A Guide to Local and International Student Exchange, Volunteer, Government Programs and Scholarships

STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

Student exchange programs offer students an opportunity to be immersed in an educational or employment setting while living in another country or province. These programs are offered so that students may broaden their cultural and linguistic knowledge while gaining study, work, or travel experience.

AIESEC - international training exchange program in the areas of accounting, information systems, marketing, or engineering.

30 Duncan Street, Suite 602
Toronto, ON
M5V 2C3
(416) 368-1001
www.ca.aiesec.org/students/exchange-abroad.html

AFS Interculture Canada - students may volunteer and live with a host family in countries such as Europe, Asia, Africa or Latin America.

1290 Denis Street, Suite 600
Montreal, QC
H2X 3J7
(514) 288-3282
www.afscanada.org

Arthur Stonehill International Business Exchange Program - international business exchange program in countries such as Austria, Australia, China, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Thailand, Czech Republic, and Germany.

Carol Leder, College of Business
200 Bexell
Corvallis, Oregon 97331-2603
(541) 737-3716
http://www.bus.oregonstate.edu/prospective/international_ex.htm

ASSE (originally the American Scandinavian Student Exchange) - student exchange programs between Sweden and the United States. It also includes countries such as Denmark, Norway, Finland, Germany, France, Spain, Great Britain, Italy, Switzerland, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, Mexico, Brazil, Portugal, Czech Republic, Slovakia, South Africa, Poland, Japan, Thailand, Taiwan and China.

7, rue de la Commune ouest
Suite 204
Montreal, QC
H2Y 2C5
(514) 287-1814
http://www.asse.com/
**AustraLearn** - one year academic study, undergraduate and postgraduate, at 26 universities in New Zealand and Australia.

AustraLearn, North American Center for Australian and New Zealand Universities
12050 N. Pecos St., Suite 320
Westminster, CO 80234
1-800-980-0033
www.australearncanada.org

**Canadian Association of University Teachers of German** - German language program for post-secondary students.

Sophie Boyer, Secretary-Treasurer, CAUTG
Department of Modern Languages
Bishop’s University
Lennoxville, QC J1M 1Z7
(819) 822-9600, ext. 2425
http://www.cautg.org/index.php?location=abroad

**Canadian Education Exchange Foundation** - students and teachers may exchange homes with students and teachers from other countries.

Ontario Student Exchanges
250 Bayview Drive
Barrie, ON
L4N 4Y8
(705) 739-7596
www.ceeef.ca

**CBIE – Canadian Bureau for International Education** - international study for students

220 Laurier Ave. West, Suite 1550
Ottawa, ON
K1P 5Z9
(613) 237-4820
http://www.cbie.ca/about/index_e.cfm

**Children’s International Summer Villages** - students from 11 countries meet in groups of four students and one teacher for one month.

Multinational summer camps
c/o Ottawa Chapter
P.O. Box 1384, Station B
Ottawa, ON
K1P 5R4
(613) 230-2949
http://www.cisv.ca/interchange.htm

**Class Afloat** - one year academic study at the grade 11, 12 and college level. Forty-eight students are eligible to complete a full academic year at sea. The students will study aboard the tall ship Concordia; while at the same time, will visit ports of calls in 24 different countries in four continents.

851 Tecumseh
Dollard des Ormeaux
Montreal, QC
H9B 2L2
(514) 683-9052
www.classafloat.com
Cultural Homestay International - academic study programs designed to foster international relations and friendships through homestays and Chi Au Pair USA. Countries include Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Chile, China, England, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Russia, Scotland, and Spain.

104 Butterfield Road
San Anselmo, CA 94960
(415) 459-5397
www.chinet.org

Deep River Science Program - study for 6 weeks with scientists and engineers in a field and lab setting.

DRSA
Box 600, 20 Forest Road
Deep River, ON
K0J 1P0
(613) 584-4541
www.drsa.ca

Gap Year Abroad - countries include Britain, Ireland, France, Austria, New Zealand, Australia, Japan, South Africa, Ghana, and the United States.

