GLOBAL STUDIES AT NWACC

- Travel the world
- Experience other cultures
- Learn invaluable foreign language skills
- Gain the global experience employers need

STUDY ABROAD

Study abroad can provide invaluable preparation for an international career by providing the opportunity to study language and culture together in a true immersive setting. Global Studies students have completed programs in Greece, Italy, the Dominican Republic, and Cameroon. We currently have three faculty-led, short-term (2-4 week) programs in Greece, Italy, and Germany. We have partnerships with organizations that can take you to Japan, Uruguay, Costa Rica, France, South Africa, China, and more. Explore the Study Abroad page and email studyabroad@nwacc.edu for more information.

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WHAT IS A GLOBAL STUDY DEGREE?
Global Studies majors study abroad and take core liberal arts and science classes along with a range of internationally focused directed electives. All of this is geared to preparing you to work in global business, politics, economics, ecology, healthcare, hospitality, arts, and entertainment—all of which cross global boundaries in the 21st century.

WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH A DEGREE IN GLOBAL STUDIES?
Global Studies A.A. degree holders are prepared to enter the workforce in the increasingly internationally focused global economy in Northwest Arkansas. Most of our Global Studies graduates intend to transfer and complete bachelor’s degrees in International Relations, International Business, Environmental Science, and a range of programs in the Arts and Humanities. Power 500 companies like Walmart, Tyson, JB Hunt, Amazon, Apple, and Microsoft seek to employ people with international and multicultural education and work experience. You are also well-prepared to build careers in diplomacy with the U.S. Department of State or find opportunities with many international organizations focused in the fields of global health, human rights, international development, global marketing, and the global arts economy.

WHY CHOOSE GLOBAL STUDIES?
For students wishing to work internationally it is important to know ANY career could lead to an international career. It is vital to know how several programs, internships, minors, study abroad, scholarships, and opportunities can give you an advantage over other candidates. Global Studies can give you the edge that will take you a step closer to seeing the world and achieving your career goals.

WOULD YOU LIKE THE OPPORTUNITY TO FINISH YOUR BACHELOR’S DEGREE IN EUROPE?
NWACC Global Studies majors can obtain help and advice on how to smoothly transfer to a college or university outside of the United States after completing their degree at NWACC. We currently have an articulation agreement with the prestigious American College of Greece in Athens. This liberal arts college accepts US Federal Financial aid, Veteran’s benefits, and costs about as much as attending a local university. The Global Studies Degree Coordinator can help you explore other transfer options around the world too.

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FINANCING STUDY ABROAD: SCHOLARSHIPS
Traveling abroad is a major expense. The International Programs Office is here to help you navigate that process. In many cases you can apply your federal financial aid to cover course and travel expenses. Students can apply for major scholarships that are available for students who are wanting to study in other countries. You can explore these external scholarship programs and talk with an adviser about NWACC scholarships for study abroad.

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