

BOSTON COLLEGE
OFFICE OF GLOBAL EDUCATION
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Program	Courses per semester	Notes
Argentina		
Universidad Torcuato Di Tella (UTDT)	12 credits (3 regular courses) + Early start intensive language course Total: 16 BC credits	
Universidad Catolica Argentina (UCA)	12-15 UCA semester credits (3-4 courses) + Early start intensive language course (3 BC credits) Total: 15-18 BC credits	Students who do not pass the language placement test must enroll in a semester-long Spanish language course as part of their 12 credit course load. At least one course must be taken with locals
Australia & Malaysia		
Australian Catholic University (ACU)	40 credit points (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	ACU is only available to BC nursing students. BC students may be able to fulfill AHII Clinical at ACU.
Monash University in Australia & Malaysia	24 credit points (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	
University of Melbourne	50 points (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	The following courses are not approved for BC credit: MUSI20150 Music and Health UNIB10011 The Secret Life of the Body UNIB20018 Going Places
University of New South Wales (UNSW)	24 credits (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	
University of Notre Dame, Australia	125 credit points (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	One unit can be at the 100 level; the rest must be at the 200 or 300 levels.
University of Queensland	8 units (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	
University of Western Australia	24 points (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	The following courses are not approved for BC credit: Physical Fitness and Health
University of Sydney	24 credit points (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	Following courses are not approved for BC credit: EDUH4058 Sport Learning Australian Culture EDUF3034 Australian Theatre, Film and Learning

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Austria		
Vienna University of Economics and Business (WU)	24 ECTS credits (5 courses) + Pre-semester German language course for 3 ECTS + Semester German language course for 3 ECTS Total: 30 ECTS=15 BC credits	All students must enroll in the pre-semester AND semester-long German language course as part of their 30 ECTS full course load. The course must be taken for a grade to receive BC credits.
Brazil		
PUC-Rio	12 PUC credits (min. 3 courses) + Early start intensive language course (1 BC credit) + Semester-long Portuguese course (4 BC credits) Total: 16-17 BC credits	All students must enroll in the semester-long Portuguese language course (4 BC credits) as part of their 15-16 credit course
Chile		
PUC-Chile	40 PUC credits (4 courses) + 10 PUC Early start intensive language course Total: 16-17 BC credits	All students must enroll in the <i>Semanario de cultura chilena</i> (Chilean culture course) as part of their 50 credit course load.
Universidad Alberto Hurtado (UAH)	40 AH credits (4 courses) + 10 AH Early start intensive language course Total: 15 BC credits	All students must enroll in the intensive early start language program as part of their 50 credit course load.
China		
Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)	15 credits Total: 15 BC credits	
Hong Kong University (HKU)	30 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	
Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK)	15 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	

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Croatia		
BC in Croatia: War, Peace and Reconciliation	14 credits (5 courses) + 1 credit language course Total: 15 BC credits	
Czech Republic		
Charles University: East and Central European Studies	12 credits (4 courses) + 3 credit Czech language course Total: 15 BC credits	All students must enroll in a mandatory 3-credit Czech language course as part of their credit course load
Denmark		
Copenhagen Business School (CBS)	29-30 ECTS credits (4 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	A Danish language or culture class is recommended.
University of Copenhagen	29-30 ECTS credits Total: 15 BC credits	A Danish language or culture class is recommended. Danish Culture course is ONLY offered on a pass/fail basis. If a student takes this course, they cannot declare another course pass/fail.
Ecuador		
Universidad San Francisco de Quito (USFQ)	12 USFQ credits + Mandatory <i>Iberoamerican Culture and Civilization</i> (BC course - 3 USFQ/BC credits) Total: 15 BC credits	A Spanish language course is recommended.
Egypt		
American University in Cairo	15 credits Total: 15 BC credits	An Arabic language course is recommended.