- Contact your local Travel CUTS
- 1-888-238-2887
- www.gapyearabroad.ca

International Student & Exchange Services - over 70 university student exchange programs offered in Australia, Belgium, Canada, Cuba, Denmark, the Dominican Republic, England, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, India, Ireland, Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Russia, Scotland, Singapore, Spain,

Sweden, the United States and Zimbabwe.

International Student & Exchange Dalhousie University
Halifax, NS
B3H 4H8
(902) 494-1566
www.dal.ca/iss

International Study Centre, Herstmonceux Castle, England - unique castle setting where a student may take courses in history, business, languages, math, philosophy, political and religious studies.

Student Recruitment and International Initiatives
Queen’s University
Kingston, ON
K7L 5C4
www.queensu.ca/iss

Lester B. Pearson College of the Pacific - combines a formal academic curriculum with outdoor or external fieldwork. There is a focus on developing and eliminating prejudice against diverse ethnicities.

650 Pearson College Drive
Victoria, BC V9C 4H7
(250) 391-2413
www.pearsoncollege.ca

Lion’s Club - an opportunity for youths to visit other regions of Lion’s club districts to learn about culture and people in that area.

- Check local phone book listings for Lion’s Club
- http://www.lionsyouthexchange.org/
Neuchatel Junior College - an opportunity for students to complete their last year of high school while acquiring French language skills and travelling in Europe. Students live with French-speaking Swiss families and complete their last year of high school in Switzerland.

Canadian Office
330 Bay Street, Suite 1503
Toronto, ON M5H 2S8
(416) 368-8169
www.njc.ch

Nova Languages Summer School Immersion - five-week trip from Nova Scotia to France for French immersion program and sight-seeing tours.

Gren and Gail Jones
P.O. Box 142
Kentville, NS
B4N 3W4
(902) 679-6691
www.novalang.org

Ontario Science Centre School - enriched Grade 12 Science, Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Physics courses, and a minimum of 15 hours practicum and 40 community service hours.

770 Don Mills Road
Toronto, ON
M3C 1T3
(416) 696-1000
http://www.ontariosciencecentre.ca/oscschool

Outward Bound Wilderness Adventure - an expedition different from the regular summer camp. A course includes a series of challenges, such as wilderness skills, team skills, and leadership skills. Activities include climbing, ropes, a team expedition and a solo reflection.

Hurricane Island, 75 Mechanic St., Rockland, ME 04841
North Carolina, 2582 Riceville Road, Asheville, NC 28805
Voyageur, 101 E. Chapman St., Ely, MN 55731
O.B. West, 910 Jackson St., Golden, CO 80401
Thompson Island, P.O. Box 127, Boston, MA 02127
(720) 497-2340
1-866-467-7651
http://www.outwardboundwilderness.org/schools.html

Rotary International - international humanitarian service organization that assists in planning and funding student exchange programs.

- Contact your local Rotary Club
- http://www.rotaryyouthexchange.net/academicyearexchange/
- http://www.rotaryyouthexchange.net/summerexchanges/

Studyabroad.com - study abroad and internship programs in 100 countries
http://www.studyabroad.com/

SWAP - countries include Britain, Ireland, France, Germany, Austria, New Zealand, Australia, Japan, South Africa, and the United States.

Swap – Travel CUTS
45 Charles St. East
Suite 100
Toronto, ON
M4Y 1S2
(416) 966-2887
http://www.swap.ca
**Toronto French School** - bilingual, international education

Consuelo Ramos, Director  
306 Lawrence Avenue East  
Toronto, ON  
(416) 484-6980, ext. 4247  
http://www.tfs.on.ca/

**CARE Canada** - international internships.

Suite 200  
9 Gurdwara Road  
Ottawa, ON  
K2E 7X6  
(613) 228-5600  
http://care.ca/empl/intrn_e.shtm

**VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS**

**Amnesty International** - youth activists organize human rights activities at school or university.

312 Laurier Avenue East  
Ottawa, ON  
K1N 1H9  
(613) 744-7667  
http://www.amnesty.ca/

**CUSO** - formerly known as Canadian University Services Overseas, volunteers assist in sustaining and improving the environmental and economic conditions of communities, protect and maintain rights of others, and foster acceptance and care for those suffering from HIV/AIDS.

