

INNOVATIVE, EXPERIENTIAL,
EXTRAORDINARY



SIT Study Abroad
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Field-based semester and summer study abroad programs in more than 40 countries

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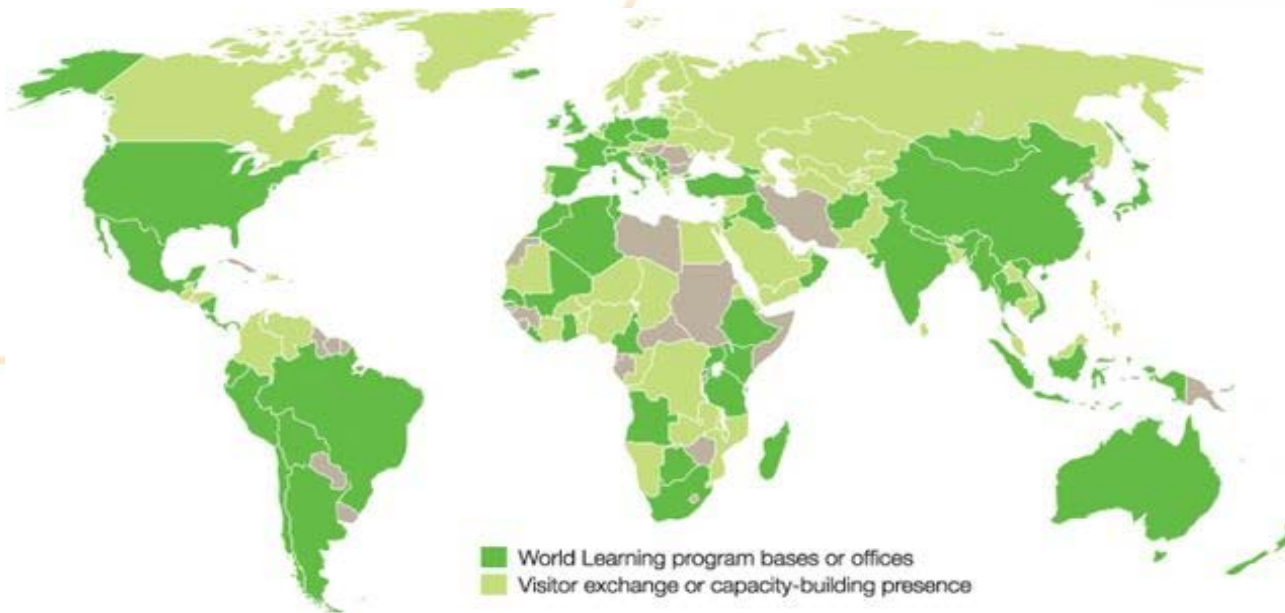
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NAFSA Conference

Vancouver
June 1, 2011

World Learning

Delivers high quality education, training, and exchange programs that unlock the potential of people to change the world.



Experiment In International Living * SIT Study Abroad * The SIT Graduate Institute
World Learning International Development Programs

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Distinctive Features



- Experiential, field-based approach
- Focus on critical global issues
- Non-traditional locations
- Undergraduate research
- Homestay
- Local networks



