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"Brexit" March 2017 Update

As you have may have seen, Prime Minister Theresa May has written to the European Council to officially “trigger” Article 50 of the Treaty on European Union. This effectively begins the United Kingdom’s process of formal withdrawal from the European Union. The full text of the letter can be found here.

While we know that there will be immigration changes made in the years to come, we want to assure you that at this time NYU study away programs should remain unaffected for the upcoming 2017-2018 academic year.

If you have plans to study in the UK -- or you are a UK national planning to study at a site in the EU -- there is no need to change your plans.

The United Kingdom and the European Union will now enter a lengthy period of negotiations, estimated to take 2 years. During that period, all common laws and policies for citizens and non-citizens will remain the same in the UK as in European countries. At this time, there are no changes to visa processes, and students in London should face no additional restrictions on travel throughout the EU.

NYU is of course following these developments closely, and will be providing further updates as we receive them.

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