Cuso’s Secretariat  
500-2255 Carling Avenue  
Ottawa, ON  
K2B 1A6  
(613) 829-7445  
www.cuso.org

**Friends of the Earth** - recent high school graduates can work on international environmental projects.

1717 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, 600  
Washington, DC 20036-2002  
(877) 843-8687  
www.foei.org

**Global Crossroad** - exotic, international volunteer and internship programs.

8738 Quarters Lake Road  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809  
(225) 922-7854  
http://www.globalcrossroad.com/volunteerabroad.php
Habitat for Humanity International - youth builds affordable, acceptable housing for those in need.

29 Bermondsey Road
Toronto, ON
M4B 1Z7
(416) 755-7353
http://www.habitat.org/ccyp/intl_programs/

Oxfam International - supports communities, with a focus on women, in its health, food, and democracy.

Oxfam Canada
210-215 Spalding Avenue
Toronto, ON
M5T 2C7
1-800-466-9326
www.oxfam.ca

United Nations Association in Canada (UNA-Canada) - youths work together on sustainable community projects and links to other related organizations.

900-130 Slater Street
Ottawa, ON
K1P 6E2
(613) 563-2455
http://www.unac.org/youth_sd/youth_e/index.htm

World University Service of Canada - student internships for international development and leaderships.

1404 Scott Street
Ottawa, ON
K1Y 4M8
(613) 798-7477
http://www.wusc.ca/contact/

GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS

4-H Youth Exchanges Canada - groups of youths may visit other parts of Canada during June and September.

Canadian 4-H Council
Central Experimental Farm
930 Carling Avenue, Building #26
Ottawa, ON
K1A 0C6
(613) 234-4448
www.4-h-canada.ca

Canada World Youth - youth can participate in the development of peaceful and sustainable communities.

317 Adelaide Street West
Suite 404
Toronto, ON
M5V 1P9
1-888-421-9761
http://www.canadaworldyouth.org/en

Echanges Go Echanges - educational exchanges in the areas of agriculture, agronomy food technology, and horticulture.

Echanges Go Echanges
3140 Boisclair Street
Brossard, QC
J4Z 2C2
(450) 462-0547
Exchange of Cultural Personalities - international cultural exchange programs
Youth and Personalities Exchanges Program
Academic Relations Division (ACCE)
Foreign Affairs Canada
125 Sussex Drive
Ottawa, ON
K1A 0G2
(613) 996-4527

Fulbright Program (Canada-U.S.) - educational exchange programs between Canada and the United States.
350 Albert Street, Suite 2015
Ottawa, ON
K1R 1A4
(613) 688-5540
http://www.fulbright.ca/en/about.asp

Government of Canada Resources
http://www.destineducation.ca/resource/annex-g2_e.htm

Interprovincial Summer Job Exchange Programs - Alberta, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Ontario and P.E.I. exchange summer employment opportunities.
Placement etudiant du Quebec
Programme d’échange interprovincial
800, place d’Youville, 4e etage
Quebec, PQ
G1R 5Z5
(416) 643-6965

International Agricultural Exchange Association (IAEA) - agriculture exchange programs in Australia, New Zealand, Japan, the United Kingdom, and Europe.
150-7710 5th Street S.E.
Calgary, AB
T2H 2L9
(403) 255-7799
www.agriventure.com

International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Experience (IAESTE) - youth employment training in the areas of engineering, science and related subjects.
P.O. Box 1473
Kingston, ON
K7L 5C7
(613) 533-2030
www.queensu.ca/iaeste

International Rural Exchange (IRE) - work and study programs in the areas of agriculture, horticulture, and culture of other countries, such as Scandinavia, Western Europe, Australia and the United States.
Valerie Tufts
Box 111
Elgin, MB
ROK 0T0
(204) 769-2448
**International Youth Programs** - travel and work abroad

Enquiries Service (SXCI)
Foreign Affairs Canada
125 Sussex Drive
Ottawa, ON
K1A 0G2
1-800-267-8376 (in Canada)
(613) 944-4000

**Japan Exchange and Teaching (JET) Program** - international foreign language training programs

Embassy of Japan
255 Sussex Drive
Ottawa, ON
K1N 9E6
(613) 241-8541

**Katimavik** - volunteers to work in youth-related environments, such as teaching children, working in museums, food banks, computer, or landscape projects.