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France		
École Supérieure de Commerce (ESCP)	<p>Fall: 20-22.5 ECTS at host university + <i>Reconsidering the Parisian Avant-Garde through a Lens of Diversity</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS) + Early start intensive French course (2 ECTS) + Semester-long French language course (1 ECTS) Total: 29-31.5 ECTS = 15-16 BC credits</p> <p>Spring : 22.5 ECTS at host university +<i>Reconsidering the Parisian Avant-Garde through a Lens of Diversity</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS) + Semester-long French language course (1 ECTS) Total: 29.5 ECTS = 15 BC credits</p>	<p>All students must enroll in a semester-long French language course and participate in the orientation program at ESCP. Early start intensive French course is only available in Fall semester.</p> <p>BC transcript processing time for all Paris programs is significantly longer than other study abroad locations. Courses and grades you receive in Paris will take much more time to appear on your BC transcript compared to other BC study abroad programs.</p>
Institut de Langue et de Culture Française (ILCF)	<p>Combination of the following: + <i>Reconsidering the Parisian Avant-Garde through a Lens of Diversity</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS=3 BC credits) + Early start intensive French course (2 ECTS=1 BC credit) + 15 hours/week mandatory French language (18 ECTS=9 BC credits) + French Civilization or non language content course(6 ECTS=3 BC credits) Total: 32 ECTS = 16 BC credits</p>	<p>BC transcript processing time for all Paris programs is significantly longer than other study abroad locations. Courses and grades you receive in Paris will take much more time to appear on your BC transcript compared to other BC study abroad programs.</p>
Paris IV (Sorbonne), Paris IX (Dauphine), Institut Catholique de Paris (ICP)	<p>22 ECTS credits at host university + <i>Reconsidering the Parisian Avant-Garde through a Lens of Diversity</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS= 3 BC credits) + Early start intensive French course(2 ECTS=1 BC credit) Total: ECTS 30=15+ BC credits</p>	<p>BC transcript processing time for all Paris programs is significantly longer than other study abroad locations. Courses and grades you receive in Paris will take much more time to appear on your BC transcript compared to other BC study abroad programs.</p>
Sciences Po	<p>25 ECTS credits at host university +<i>Reconsidering the Parisian Avant-Garde through a Lens of Diversity</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS) Total: 31 ECTS = 16 BC credits</p>	<p>All students must complete the Sciences Po welcome program (no BC credit).</p>

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Germany		
Eichstätt Catholic University	25 ECTS credits (5 university courses) + Munich early start intensive language course Full academic year students will take 29- 30 ECTS in the spring semester Total: 15 BC credits	
Frankfurt School of Finance & Management	30 ECTS credits including semester long German language course Total: 15 BC credits	A 4-week German Intensive Course for beginners is offered before the start of the semester.
University Tubingen	30 ECTS Total: 15 BC credits	Tubingen recommends 2 lectures and 2 seminars per semester. At end of semester: students need to request a transcript sent to OGRegistrar@bc.edu using Tubingen online portal.
Great Britain		
Durham University (Full Year)	120 Durham credits per year Total: 30 BC credits	
King's College London	60 King's credits Total: 16 BC credits	
Lancaster University	16 Lancaster credits (4-6 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	Fall students must enroll in the International Summer Program prior to the start of fall semester as one of their four courses.
London School of Economics (LSE) (Full Year)	4 LSE units over 1 year = 4 courses 1 LSE unit course = 8 BC credits Total: 32 BC credits	**Final grade is a 50/50 average of exam numerical grade and class numerical grade. The final grade is what will appear on your BC transcript. If a student receives a failing exam grade, it's considered a failing grade at BC regardless of their class grade.
Oxford (Mansfield) (Full Year)	36 Oxford credits (6 tutorials) per year Total: 30 BC credits	
Queen Mary	60 Queen Mary credits (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	
Royal Holloway	60 UK credits (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	
SOAS	60 SOAS credits (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	

