

Official Transcript
Boston College's Global Proficiency Program

Catherine Casemyr

I. International Experience

Copenhagen Business School, Copenhagen, Denmark, January 2001 – May 2001

- Took 6 courses for 16 college credits.
- Spent a month touring throughout Europe and Western Europe.
- Lived with three international students in the center of Copenhagen.

II. Academic Component

Language: French

- Advanced placement plus two college courses

Social Science, Business, Education Courses:

- Introduction to International Studies
- Social and Political Economy

Humanities Courses:

- The Religious Quest I
- The Religious Quest II
- Chinese Classical Philosophy

III. Co-curricular Activities

Activity 1: CIPP Peer Advisor

September 2001 – December 2001

- Description: Provided support and information to fellow students interested in study abroad programs within the Center for International Partnerships and Programs (CIPP). Aided students currently studying abroad with any questions they may have. Helped facilitate information sessions during program orientations.
- Skills: Personal one-on-one communication skills, computer skills, learning to present in front of large groups.
- Time Commitment: 3 hours a week for entire semester.

Activity 2: Volunteer, Little Brothers of the Elderly

September 1999 – May 2000

- Description: Provided companionship for an elderly African-American woman who lives in subsidized housing in downtown Boston.
- Skills: Listening, empathy and nurturing.
- Time Commitment: 4-6 hours a week

Activity 3: Events and Lectures

Fall Semester 2001

- Description: Attended at least five international and cultural events on the Boston College campus.
- Skills: Deepened awareness of different cultures and raised awareness of international political issues.
- Time Commitment: 2 hours a week for 5 weeks.

Activity 4: Volunteer, Goodworks 2000

May 2000

- Description: Volunteered in Camden, N.J. rehabilitating and revitalizing run-down buildings, including carpentry work, painting and demolition. Run by the Society of Jesus, the program was based in predominantly African-American and Hispanic neighborhoods.
- Skills: Carpentry, greater understanding of poverty in rural areas.
- Time Commitment: One week.

Activity 5: Volunteer, Boston Living Center

September 2001 – May 2002

- Description: Worked as a receptionist at the Boston Living Center, which serves a diverse population of people living and coping with HIV and AIDS. Welcomed people to the center and helped them with whatever they needed.
- Skills: Organizational skills, empathy, and understanding of the needs of those living with HIV and AIDS.
- Time Commitment: 4 hours a week.

Service Project: 4 Boston Volunteer

September 2000 – January 2001

- Description: Worked at the Jackson Mann Adult Education Center as a teachers aide in an English as a Second Language course. Helped develop and lead lesson plans. Assisted the teacher to guide students' comprehension of the material.
- Skills: Presenting in front of a large group, communication through various mediums other than language.
- Time Commitment: 4 hours a week.

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