# **OFFICE OF GLOBAL EDUCATION**



## Message from the Director



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Regards,

Larry Pickener Director, Office of Global Education

Dear Students,

Happy New Year and welcome back to campus. In this newsletter, I am pleased to remind students of all the summer programs our office offers. We offer both <u>summer faculty-led</u> <u>programs and summer internships</u> to students. Both are wonderful ways to spend part of your summer. I encourage you to attend the summer study abroad fair on January 24, 2024, 2pm-4pm in Gasson 100. Please review our <u>Summer website</u> to see all the <u>programs</u> we have on offer. The deadline to apply for all BC summer programs is February 5, 2024.

For the students who have applied to study abroad for the next academic year, our office is in the process of reviewing applications. Our goal is to release decisions during the first few weeks of February. Program Managers may be in touch with individual students should there be any questions during our review. Stay tuned!

## **OGE Summer Study Abroad Fair**



Spotlighting student alumni January 24, 2024

2-4pm (a) Gasson 100 www.bc.edu/global-ed summerabroad@bc.edu



It's not too late to apply! Students are accepted on a rolling basis until spots are filled. Some programs have a waitlist but most are still accepting applications. The summer deadline is February 5 but many programs are filling up, so apply now. Current freshmen, sophomores, and juniors are welcome to join more than 300 BC students as a part of the integral BC study abroad experience. You can find more summer information on the <u>OGE website</u>.

#### **Fulfill Core Requirements**

You can fulfill core requirements abroad during the summer. Here are some examples. More core courses are available on the <u>summer abroad program core list</u>.

Arts in <u>Ballyvaughan & Vienna</u> History II in <u>Venice</u> & <u>Seoul</u> Cultural Diversity in <u>Athens</u>, <u>Seoul</u>, <u>Venice</u>, <u>Melbourne</u> & <u>London</u> Social Science in <u>Lisbon</u> Theology (Christian Theology) in <u>Rome</u>

#### **Experience New Cultures**

Work on Engineering projects in <u>Bangalore</u> or <u>Manila</u>. Explore the philosophy and history of migration in <u>Athens</u>. Practice your French and learn about the South of France in<u>Provence</u>. Learn about the Catholic Church in a new way in<u>Rome</u>. Gain a new perspective on the European Union in <u>Lisbon</u>. Explore many facets of popular Irish sports in <u>Dublin</u>

## Scholarships Information Session



Join the Scholarship and Fellowships advisor Kate DelTorchio to hear about the application process for scholarships and grant programs for study and research abroad. This information session will focus on funding for Summer 2024 programs but we will also cover semester funding for Fall 2024, Spring 2025, and students who are currently waiting for decisions. Please come to have your questions answered before the February 5th deadline!

Date: Thursday, January 25th, 2024 Time: 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Location: Virtual (Students who RSVP will receive a Zoom Link) Please RSVP using this <u>link</u> or using the QR code!

# **Upcoming Deadlines**

<u>Advanced Study Grants</u>: Student must be nominated by a faculty member at the start of the spring semester

**Freeman-ASIA**: All applications for the Academic Year 2024-2025, including the following terms, are anticipated to open on February 1, 2024

McGillycuddy-Logue Travel Grant: February 5th, 2024

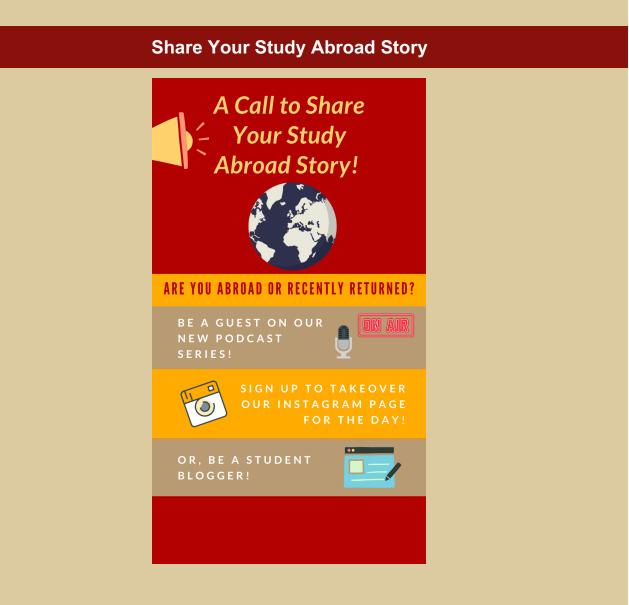
Fung Scholars Program Boston College: February 5th, 2024

Mizna Fellowship Fund: February 5th, 2024

Fund for Education Abroad and Dedicated Scholarships: February 7, at 12:00 pm Eastern

Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program: March 7, 2024 at 11:59 pm PST

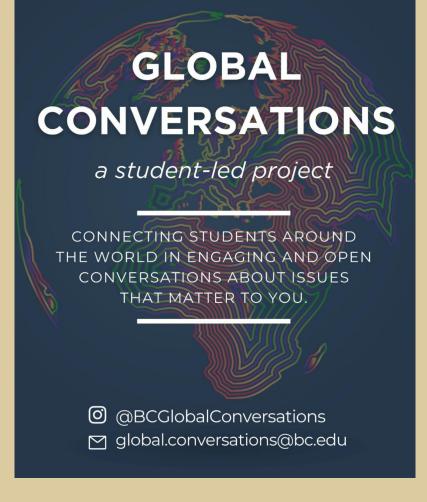
If you have any questions please contact our scholarships office at<u>ogeawards@bc.edu</u> or make an appointment <u>here</u>



This semester the Office of Global Education would like to give students to share their study abroad stories with the BC community and beyond. If you are abroad this semester or have gone abroad within the past year and you are interested in sharing your story please <u>fill out</u> this short form. You could be featured on our blog page, Instagram, or podcast.

# **Check out Global Connections**





Global Conversations connects students around the world in engaging and open conversations about issues that matter to you! <u>Sign up</u> to become a member and join the conversation.

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