Port of Montreal Building
Wing 3, Suite 2160
Cite du Havre
Montréal, QC
H3C 3R5
(514) 868-0898
www.katimavik.org

**SEVEC Youth Exchanges Canada** - student exchange for youth or groups.
Society for Educational Visits and Exchanges in Canada
57 Auriga Drive, Suite 201
Ottawa, ON
K2E 8B2
(613) 727-3832 or 1-800-387-3832
http://www.sevec.ca/organizer/english/essentials/program/program.htm

**SITE Program** - youth employment training in Europe or France.

CDG – Conseil
P.O. Box 160, Station NDG
Montreal, QC
H4P 3P5
**Summer Work Student Exchange** - youths work in a second language a federal riding in another province. Program Administration by Canadian Unity Council and sponsored by VIA RAIL Canada and Canadian Heritage.

Lisa Middleton – Ottawa
lmiddleton@1617.ca
(613) 239-1782
http://www.summer-work.com/en/program/program.html

**YMCA Youth Exchanges Canada** - development of communication and leadership skills.

42 Charles St. E
Toronto, ON
M4Y 1T4
1-877- 639-9987
http://www.youth.gc.ca/yoaux.jsp?contentpageid=1033&lang=en&flash=1&ta=1

**SCHOLARSHIPS**

**AGROPOLIS** – International Graduate Research Awards Program in Urban Agriculture

**Association of University Colleges of Canada**
http://www.aucc.ca/programs/scholarships/alphabetical_e.html

**Awards for Postgraduate Study in Britain**
http://www2.britishcouncil.org/canada-education-students-graduates-graduate-scholarships.htm

**Awards from Association of Commonwealth Universities**
http://www.acu.ac.uk/cgi-bin/frame set.pl?ml=scholarships&sl=scholarships&select=scholarships

**BC Awards Online**
http://bcawardsonline.sd61.bc.ca/GenInfo.htm

**British Chevening Scholarships**
http://www.britishcouncil.org/hongkong-education-scholarships-chevening.htm

**British Columbia Asia Pacific Awards Program & British Columbia International Grants Program**
http://bccie.bc.ca

**Brock University and other agencies – Awards and Scholarships**
http://www.brocku.ca/webcal/2003/graduate/SCHO.html?view=printable

**Burroughs Welcome Fund – Student Research Awards**
http://jeunesse.gc.ca/yoaux.jsp?contentpageid=917&lang=en&flash=1&ta=1
Canadian Foundation for the International Space University and Canadian-Taiwan Scholarship Program
http://www.aucc.ca

CBIE – International Scholarship Programs
http://www.cbie.ca/expertise/index_e.cfm?page=isp_e

Dept. of Foreign Affairs and International Trade (DFAIT)
• Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan
• Foreign Government Awards for Canadians (FGA)
http://www.scholarships-bourses-ca.org

DAAD Academic Year and Summer Language Courses
http://www.daad.org

Destineducation.ca
http://www.destineducation.ca/resource/annex-g4_e.htm

Franco-Canadian Hyperlab
http://ambafrance-ca.org/hyperlab/AIDEMEM/IamCanadian.htm

Fulbright Program (Canada-U.S.)

Guide to Awards Open to Canadian Graduates for Study in Britain
http://www.dfai-tmaeci.gc.ca/canadaeuropa/united_kingdom/academic02-en.asp

International Education Financial Aid (EFA)
http://www.iefa.org/

Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada
http://www.nserc.gc.ca/sf_e.asp?nav=sfnav&lbi=pg

Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholarships
http://www.rotary.org

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council
http://www.sshrc.ca/web/apply/apply_e.asp

Studentawards.com: Canada’s Free Financial Aid Resource
http://www.studentawards.com/?sa token

Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program
http://www.terryfox.org/English/App_Inf o.html

Undergraduate Student Research Awards
http://www.nserc.ca/sf_e.asp?nav=sfnav&lbi=1_toc