Generation Study Abroad is an initiative launched by IIE in March 2014 to increase and diversify the number of U.S. college students studying abroad by the end of the decade. Putting IIE’s resources behind this campaign highlights the commitment to increasing study abroad that has been so much a part of IIE’s mission. We recognize collaboration across sectors is vital to increase study abroad in the U.S. From engaging K-12 teachers to mobilizing students, to partnering with U.S. as well as governments, and foreign higher education institutions and organizations—we are building a global movement!

For more info and additional resources including funding and scholarships: [www.generationstudyabroad.org](http://www.generationstudyabroad.org)

Find a study abroad program: [www.iiepassport.org](http://www.iiepassport.org)

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**Global E3**

The Global Engineering Education Exchange is a consortium-based study abroad opportunity for undergraduate (and some graduate) engineers to be exchanged between top U.S. and international engineering university programs in Asia, Australia, Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East. Students in the program take engineering coursework in an international setting while earning credit and paying tuition at their home university. More than 70 universities in nearly 25 countries worldwide are members of this academic exchange consortium (Global E3) administered by IIE.

**Deadline:** March for Fall Semester/Academic Year; October for Spring Semester

[www.globale3.org](http://www.globale3.org)

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**IIE-GIRE**

The IIE-GIRE (Graduate International Research Experiences) program is a grant funded by the National Science Foundation (NSF) to support U.S. engineering graduate students and their academic advisors, for graduate student research experiences abroad. The IIE-GIRE Fellowship offers 3–5 month grants for U.S. doctoral engineering students to pursue innovative research projects abroad and develop the skills to succeed in a globalized world while enhancing U.S. economic competitiveness and collective scientific knowledge. IIE-GIRE also provides $2,000 USD to each accepted student’s home faculty advisor to visit their student while abroad or help with internationalization efforts at their home institution.

**Deadline:** May and December | [www.iie.org/gire](http://www.iie.org/gire)
**Study Abroad Resources for U.S. Students: Scholarships and Fellowships Administered by IIE**

**Freeman-ASIA**
Sponsored by the Freeman Foundation, the Freeman Awards for Study in Asia provide funding to assist with study abroad program costs and related expenses for U.S. citizens or permanent residents studying at the undergraduate level at a two-year or four-year college or university who demonstrate financial need to study abroad in East or Southeast Asia. Interested students should apply to Freeman-ASIA before their study abroad program begins. Applications must also be endorsed by the applicant's study abroad adviser by the deadline.

**Deadline:** April | [www.iie.org/Freeman-ASIA](http://www.iie.org/Freeman-ASIA)

**Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program**
The Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program is a program of the U.S. Department of State and is supported in its implementation by IIE. The Gilman International Scholarship is a grant program that enables U.S. undergraduate students of limited financial means at two- or four-year colleges or universities to study or intern abroad for academic credit, thereby gaining skills critical to our national security and economic competitiveness. Awards are granted for fall, spring, summer, and academic year terms of up to $5,000, or $8,000 for students studying a critical need language.

**Deadline:** March for Summer & Fall/Academic Year programs; October for Spring & Early Decision Summer programs | [www.gilmanscholarship.org](http://www.gilmanscholarship.org)

**Fulbright U.S. Student Program**
The Fulbright Program is a program of the U.S. Department of State and is supported in its implementation by IIE. The Fulbright Program offers opportunities for students, scholars, and professionals to undertake international graduate study, advanced research, university teaching, and teaching in elementary and secondary schools worldwide. The Fulbright U.S. Student Program provides grants for individually designed study/research projects or for English Teaching Assistant Programs. Grant lengths and dates vary by country.

**Deadline:** October | [www.us.fulbrightonline.org](http://www.us.fulbrightonline.org)

**Boren Awards**
Funding from the National Security Education Program (NSEP) supports U.S. undergraduate and graduate students to study less commonly taught languages in regions critical to U.S. interests: Africa, Asia, Central and Eastern Europe, Eurasia, Latin America, and the Middle East. Up to $20,000 is awarded to undergraduates and $30,000 to graduate students. Recipients commit to work in the federal government for at least one year after graduation.

**Deadline:** January for graduate students; February for undergraduates | [www.borenawards.org](http://www.borenawards.org)

**Project Global Officer (Project GO)**
A Department of Defense initiative aimed at improving the language skills, regional expertise, and intercultural communication skills of future military officers. Sponsored by the Defense Language and National Security Education Office and administered by IIE, Project GO provides institutional grants to U.S. institutions of higher education with large ROTC student enrollments, to include the Senior Military Colleges. In turn, these institutions provide language and culture training to ROTC students from across the nation, funding domestic and overseas ROTC language programs and scholarships. Working in support of Army, Air Force, and Navy ROTC Headquarters, Project GO facilitates collaborative efforts both among universities and ROTC leadership.

**Deadline:** January for overseas programs; February for domestic programs (applicant can apply to both programs, but can only choose one if offered both) | [www.rotcprojectgo.org](http://www.rotcprojectgo.org)

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