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Fall Study Abroad Deadline Extended to April 15

There's still time to apply to study abroad this fall! The International Programs Office is extending the application and study abroad scholarships deadline to April 15th for the following programs:


- **Australia:** [Federation University](#) (4 affordable exchange spots available)
- **Australia:** [Griffith University](#)
- **Costa Rica:** [Universidad Veritas](#)
- **Egypt:** [American University in Cairo](#) (affordable exchange spots available for all applicants)
- **Germany:** [Fulda University](#) (affordable exchange spots available for all applicants)
- **Spain:** [University of Salamanca](#)
- **U.K.:** [Anglia Ruskin University](#) (1 affordable exchange spot available)
- **U.K.:** [London Metropolitan University](#)

All details are available on the program pages linked above.
Questions? Contact studyabroad@cortland.edu.

Student Trip to Rosamond Gifford Zoo

April 23, 2022 12:30p.m. - 5:30p.m.

Attention International Students: Join us for a trip to the Rosamond Gifford Zoo in Syracuse, NY on Saturday, April 23. The bus will leave Corey Union at 12:30pm and West Campus at approximately 12:40pm and we'll depart the zoo at approximately 4:15pm. The cost for the trip is \$3. Sign up on Cortland Connect and stop by the office to pay the registration fee. The deadline to sign up is Tuesday April 19. According to their website, "The zoo is home to more than 700 animals representing 216 different species -- from tiny poison dart frogs to 8,000-pound Asian elephants -- many of them threatened or endangered. The zoo actively collaborates with its non-profit partner, Friends of the Zoo, to provide visitors with experiences that excite, memories that endure and knowledge that inspires global wildlife conservation."



ZOO TRIP
APRIL 23 | 12:30 - 5:30

When is the last time you went to the Zoo? When you were a child?

Cost per student: \$3

Come and join us for a Zoo trip at the *Rosamond Gifford Zoo* in Syracuse. Sign up on Cortland Connect or stop by the IPO Office by Tuesday April 19.

THIS EVENT IS PAID FOR IN PART BY AN OAS GRANT.

University College Cork Information Session

Wednesday April 13 at 4p.m.



After a two year pause due to the pandemic, we are excited to have students return to Ireland, a beautiful country with a rich past and a very warm and welcoming culture. On Wednesday, April 13 at 4 p.m. in Old Main, Room G-12, we will have an information session given by Maggie Cardosi, the North American Representative of University College Cork. Maggie will go into detail about what it is like to study in Ireland and the wide variety of courses available, and Hugh Anderson will breakdown the application process and deadlines for Spring or Summer 2023 and beyond. An international student from University College Cork will be in attendance to give her perspective on the differences and similarities between U.S. and Irish study.

A special meeting for students who have been accepted to study at University College Cork for this summer and fall will be held immediately after the information session concludes at 5 p.m.

Interested students and faculty are encouraged to attend! Questions? Contact studyabroad@ucork.ie or check out our [University College Cork Program Page](#).

Study Abroad 101

Are you interested in studying abroad but don't know where to start? Find out how to search for programs, courses to take abroad, understand program costs and more! Study Abroad 101 takes place every Wednesday at 3p.m.

You only need to attend one session to get started on your study abroad journey!

Old Main, Room 220 (Colloquium) on 1/26, 2/9, 2/23, 3/9, 3/23, 4/6, and 5/4.

Corey Union, Room 209 on 2/2.

Old Main, Room 209A on 4/20.

Virtually in the [IPO Remote Advising Room](#) on 2/16, 3/2, 3/30, 4/13, and 4/27.

Special Transfer Student Session on Tuesday, March 29 at 3 p.m. in Old Main, Room 220 (Colloquium)

View a [Recorded Version of Study Abroad 101 \(25 Minutes\)](#).



