

Germany Study Abroad

You have options as you plan your study abroad:

Allow us to help you find the program that is right for you.

1. Become clear as to your goals – academically, financially, personally...
2. Plan early and deliberately – to get as much (financial) support and assistance as possible!
3. KSU course credit + community service will get you \$\$ if you have a GPA of 2.5

Programs we strongly endorse: Course credit in each program is to be determined on an individual basis

1. **Independent summer and semester-long work combined with academic course credit:**
 - a. Immersion work experience in Germany or Switzerland (12 weeks - 5 months, min. prerequisite GRMN 1001-1002). [International Cooperative Education](#) matches you with a full-time job and facilitates work visa and housing for a start-up fee (\$ 1,500). If combined with KSU course work, students with a 2.5 GPA receive KSU scholarship/stipend for a summer program. More info [here](#).
 - b. More competitive and awarded to GA students with an interest/background in business: three-month paid internships with world-renowned German companies (German is not a prerequisite): More info [here](#).
2. **Our Partner in Germany: University of Paderborn (UPB).** Sojourns range from 1 month to 1 year. UPB offers subsidized housing, meals, ground transportation, and free classes ranging from “Crash” courses in German at all levels to full slate of university courses (incl. courses taught in English). Select German Studies students can work as tutors in the English department and receive a stipend for airfare. More info [here](#).
3. **Cultural Vistas:** Offers several fully funded [programs](#). The Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange (a year-long program, competitively awarded), combines intensive language training, a semester at a German university, a paid internship, and a home stay.