

International exchange opportunities

International exchange opportunities – study overseas with the International Exchange Program

Learning at university can take place in and out of the lecture theatre and, in some cases, in and out of the country. The University of Sydney has developed strong ties with universities around the world so that Sydney students can get a taste of a different life and culture whilst earning credit for their degree.

Each year, more students broaden their personal, professional and academic horizons through the University of Sydney's International Exchange Program. As a full-time student, you can spend a semester or a year of your degree overseas, completing study that can be credited towards your Sydney degree.

The University currently has more than 150 student-exchange agreements across most faculties. These agreements are spread across institutions throughout Asia, Western Europe, Scandinavia, Latin and South America, Canada, the USA and the UK. Instruction is available in English and various foreign languages. New programs are regularly added to the exchange portfolio.

General eligibility and selection criteria apply, and some scholarships and Australian government OS-HELP Loans are available to help you pay for it all!

For more information, contact the Exchange Program Unit or visit the website at www.usyd.edu.au/stuserv/international.

'Wouldn't have missed it for anything. It is an experience which really opens your eyes and broadens your horizons.'

Charlotte Armstrong, Bachelor of Commerce (Liberal Studies), Exchange to Maastricht University, The Netherlands

'Every day I think about how lucky I am to be here! Asia is so exotic and so full of culture – it is fascinating! I'm having so much fun, I wish I could stay longer!'

Alice Polkinghorne, Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Commerce, Exchange to University of the Ryukyus, Japan

'Brilliant experience – a chance to learn about another country/culture/language and in turn learn something about your own culture and self. ABSOLUTELY RECOMMENDED!'

Deanne Garrard, Bachelor of Arts (Languages), Exchange to University of Geneva, Switzerland

'Definitely my best university experience by far – I could not imagine doing a three-year degree without it!'

James Clifford, Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Laws, Exchange to Maastricht University, The Netherlands