Pre-Departure Orientation for Summer / Fall 2022

The longstanding tradition is back! The in-person orientation that prepares students to study abroad will return on Saturday, April 23 in Sperry, Room 104 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. The orientation will gather all SUNY Cortland students that have been accepted to study abroad this summer and fall. Topics include travel tips, health and safety, arrival procedures, the differences (and similarities) between courses in Cortland and courses taken abroad, and more. Food will be provided, and accepted students will have the chance to be interviewed for a video that will follow Cortland students as they get ready for the life-changing experience that studying abroad offers. Check the next edition of the IPO newsletter for a recap of the orientation and to bid bon voyage to our students!

Intern with an International Organization in NYC through New Paltz's Global Engagement Program!

Over the past several years, SUNY Cortland students have enjoyed participating in the semester-long Global Engagement Program (GEP) in New York City. SUNY New Paltz, which runs the program, is currently accepting applications through April 22. The GEP provides a fully integrated learning experience that includes:

- internship in which students work 20-25 hours per week at a relevant international organization (6-9 credits)
- weekly seminar on international affairs that integrates the students' internship work experience (3 credits)
- research colloquium through which students conduct an original study related to their internship field (3 credits)

Students still have time to apply, with a deadline of April 22. This program is a great choice for students who may prefer to study closer to home but have a culturally enriching experience.

SUNY New Paltz will be hosting an information session on Friday, April 8 at 3 p.m. via WebEx. Students can register here. If faculty are interested in scheduling a virtual information session or class visit, please contact the SUNY New Paltz GEP coordinators at gep@newpaltz.edu.

Fulda Transnational Governance and Human Rights scholarship

Fulda University, a partner school of SUNY Cortland, is offering a generous scholarship for Fall 2022 study abroad. The scholarship will be awarded to an applicant for the Transnational Governance and Human Rights program, which runs from October 17, 2022, to mid-February 2023, in Fulda, Germany.

Scholarship Benefits: The scholarship will award a monthly stipend of €861 over the four-month period of the program, along with an international travel allowance.

Eligibility: Student in the field of Sociology, Political Science, or International Studies.

Application Deadline: Apply for the Fall 2022 Fulda University Program and complete the full program and scholarship application by April 15, 2022.

Please direct any questions related to the scholarship and program to studyabroad@cortland.edu.

Cortland Students Abroad! International Programs Office Blog



The Cortland Students Abroad blog features interviews with Cortland students who are abroad and international students studying at SUNY Cortland. Students share highlights from their study abroad experience, advice for students interested in studying abroad, and why they chose that location. These interviews give an insight into students' experiences, and they show the many opportunities available through the International Programs Office. The students who are interviewed are studying all over the world, which allows for diverse perspectives and highlights the range of available programs. In the most recent interview on the blog, SUNY Cortland junior Maria Keeney shared with us about her time so far in Salamanca, Spain! Check out the blog at reddragonsworldwide.blogspot.com to read more.

Program Spotlight

Costa Rica : Universidad Veritas

Looking to study abroad in a perennial spring-like climate, spending your days in an average temperature of 72°F? Costa Rica might be for you! This warm and friendly country has more than 621 miles of shoreline, four kinds of tropical forests, beautiful beaches along both coasts, seventeen micro-climates, 855 species of birds, 221 animal species and 12,000 types of plants!

Universidad Veritas is an incredibly flexible program offering both 12 week (4 course) or 16 week (5 course) programs for both Fall and Spring semesters! If looking to study over the Summer, there are 4 or 5 week sessions available. There are a wide variety of courses taught in English as well as

immersive Spanish courses across multiple levels! Accommodation with host families will help you with language and understanding of the culture from locals.

Spend your free time enjoying the tropical landscape visiting waterfalls, beaches, volcanos and hiking the tropical forests, or you can explore the culture of the city. San Jose, the country's capital and home to Universidad Veritas, has a large number of excellent museums, restaurants, pubs and theaters. Originally founded in 1975 as a college of the "Universidad Autonoma de Centro America (UACA)" - the first private university in Costa Rica - Universidad Veritas is now an independent university, highly esteemed within the Latin American academic community. Located in the eastern part of San Jose, then minutes away from downtown, Universidad VERITAS has a student enrollment of nearly 1,500.

For more information visit our [Costa Rica: Universidad Veritas page](#) or contact studyabroad@cortland.edu.



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