Literary Studies – Off Campus Study

More information: Office of International Education: oie@beloit.edu  http://www.beloit.edu/oie/

Study Abroad

Note: Literature courses are offered in almost every university abroad. In addition to teaching the literature of their own country and region, many universities routinely offer English, Irish and American literature courses that may give students a different viewpoint.

Australia – ISEP: Macquarie University, Sydney
Language: English
Prereqs: 2.5 gpa, 3.0 for internship; previous coursework in field to qualify for advanced courses.
Housing: On campus residence halls/off-campus apartments, students provide own meals.
Details: Study with local students; course choice from a wide range of departments; several creative writing courses within the departments of English, Critical and Cultural Studies, and Media; many literature courses including Australian literature; orientation and a guide to Sydney on line; internships possible, volunteer opportunities available.

Hong Kong - Lingnan University, Hong Kong, China
Language: English
Prereqs: Previous coursework with an Asian focus.
Housing: Shared room in campus student hostel, students provide own meals.
Details: Study at the only Chinese liberal arts college with local and international students; live in a major international commerce center; basic Cantonese available; wide range of social sciences and humanities courses, no natural science; students encouraged to take classes in Cultural Studies; contemporary drama, poetry, literature including works from western and Chinese writers; excellent campus facilities; many student activities, excursions.
https://www.beloit.edu/oie/off_campus/find_program/beloit/

Hungary – Eötvös Collegium, Budapest
Language: English, Hungarian language class.
Prereqs: Hungarian language and culture course strongly recommended.
Housing: Live in the Collégium, honors college of Eötvös University, with Hungarian students, students provide own meals.
Details: Study with program students, courses in Hungarian language, history, art and culture, research seminar and a directed individual research project; museum project possible; option of a literature course in the Anglo-American Workshop; other university courses available; rich cultural environment; orientation to the city.
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India – ISEP: University of Hyderabad
Language: English, with language study in most Indian languages.
Prereqs: junior or senior standing, 3.0 gpa; previous coursework relative to the understanding of India.
Housing: Single or double room on-campus, shared bath; meal plan;
Details: One of India’s newest, smallest (2000 students) and best-equipped university campuses; study with Indian and international students; Study in India Program (SIP) courses for visiting students including dance and women’s studies, comparative literature, Indian English literature, contemporary Indian poetry; courses in Sanskrit as well as directed field studies offer opportunities to explore this historic and changing nexus of Islam and Hinduism; orientation, access to campus sports and cultural programs. http://www.isep.org/students/Directory/member_site.asp?CSID=249&ID=334

Ireland – National University of Ireland – Galway
Language: English
Prereqs: 3.0 gpa, previous coursework in your field
Housing: Residence halls arranged through accommodation office, students provide own meals.
Details: Hosting 600 US students a year, you will be able to take courses with students from Ireland and around the world; visiting students in English select courses from the second and third year literature program courses: romanticism to modern Irish literature; strong programs in Celtic civilization, Classical civilizations and languages; see website for course selection.
http://www.nuigalway.ie/international/

South Africa – ISEP: Stellenbosch University, Stellenbosch
Language: English, with language courses in Afrikaans or Xhosa
Prereqs: previous coursework relative to the understanding of South Africa
Housing: on-campus facilities, stipend provided for meals.
Details: Stellenbosch is an historically Afrikaans university located near Cape Town and offers many courses in English on South African topics: literature, public theology, music, art, economic development problems, the Truth and Reconciliation
Turkey – Yeditepe University, Istanbul

**Exchange, spring or academic year**

**Language:** English

**Prereqs:** Previous coursework relative to the understanding of Turkey.

**Housing:** Shared rooms with bath, mini refrigerator and phone in University residence halls; linens are provided; students provide own meals at university cafeterias, snack bars and restaurants.

**Details:** Study in English with local and international students; courses from wide range of university offerings including the faculties of arts and sciences, fine arts including theatre, and economics and political science; university located on the European side of Istanbul in the heart of the city; easy access to public transportation.

