

USF Semester Study Abroad Programs

Connect 123



There is no greater way to understand a culture than to live in it! No other model of study abroad is as cost-effective or provides the in-depth cultural immersion of studying on exchange. Students earn credit towards their degrees while paying the equivalent of in-state USF tuition. It is one of the most fulfilling experiences USF offers!

LOCATION

Cape Town, South Africa

ELIGIBILITY

Sophomore Standing, 2.75 GPA

DEADLINES TO APPLY

Fall Semester: February 15
Spring Semester: September 15

About the host university: Connect 123 is a University that develops and administers study abroad programs, work-study programs, internships, and other learning opportunities for undergraduate and graduate students in Cape Town, South Africa. Its location is rated as one of the most beautiful cities in the world, and for good reasons. It is the home for beautiful white sandy beaches, national parks, botanical gardens, a flat top mountain, and much more. It is the perfect place for people who are adventurers at heart because its location allows easy access to surfing, wild safari game rides and other more relaxing activities like hiking exploring botanical gardens and much more. Cape Town is also a city of sharp contrast; where one can explore issues of social change and diversity and learn about new cultures. Students participating in Connect 123 study abroad programs complete an intensive core course, including a practical work component, and two related elective courses to add up to a total of 16 credits. Connect 123 also plans many group activities for its students each semester.

How to Apply

All applications must go through the USF Education Abroad Office, not the host school. Exchange programs are competitive, students must submit to the Education Abroad Office:

- * Application Packet
- * Personal Statement
- * A letter of recommendation
- * Transcript

For more details on the application please see our website. Semester exchanges are competitive; students are advised to begin their applications at three months before the deadlines



USEFUL LINKS

Host School Website: <http://www.connect-123.com/>

Housing Website: http://www.connect-123.com/study_abroad/student.php

Class Search: http://www.connect-123.com/study_abroad/programs.php

www.global.usf.edu/educationabroad