Built into the Liberal Studies curriculum, students have the option to spend their freshmen year in Florence, London, or Paris and then continue their global education with New York as their home campus.

Semesters abroad are required in NYU Stern’s Business and Political Economy Program. Students spend their sophomore year at NYU London and the fall semester of their junior year at either NYU Shanghai or NYU Washington, D.C.

All global public health majors study a foreign language and study away for at least one semester. Students have the choice of 10 different areas on which to focus their studies, including nursing, social work, and applied psychology.

Through research fund grants awarded by the deans of the schools, colleges, and programs in New York, students have traveled to NYU’s academic centers to conduct fine arts research at the British Museum, attend conferences about public policy in Washington, D.C., or gather scientific data about the environment in Sydney.

A four-week-long summer course sends Gallatin students to NYU Berlin, where they study the consequences of World War II and the causes that have since inspired Berlin-based politicians, activists, artists, and architects.

As part of their academic experience, NYU Abu Dhabi students have gone on NYU-sponsored study trips to Armenia, Ethiopia, India, Jordan, Kenya, Lebanon, Morocco, Nepal, Oman, Qatar, Spain, Sri Lanka, Turkey, and the seven emirates of the UAE.

Students spend summers, semesters, and intersessions at NYU’s 11 global academic centers, where their course work not only fulfills general degree requirements, but also makes it easier for them to stay on track in their majors. Students in the premedical track take core science and math courses at NYU London, future journalists learn political reporting at NYU Tel Aviv, and music students intern and perform with ensembles in Prague, a major training ground for some of the finest jazz and classical performers in Europe.

With four choices of campuses in New York, Abu Dhabi, or Shanghai, NYU students begin their undergraduate careers at groundbreaking institutions. With its expansion to these crossroads of the world, NYU was named the winner of the 2011 Senator Paul Simon Award for Comprehensive Internationalization, selected by NAFSA, Association of International Educators. For the fifth consecutive year, the Institute of International Education ranked NYU No. 1 in the US in their Open Doors survey for the number of students who study internationally.

NYU students in London.
Charlotte Evans recently completed a double major in broadcast journalism and East Asian studies, with a focus on Chinese. With interests in international travel and community service, her experiences at NYU have included a semester in Shanghai and serving as a resident hall assistant, as well as organizing events and raising funds for Relay for Life, a cancer research charity.

NYU’s global network offers students the chance to live and learn in more than 50 countries. When NYU students go abroad, they benefit from academically rich experiences while staying within the NYU network. On the campuses, students take NYU courses taught by NYU faculty, with credits easily transferring back to their home campus. No matter where their semester takes them, NYU students continue to be part of the network, staying connected to the University’s intellectual community and resources while making friends and professional connections around the world.

Locations Add Mobility
Beyond the three degree-granting campuses, study and research opportunities unfold at NYU’s 11 global academic centers.

- Accra, Ghana
- Berlin, Germany
- Buenos Aires, Argentina
- Florence, Italy
- London, England
- Madrid, Spain
- Paris, France
- Prague, Czech Republic
- Sydney, Australia
- Tel Aviv, Israel
- Washington, DC, US

With locations on six continents, NYU students embark on a one-of-a-kind experience. One freshman may spend her first year in London, arrive in New York by sophomore year, and spend a semester studying in Prague for junior year. Another student might enroll at NYU Abu Dhabi, take courses in Buenos Aires during January term, and then spend full semesters in Sydney or Washington, DC. No matter which path your choose, you can do it all without ever leaving NYU.

“My service experience during my semester in Shanghai inspired me to submit a proposal to NYU’s Global Idea Exchange website competition. I won the competition and the chance to actualize my idea. My project, called ‘A Network of Change,’ will leverage the scope of NYU’s global network for international community service. Each of the global sites will have a particular focus, such as teaching English to children or raising money to treat orphans with malaria in Accra. There will also be a blog where any student can decide what they are working on or on their own or with a group. This way interested students can work together and learn from each other’s experiences. I think it’s a unique, physically and virtually, a service component that will make a huge difference in the local community.”

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