Smeal Office of International Programs

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Professional Job Prospects

90% secured a job within the first six months after graduation.

84% felt that studying abroad helped them build valuable job skills such as foreign language skills, cultural training, tolerance for ambiguity, adaptability, communication, and more.
Smeal Concept of Ed Abroad

- How to Get Started
- Finances
- International Business Minor
- Student Stories
How to Get Started

- Look on the web at Penn State’s programs
- Visit with student mentors in 426A Boucke Bldg.
- Talk with your Advisor about degree requirements to take abroad
- Meet with a Smeal International Programs Coordinator
- Penn State program credits are accepted toward some degree requirements
- Non-PSU program credits may not be used toward graduation requirements starting with summer 2016 programs
Finances

- Smaller cities, shorter programs are less expensive
- Ed Abroad Office Scholarships
- Smeal Scholarships
- Independent and diversity scholarships
- In-state tuition for ALL students in IES, CIEE and Arcadia programs
- In-state tuition for all summer programs
International Business Minor

- Requires study abroad at an approved program (Choosing a Program list)
- Fits well with Smeal business majors
- Meet with a Smeal International Programs Coordinator to apply
Student Stories

- Mari Haffner - Athens Greece, spring 2015
- Heather Wong - Florence, The World of Business and Italian Culture, summer 2014
- Sondra Goldschmidt - IES Rome Summer Internship, summer 2014
Mari Haffner
Athens, Greece: History, Culture and Archaeology of Greece
Spring 2015
Heather Wong
ISI Florence: World of Business and Italian Culture
Summer 2014
Sondra Goldschmidt
IES Rome Summer Internship
Summer 2014
First Years
Tell your advisor and save course requirements for abroad

Juniors
Going Spring 2016?
Start application by Sept 1.
Complete & submit by Sept 15.

Sophomores
Make an appointment with our office.
Summer Study Abroad Night
November 2, 2015
6:00-7:30pm
110 Business Bldg.

PSU Ed Abroad Fair
September 30, 2015
11:00-4:00
HUB Alumni Hall

Add these events to your calendar
Pharrell - Happy - Worldwide Compilation #HappyDay

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2MDReKsP3sQ