SIT Study Abroad Priorities

Academic Quality

Safety and Security

Diversity

Reciprocity

Global Citizenship



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Critical Global Issues

Arts, Media, and Social Change

Development, Urban Studies, and Entrepreneurship

Global Health

Identity and Globalization

Natural Resource Management, Biodiversity, and Environmental Policy

Post-Conflict Transformation

Social Movements, Education, and Human Rights

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Locations

Africa, South of the Sahara

North Africa and the Middle East

Asia and the Pacific

Europe

Latin America

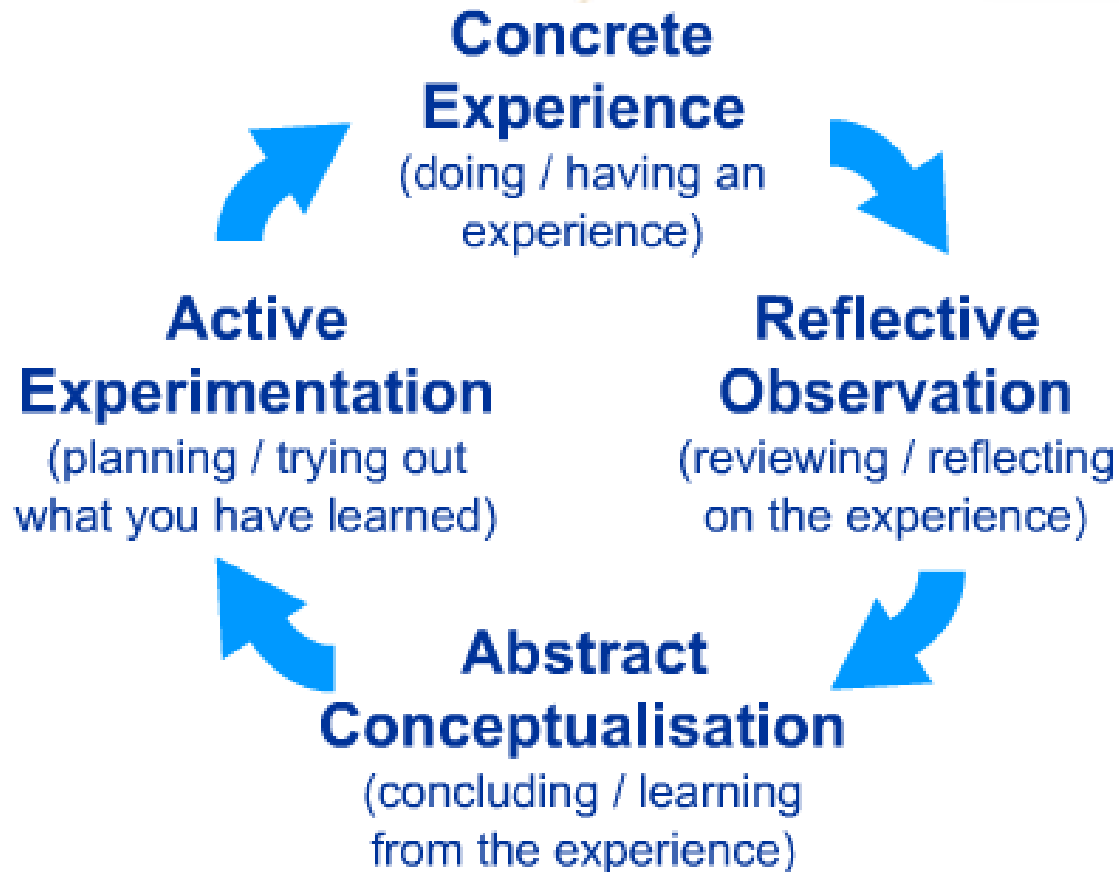
Comparative/IHP multiple country programs

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Experiential Learning Cycle



Typical Coursework Model

Intensive
Language

Interdisciplinary
Seminars

Field Study
Methods/Ethics

Independent
Study Project



Program Funnel

Academic Focus

Program Structure

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Components

Independent Study Project

Advanced Language Instruction

Rural Visits

Practicum

Educational Excursions

Case Studies

Site Visits

Studio Arts Project

Beginning Language Instruction

Language in Context

Seminars

Community Service Project

Urban / Rural Homestays

Undergraduate Research

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Languages Taught



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Undergraduate Research



- 20-40 page paper
- Research methods
- Ethics
- Human subjects review
- Senior thesis