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University College London (UCL)	60 US credits (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	
University of Bristol	60 Bristol credits Total: 16 BC credits	
University of Edinburgh	60 Edinburgh credits Total: 16 BC credits	
University of Glasgow	60 Scottish credits Total: 16 BC credits	
University of Liverpool	60 Liverpool credits Total: 16 BC credits	
Greece		
American College of Greece	15 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	
Ireland		
NUI Galway	30 ECTS credits Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	A 10 ECTS credit course must transfer back as 5 BC credits. Please keep in mind that a 5 ECTS course may not automatically transfer back as 3 BC credits.
Trinity College	25 ECTS credits at host + <i>Modern Ireland</i> (BC course; 5 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	Full year students take 30 ECTS credits in the spring (not repeat BC course). A 10 ECTS credit course must transfer back as 5 BC credits. Please keep in mind that a 5 ECTS course may not automatically transfer back as 3 BC credits.
University College Cork	Fall: 30 ECTS at host + Mandatory <i>early start semester</i> course Spring: 30 ECTS at host Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	A 10 ECTS credit course must transfer back as 5 BC credits. Please keep in mind that a 5 ECTS course may not automatically transfer back as 3 BC credits.
University College Dublin (UCD)	25 ECTS credits + <i>Modern Ireland</i> (BC course; 5 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	Full year students take 30 ECTS credits in the spring (do not repeat BC course). A 10 ECTS credit course must transfer back as 5 BC credits. Please keep in mind that a 5 ECTS course may not automatically transfer back as 3 BC credits.

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Maynooth	25 ECTS credits + <i>Modern Ireland</i> (BC course; 5 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	Full year students take 30 ECTS credits in the spring (not repeat BC course). A 10 ECTS credit course must transfer back as 5 BC credits. Please keep in mind that a 5 ECTS course may not automatically transfer back as 3 BC credits.
Italy		
Istituto Dante Alighieri Parma	3 courses each 6 ECTS + Mandatory <i>Art History</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS) + Mandatory <i>Italian Language</i> (6 ECTS) Total: 30-32 ECTS = 15-16 BC credits	Optional teaching placement is 2 ECTS
University of Parma	2 courses taken at UniParma (each 6 ECTS) + 1 course taken at Dante (6 ECTS) + Mandatory <i>Art History</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS) + Mandatory <i>Italian Language</i> (6 ECTS) Total: 30-32 ECTS = 15-16 BC credits	Optional teaching placement is 2 ECTS
Università Bocconi	24 ECTS credits (4 courses) + Mandatory in-person intensive Italian course (equivalent to 6 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	All students must take courses as “attending”. The Italian language “follow up” course called “Extended Italian Language & Culture” is recommended as long as it is taken in-person (not online). The course is equivalent to 6 ECTS.
Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (UCSC)	24 ECTS (4 courses of each 6 ECTS) + Mandatory <i>Italian Language</i> (6 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	
Venice International University (VIU)	24 ECTS (4 courses each 6 ECTS) + Mandatory <i>Italian Language</i> (6 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	
Japan		
Sophia University	16 credits (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	All students must enroll in a Japanese language course as part of their 16 credit course load.
Waseda University	14-16 credits Total: 14-16 BC credits	All students must enroll in a Japanese language course as part of their 15 credit course load.

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Korea		
Seoul National University	15 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	Students have the option to register for a Korean language course through LEI but must pick one of 2 approved options: Option 1 (4 credits): The 15-week course is tailor-made to the needs and characteristics of exchange students. Option 2 (3 credits): The evening course is a less intensive program that will not interfere with regular SNU day offering for students looking for alternative options.
Sogang University	15 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	Students have the option to register for a Korean language course (KGP60) through KLEC.
Lebanon		
American University of Beirut	15 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	One Arabic language course is recommended.
Mexico		
Universidad Iberoamericana	32 Iberoamericana credits (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	
Morocco		
Al Akhawayn University	15 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	
Nepal		
Center for Buddhist Studies	15 credits Total: 15 BC credits	As part of their 15 credit course load, all students must enroll in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● One language course ● BSTD 102 or BSTD 201
New Zealand		
University of Otago	72 points (four 18-point courses) Total: 16 BC credits	

