



FIE London, England

London, England (Europe)

Quick Facts

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Apply Now

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The Fall 2024 application cycle will open in January 2024 – you can click Apply Now then to get started for those terms.

Program Overview

Study or Study and Intern in London for a Semester

Study, intern, and explore! FIE's program in London gives students the opportunity to experience firsthand this complex society through interdisciplinary coursework as well as tailored academic internships. Students take an FIE Key Course, focusing on an aspect of British Life such as British Life and Business; Visual Media; Europe or Culture; two to three elective courses from among over 40 that FIE teaches at their London center, and choose one of three pathways: Study, Study & Internship, or Study & Service Internship.

With FIE London you can pursue studies for just about any major imaginable with elective courses available in business, communications, history, literature, politics, theater, music, health, writing and much more. Field trips, guest lectures by London-based specialists, site visits and other program activities are integrated into all FIE courses. Through FIE, you can arrange your semester to fit your academic goals while also doing an internship with a small-to-mid size British company or non-profit.

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This program is sponsored and administered by the College of Staten Island and the American Association of State Colleges and Universities.

Academics & Program

Foundation for International Education in London

In addition to taking an FIE key course and two to three elective courses from over 40 taught by FIE faculty in their London center, students choose one of the three pathways. Elective courses, which vry each semester, are generally offered in hisotry, business, music, litereature, and sociology. Field trips, guest lectures by London-based specialists, site visits, and other program activities are integrated into all FIE courses. Through FIE, you can arrange your study abroad program to fit your academic and post-graduation career goals.

Course Offerings

FIE faculty use the city of London as a classroom, with emphasis placed on exciting co-curricular activities that help bring coursework to life. Imagine visiting the Chelsea Football Club as part of your Global Marketing course, or the BBC headquarters as part of your British Life and Cultures key course! The possibilities in London are endless. To help contextualize the London experience, students enroll in a Key Course, which serves as an anchor for FIE study abroad in London. Students choose from one of the four Key Course options: British Life and Cultures, British Life and Europe, British Life and Visual Media, or British Life and Business

Students also take two to three elective courses in the following subject areas: Arts, Literature and Theater, Contemporary Britain, Global Business, Global Studies, History and Politics, Humanities and Social Sciences, Media and Communications, Peace, and Conflict and Social Justice.

For specific course offerings, please see the FIE website.

Credits: Semester credits: 12 to 15 **Instructor's Language:** English

Internships or Service Internships

Take Your Semester Abroad One Step Further With An International Internship Experience with FIE. An international internship at FIE is a pre-professional, field-based experience coupled with academic analysis and reflection. Participate in an educational experience focused on developing professional and cultural skills while providing personal and career awareness. With an FIE internship, you have the opportunity to apply classroom theory to practice and to challenge your preconceived notions of cultures and of the professional world.

There are dozens of different industry areas available to intern at in London. You get to pick three different areas from our list and our expert London-based Experiential Education team make sure you receive a guaranteed placement at a small-to-mid size company, organization or non-profit in greater London.

- Business & Entrepreneurship
- Communications & Journalism
- Education
- Environment & Sustainability
- Entertainment & Performing Arts
- Fashion, Beauty & Lifestyle

- Finance & Accountancy
- Historical & Cultural Organizations
- Technology & Design
- Legal & Justice Organizations
- Politics
- Public Health & Wellbeing
- Social Welfare & Non-Profit Organizations

For more information visit http://fie.org.uk/internships/london/internships.

Leadership London and the Student Global Leadership Conference – Spring Semester Students Only

FIE offers a special concentration for students interested in coming to FIE London for the spring semester. Our Leadership London track is the same as our Study and Internship Pathway, with two notable exceptions: you take an FIE-taught course in Ethical Leadership and you will both attend and be involved in either a group presentation or running of our annual Student Global Leadership Conference, which takes place in early April. You can also just attend the Conference separately, no matter which pathway you choose in the spring semester. In either case, further your leadership skills or develop them among a peer group of global students like yourself.

For more information visit http://fie.org.uk/leadership/leadership/leadership-london. You can apply for Leadership London as part of any of the spring semester pathway options offered.

Student Life & Housing

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Housing

FIE's student residences are located in some of the most vibrant and most sought after of London, a short Tube ride or walk away from Foundation House study center. All FIE student housing and study facilities are in the city center Zone 1 locality and well-serviced by the 24-hour public transport system. Residing in Zone 1 allows you to easily visit and familiarize yourself with all the city has to offer, from museums to clubs and cafes. In South Kensington, students live in fully-furnished converted 19th Century townhouses with one to three roommates. Common living and state-of-the-art kitchen areas in each residence allow students to interact frequently with each other. Student residences in other areas of the city may be purpose built or have more modern amenities. Learn more about the accommodations and virtual tours of our student residences here.

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Costs Included: FIE tuition and fees, Comprehensive on-site orientation, Zones 1 and 2 Oyster Card London transport pass for the duration of the program, Internship placement and supervision (if that option is chosen), Wireless internet access in all FIE's facilities, Comprehensive medical insurance, Self-catered student housing, Temporary Imperial College Student Union membership, International Student House membership, International Student Identity card with local and travel discounts, Page to Stage creative workshop, Various course-related co-curricular activities, Access to a subsidized calendar of extra-curricular events, Access to subsidized gym membership, 24-hour emergency support, administrative fees, orientation in the U.S., sickness and accident insurance, and access to counseling services.

Costs Not Included: Airfare: \$1,000-1,500, Personal Expenses \$100 per week, visa fees (if applicable), Meals (inexpensive meal options are offered to students, including self-catering and Imperial College of London Student Union Membership with access to University cafeterias), Optional field excursions, Independent travel and expenses

Withdraw Policy: 31 days prior to the first day of the program - 100% minus \$400 deposit. 30 days or less prior to the first day of the program - 10% minus \$400 deposit. No refund after program begins.

All costs, fees, and dates are subject to change without notification. Contact the program sponsor to verify all costs, fees, and dates for this program.

Please refer to your acceptance and pre-departure Countdown to London materials for information on arrival, orientation, and academic calendar. The refund policy is program specific and non-transferable. Refer to your acceptance materials for the comprehensive refund policy or contact the program sponsor.

Eligibility & Deadlines

Application Deadlines Spring: October 15 Fall: March 15

All application materials must be completed through the online application and/or received at the College of Staten Island by these dates.

Scholarship Deadlines

Spring: September 15

Fall: March 15

Scholarship applications must be submitted through the FIE website directly and are due at 11:59 London time on the application deadline day. With time zone differences, for U.S.-based students that is typically 5 to 10 hours earlier than the time listed – check a time zone converter to be sure you know the deadline in your local area. Successful applicants will be notified within one week of the deadline.

Eligibility Requirements

- Students must have sophomore status to be eligible for the program 2.75 GPA or higher
- Official transcripts
- One letter of recommendation from a teacher who knows the applicant from a classroom setting
- Statement of purpose
- Students must be at least 18 years of age

Entry Requirements: Learn more about the Tier 4 and Short-Term Study Visa requirements on the FIE website: http://www.fie.org.uk/homepage/before-you-go/before-you-go-london

Have you talked with your study abroad advisor about your home institution's application process? Your institution's deadline might be earlier than the CCIS program application deadline. Check now to make sure all of your material is submitted on time!