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United Kingdom – Lancaster University, Lancaster, England

**Fall 10-week term plus pre-session course, spring & summer terms**

**Language:** English

**Prereqs:** Minimum cum 2.8 gpa and in subjects relevant to your study plan.

**Housing:** On campus accommodation with local and international students; shared kitchens; options for meals.

**Details:** Fall term students arrive early and choose from 2 courses (each worth 4 semester hours) with field trips and orientation; choose from regular university courses in science, social science and the humanities, women’s and gender studies and film; creative writing courses include a creative writing workshop, short fiction, poetry and writing for the screen; shopping on the university campus outside of Lancaster, easy access to town.

[http://www.lancs.ac.uk/users/international/exchprog.htm](http://www.lancs.ac.uk/users/international/exchprog.htm)

United Kingdom – University of East Anglia, Norwich

**Fall, spring**

**Language:** English

**Prereqs:** None

**Housing:** single-occupancy dorm rooms with shared kitchens. Students prepare meals themselves.

**Details:** Extensive course options in creative writing, including prose, drama and poetry; the UEA Literary Festival features weekly lectures by published writers; prestigious alumni of the program include Ian McEwen.

**Website:** [http://www.uea.ac.uk/lit](http://www.uea.ac.uk/lit)

United Kingdom – University of Glasgow, Glasgow, Scotland

**Fall, spring**

**Language:** English

**Prereqs:** 3.0 gpA, previous study in your field, coursework relative to the understanding of Scotland

**Housing:** University assists students find housing in halls of residence or student flats, students provide own meals.

**Details:** University has switched to a semester system; study with local and international students, wide variety of first and second year courses available, third year courses possible in major with background; classes for study abroad students in: arts, sciences, information and mathematical sciences, business and social sciences; lectures and tutorials, some art classes available in the Glasgow School of Art; courses in English and Scottish literature, Celtic civilization; some year-long classes not open to spring semester students; study with local and international students.

[http://www.gla.ac.uk/international/studyabroadprogramme/futurestudents/](http://www.gla.ac.uk/international/studyabroadprogramme/futurestudents/)

United Kingdom – ISEP: University of Ulster, 4 campuses, N. Ireland

**Spring, academic year**

**Language:** English

**Prereqs:** Previous coursework relative to the understanding of Northern Ireland.

**Housing:** Varies by campus: apartments, residence halls or student houses; meal stipend or provide own meals

**Details:** Courses in peace studies, policy studies, life sciences, informatics, engineering, mathematics, Irish studies, English literature, economics, law and applied social studies; the Coleraine campus offers specialty courses in literature including Genres of Writing, Writing and Editing, Irish Story Telling and Irish Women’s Writers; study with local students.


Recent literary studies majors have studied on ACM programs in Florence and Tanzania; through Beloit College in China, Ecuador, France, Germany, Hungary, Japan, Russia and Turkey; programs through other providers in Australia, England, India, Ireland, Jamaica, Peru and Scotland. Students are also encouraged to work with a Beloit faculty advisor on a special project tailored to their literary interests in any study abroad location.

**Domestic programs**

**ACM: Chicago Arts, Chicago**

**Fall, spring**

**Prereqs:** Junior or senior standing preferred, approval through campus selection process, previous coursework relating to an arts discipline (including audio, literature, communication, performance, visual arts).
**Housing**: Program students housed in double rooms in apartments with cooking facilities located in Chicago neighborhoods; students provide own meals.

**Details**: Study with ACM program students; 4 units of credit: a city-centered Core Course, a choice of Seminar course topics; an internship connecting academics to the world of work; an independent study project related to the student’s academic goals, often linked to the internship.  
[http://www.acm.edu/Chicago](http://www.acm.edu/Chicago)

**ACM: Newberry Seminar: Research in the Humanities**  
**Fall**

**Prereqs**: Junior or Senior status; preparing serious research in the Humanities

**Housing**: Canterbury Court Apartments, downtown Chicago, students provide own meals.

**Details**: Work with faculty members to delve into the collection of the Newberry Library in Chicago; the Library's collections focus on the civilizations of Western Europe and the Americas from the late middle ages to the early 20th century; designed for mature and motivated students.  
[http://www.acm.edu/newberry/index.html](http://www.acm.edu/newberry/index.html)

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