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The Netherlands		
Amsterdam University College	29-30 ECTS credits Total: 15 BC credits	One Dutch language or culture course is recommended. Transcript will be issued by University of Amsterdam.
University of Amsterdam	29-30 ECTS credits Total: 15 BC credits	One Dutch language or culture course is recommended.
University College Utrecht	29-32 ECTS credits (4 courses) Total: 15-16 BC credits	One Dutch language or culture course is recommended.
Norway		
University of Bergen	30-32.5 ECTS credits (2-3 courses) Total: 15-17 BC credits	One Norwegian language or culture course is recommended. Most courses are 10 or 15 ECTS credits.
The Philippines		
Ateneo de Manila University	15 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	
Poland		
Jagiellonian University	24 ECTS credits +Mandatory <i>Polish Language Course</i> (6-8 ECTS) Total: 30-32 ECTS = 15-16 BC credits	
Portugal		
Nova School of Business & Economics, Lisbon	30 ECTS credits Total: 15-16 BC credits	
Singapore		
National University of Singapore (NUS)	16 Academic Units (4 courses) Total: 16 BC credits	
South Africa		
Rhodes University	16 credits Total: 16 BC credits	
University of Cape Town	72 NQF credits Total: 15-18 BC credits	

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Spain		
BC in Barcelona: Business and Culture	24 ECTS + Mandatory course <i>The Barcelona Model: History and Image</i> (6 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	In the first part of the program, students take 2-3 UPF courses. In the second part of the program, students take 2 courses offered exclusively to BC students, which are pre-approved through CSOM.
ESADE	28 ECTS credits + Mandatory Pre-semester intensive Spanish language courses (2 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	
Universidad Pompeu Fabra (UPF)	Fall: 15-17 ECTS credits + <i>Spanish Language Course</i> (12 ECTS) + <i>Early Intensive language course</i> (3 ECTS) Spring: 22 ECTS credits + <i>Spanish Language Course</i> (12 ECTS) Total: 30-37 ECTS = 15-19 BC credits	Students may not enroll in more than two courses taught in English. Students must enroll in a semester-long Spanish course (Fall & Spring) and additionally, in an early intensive Spanish course (Fall). (Native Spanish speakers contact OGE advisor regarding these courses) Students may not enroll in more than two BAPIS (Barcelona Program for Interdisciplinary Studies) or IBP courses. Students may not enroll in more than two courses taught in English. All students must enroll in at least one UPF Regular course or the internship seminar (Spring) and one semester-long Spanish course. Students may not enroll in more than two BAPIS (Barcelona Program for Interdisciplinary Studies) or IBP courses. Students are encouraged to enroll in the course <i>Spanish Culture: Multicultural Spain - not required</i> (6 ECTS), taught by the BC Resident Director. All students must enroll in at least one UPF Regular course or the internship seminar (Spring).
University de Deusto (Bilbao and San Sebastian)	30 ECTS credits (5 courses) +Mandatory <i>Early Start Spanish Course</i> (3 ECTS) Total: 15-17 BC credits	

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BC in Madrid (Carlos III)	24 ECTS credits at host (5 courses) + <i>Spanish Art History from Al-Andalus to Picasso</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	All Carlos III students must take a semester-long Spanish language class as one of their five courses. Spanish track: Students may not enroll in more than two English-language courses or 12 ECTS credits.
BC in Madrid (Comillas)	24 ECTS credits at host (5 courses) + <i>Spanish Art History from Al-Andalus to Picasso</i> (BC course; 6 ECTS) Total: 30 ECTS = 15 BC credits	Students may not enroll in more than two English-language courses or 12 ECTS credits.
BC in Granada (GRIIS)	135 hours (3 courses of each 45 contact hours) + Mandatory <i>Early Start Intensive Spanish</i> (45 hours) + Mandatory <i>GRIIS Seminar</i> (45 hours) Total: 225 hours = 15 BC credits	45 hours = 3 BC credits
United Arab Emirates		
American University of Sharjah	15 credits (5 courses) Total: 15 BC credits	

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