-and-a-half week program is designed to give participants an immersion experience in the history and culture of Australia. Students will have the opportunity to learn from an expert in Australian history and immersion in an environment of historic, cultural, and environmental sights. Instruction related to this program will entail both classroom instruction on the ICMS campus and numerous field trips and immersion experiences.

Voted the world's best city by the international "Travel & Leisure Magazine," Sydney is situated on the southeast coast of Australia and is the capital of the state of New South Wales. The Sydney Opera house is a global landmark and venue for world class performances; the Art Gallery of New South Wales is one of the world's

top art museums and includes a number of Asian, Australian and Aboriginal collections not seen elsewhere. For those who enjoy the outdoors, the Sydney area is home to several ocean beaches, the Royal Botanical Gardens, and many other areas for recreation.

SALZBURG, AUSTRIA

Salzburg College
Spring or Fall / Approximate Cost: \$13,000

Salzburg is considered by many to be one of the most beautiful cities in Europe. With a population of about 140,000, it is situated on the northern edge of the eastern Alps and close to the German border. It is surrounded by picturesque mountains and is near the famous lake district. The city itself mirrors a thousand years of European history and culture. Its rich musical heritage is reflected in a great variety of concerts and other musical events throughout the year.

All Illinois students are expected to study German while in Salzburg. Other courses will be offered in English. As part of your course work, field trips to Germany and other parts of Austria will be offered. An optional trip to Vienna also is available. The Salzburg College Study Center features classrooms, offices, an extensive library, lounge & dining rooms, music practice spaces, a photo lab, an art studio, and a fabulous view of the city.

Approximate costs include tuition, room and board, books and educational tours

SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA

Forester Instituto Internacional
Summer Term / Approximate Cost: \$3,500

Are you a serious student of Spanish? If so, Costa Rica's sunny beaches, cool mountains, and lively cities might be the perfect place to improve your skills! For one month you will live with a local family while attending classes and field trips at the Forester Instituto Internacional.

This five-week program provides a total immersion experience through intensive language classes at the Forester Institute, family home stays and excursions to such places as Manuel Antonio National Park, Arenal Volcano and La Paz Waterfall Gardens. Costa Rica is a peaceful and democratic country. Its capital, San José, enjoys year-round temperatures in the 70s and is the cultural center of the country with its breathtaking National Theatre, museums, galleries and shops.

CANTERBURY, ENGLAND

Christ Church University College
Spring or Fall / Approximate Cost: \$8,000

Canterbury has all the charm of one of England's oldest and most historic cities. Still surrounded in many places by medieval walls, it is rich in historical buildings and associations with the past. The visitor is constantly reminded that here is the cradle of Christianity and that from Roman times to the present day, travelers to and from the continent of Europe have passed through it.

Rend Lake College students register at RLC for four three-hour credit classes

from this list: 1) Modern Britain; 2) either British History or British Literature; and 3) two or more electives from this list: Drawing I; Introduction to Shakespeare; American Literature from 1865; Principles of Marketing; World Religions; Ethics; or Social Psychology.

Several cultural visits will be made to locations such as London, Stonehenge, Bath, Stratford Upon Avon, and Hever Castle.

ELIGIBILITY

Spending a semester abroad is a very serious academic undertaking. For this reason, we ask that all students participating in the Costa Rica, England, or Austria program meet these criteria:

- The completion of 12 credit hours of college work
- A 2.75 grade point average on a 4.0 scale

If you are a senior citizen who has not previously attended college, please contact the International Studies office to discuss other eligibility criterion.

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