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Provost

Academic
Dean

Africa,
South of
the
Sahara

North
Africa and
the
Middle
East

Academic
Dean

Asia and
the Pacific

Academic
Dean

Europe

Latin
America

Dean for
Academic
Administration/
Assessment

Registrar

Library

Accreditation

Program
Evaluation

Dean for
External
Relations/
Enrollment

University
Relations

Admissions

Marketing

Financial
Aid

Customized
Programs

Dean of
Students

Health and
Safety

Risk
Management

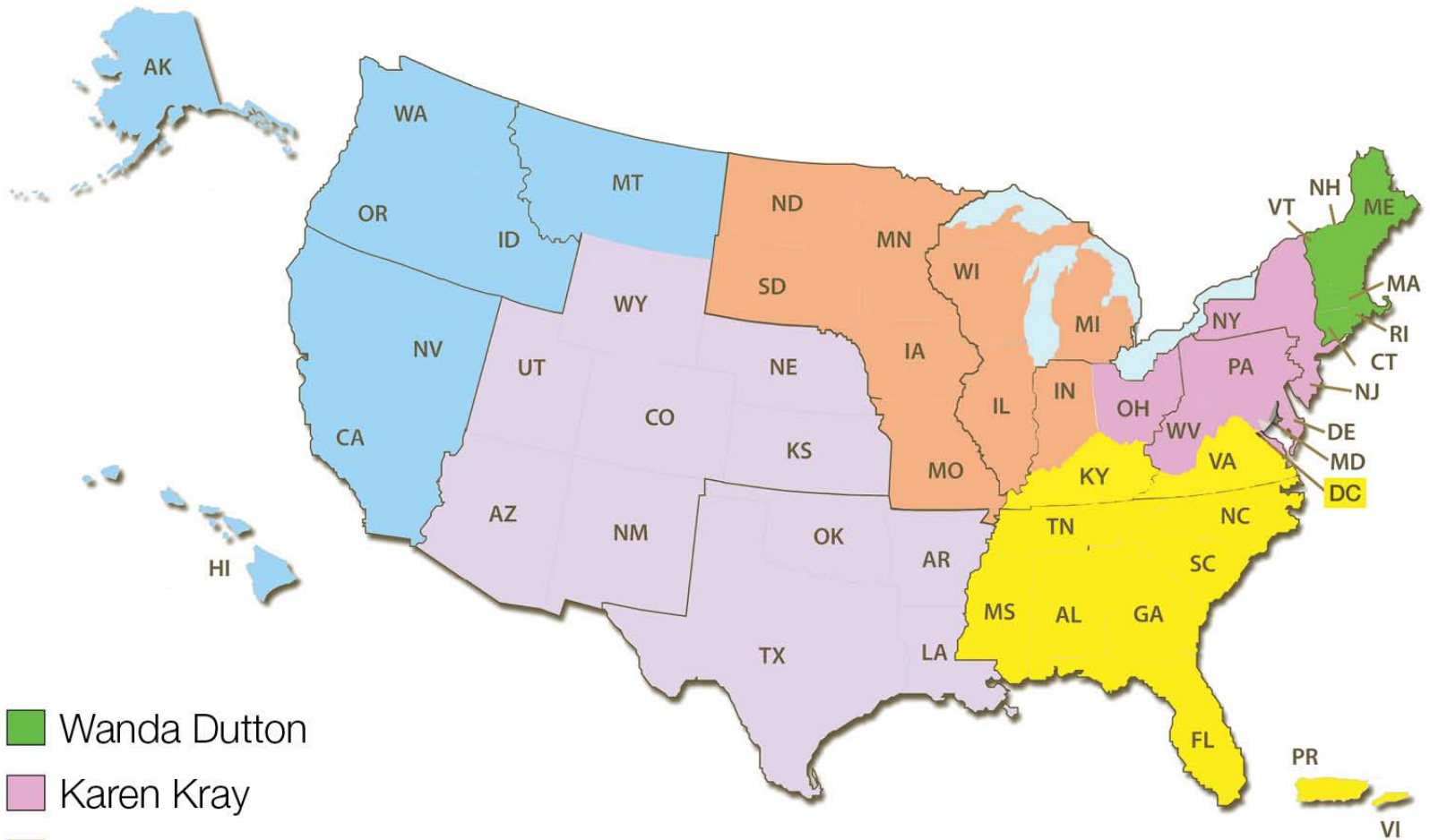
Student
Support

Disciplinary
Issues

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Partnering with Universities and Colleges

