Study Abroad and Financial Aid
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UChicago Study Abroad

- Nearly half of undergraduates representing the full range of majors in the College study abroad
- Students take coursework in all areas of the sciences and humanities, including the Core
- Students can study abroad from first to fourth year
- Students can study abroad more than once and combine programs
Types of Programs

Civilization programs
- 19 quarter-long sequences in 13 locations
- Fulfill College’s core civilization studies requirement
- [Most programs] taught in English by Chicago faculty, plus language course

Quarter-long programs beyond Civ
- Quarter-long, taught by UChicago faculty
- Students receive core, major, minor or elective credit, depending on program
- Core PHSC, AMD, and SOSC

Language programs
- Quarter-long immersion programs for French, Spanish and Chinese

Direct enrollment programs
- Courses offered by our partner universities overseas
- Students complete coursework in major field (usually third year)
Program Costs

- **UChicago tuition**: same as on campus, including financial aid
- **Study abroad administrative fee**: $650
- **Program fee**: range from $4,300 - $4,700/quarter
- **USHIP (or other insurance)**
- **Out-of-pocket expenses**: some examples of this are passport, flight, meals, etc.

**Program fee includes:**
- accommodation
- instruction
- student support
- program excursions
- cell phone (device only)
- emergency travel insurance (ISOS)

**Out-of-pocket expenses include:**
- round-trip airfare to and from the program site
- transportation on site
- meals
- course materials
- personal entertainment and travel
- communications (including cell phone usage)
- health insurance and upfront payments for care
- other miscellaneous expenses (passport, visa, etc.)
Financial Aid

- Financial Aid eligibility is retained
- Cost of Attendance calculations are adjusted to account for Study Abroad
- Self-help component does not include term-time employment
- Work Study recipients should consult with College Aid regarding placements post Study Abroad
# Example Financial Budget for Civ in Rome

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<tr>
<th>Budget Item</th>
<th>Cost</th>
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<tr>
<td>Tuition</td>
<td>$17,764</td>
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<td>Program fee (includes housing and excursions)</td>
<td>$4,700</td>
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<td>Board</td>
<td>$2,300</td>
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<td>Books &amp; Personal Expenses</td>
<td>$1,100</td>
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<td><strong>Total Program Expenses</strong></td>
<td><strong>$25,864</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Additional Costs not covered by Financial Aid</strong></td>
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<td>Roundtrip airfare</td>
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<td>Passport</td>
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<td>Communications (cell phone use)</td>
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<td><strong>Total Personal Expenses</strong></td>
<td><strong>$2,760</strong></td>
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Additional Funding for Study Abroad

By application:

- **Study Abroad Scholarships for Odyssey Scholars (competitive)**
  - $5,000 for Study Abroad for programs during the academic year
    
    http://study-abroad.uchicago.edu/tuition/scholarships-grants

- **Summer International Travel Grants**
  - Starting at $4,000 for summer language study or research abroad
    
    http://sitgapp.uchicago.edu
Additional Funding for Study Abroad

- **Gilman International Scholarship**
  [www.iie.org/GILMAN](http://www.iie.org/GILMAN)
  - Up to $10,000 for Pell Grant recipients

- **Fund for Education Abroad**
  [fundforeducationabroad.org](http://fundforeducationabroad.org)
  - Up to $10,000 for general and dedicated (e.g. LGBTQI, Athletes, etc) scholarships

- And more! See College Center for Scholarly Advancement (CCSA) and Study Abroad websites
Timeline and Planning

One year or more ahead of time:
- Research programs and deadlines
- Research scholarships and deadlines (many are a year in advance)
- Talk with Study Abroad about costs (especially airfare and local living expenses)
- Apply

Once you are admitted:
- Be prepared to pay the administrative fee to secure your spot on program
- Talk with Study Abroad again with any questions
- Talk with College Aid and determine your budget for Study Abroad
- Start planning for travel (passport, visa, book plane ticket, etc.)

Thinking about return:
- Make sure you have housing
- Set up summer employment
Questions?

Study Abroad, Harper Memorial Library 203 (no appointment necessary!)
study-abroad.uchicago.edu