- SIT faculty visits to campuses
- Working with program approval committees
- Partnership Council
- External reviews
- Individual and group site visits
- Customized programs



Visiting Campus



- Study abroad fairs
- Information sessions
- Predeparture orientations
- Classroom presentations
- Faculty meetings
- On-campus advising
- Connect with alumni



Customized Programs

Faculty Development Program

Short-Term Intensive Language

Program for Freshman / Gap Year / Midyear

Faculty Led Short-Term Program

Partnership Program with Consortium

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Affiliation Agreement

- Billing arrangement
- Dual enrollment
- Financial aid
- Credit transfer
- Institutional Review Board policy
- Approved programs
- Contact information



Partnership Council

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- Susan Holme Brick, Whitman College
- Kendall Brostuen, Brown University
- Patti Brown, Franklin & Marshall College
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Group Site Visits

Bali / Java

March 3-10, 2012

- Indonesia: Arts, Religion, and Social Change

Ghana

March 10-17, 2012

- Ghana: Origins of African Identity
- Ghana: Social Transformation and Cultural Expression



Application Cycle

Fall

- Opening date: January 15
- Deadline: May 1 or 15

Spring

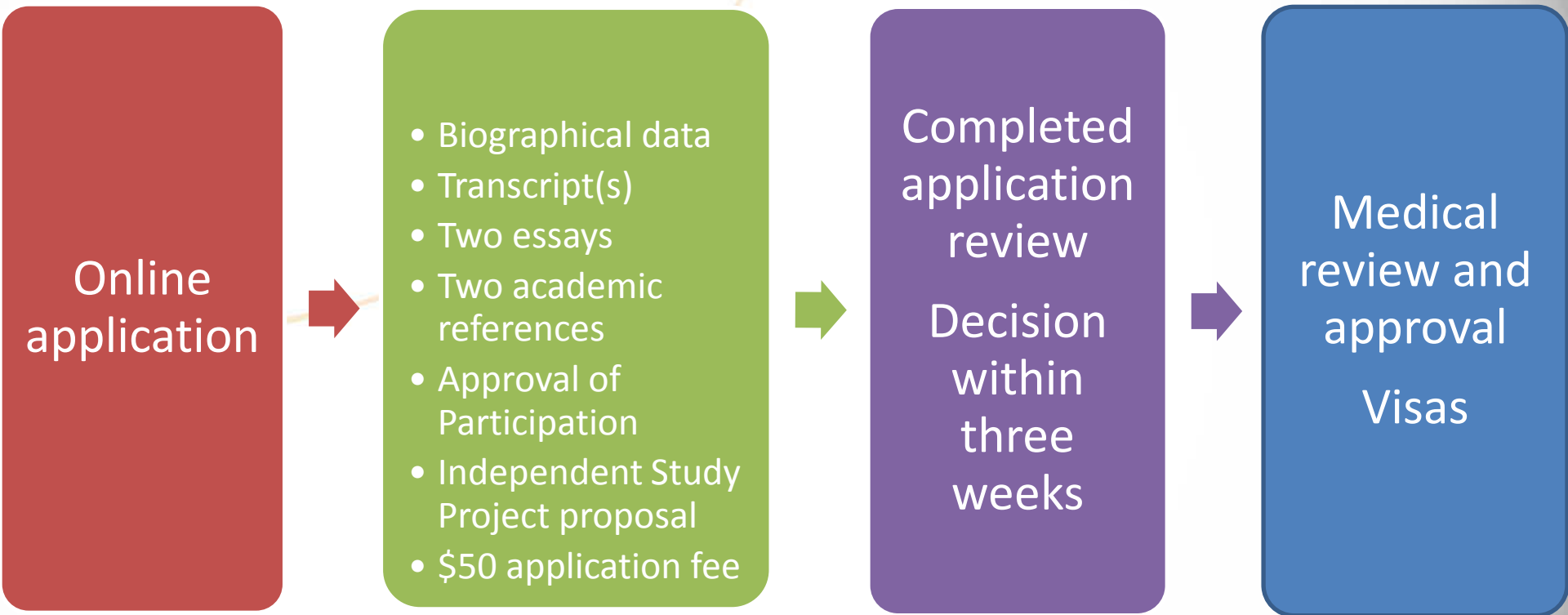
- Opening date: April 15
- November 1

Summer

- Opening date: January 15
- April 1



Application Process



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Advisor Tools

Program Availability

Bolivia: Latin American Revolutionary Movements and Conflict Resolution	Extended Deadline
Bolivia: Multiculturalism, Globalization, and Social Change	Filling Fast
Brazil: Amazon Resource Management and Human Ecology	Deadline Passed
Brazil: Public Health, Race, and Human Rights	Deadline Passed
Brazil: Social Justice and Sustainable Development	Deadline Passed
Chile: Comparative Education and Social Change	Extended Deadline
Chile: Cultural Identity, Social Justice, and Community Development	Filling Fast
Chile: Public Health, Traditional Medicine, and Community Empowerment	Accepting Waitlist Other Options

SIT Study Abroad Advisors

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Student Application Status Summary
for Study Abroad Advisors

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Scholarship Programs include

- **Pell Grant Match:** Available for more than 30 semester programs
- **New Scholarship:** Six \$10,000 scholarships for students from public institutions for spring 2012 programs in China, Mongolia, and Vietnam



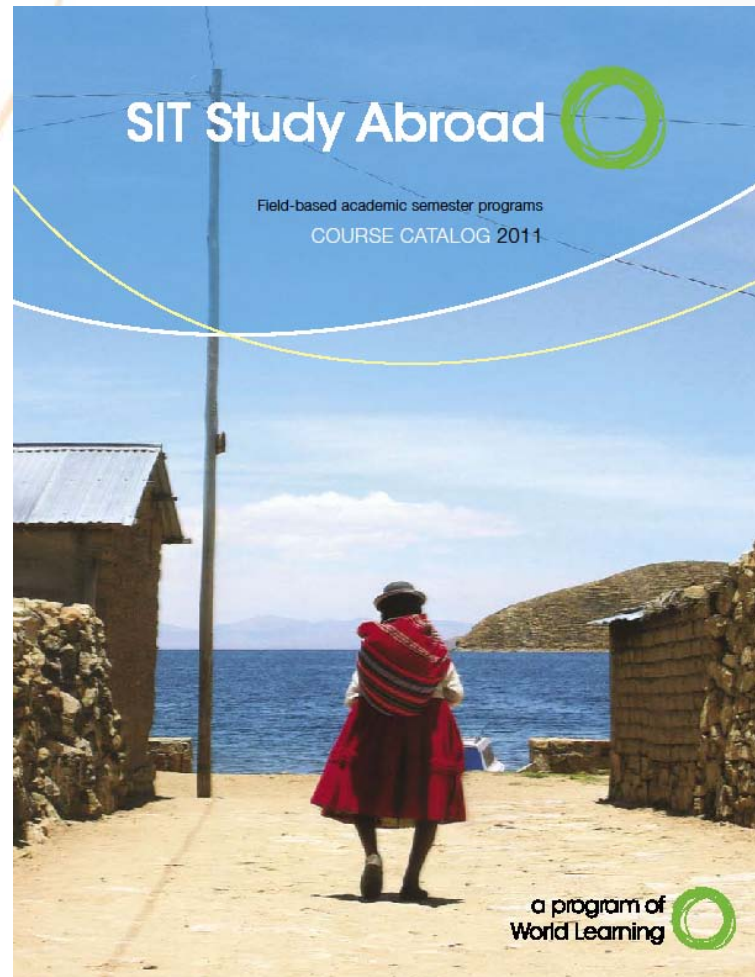
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Printed Materials for 2012

- Overview Brochure
- Semester Course Catalog
- Summer Course Catalog



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