

Study Abroad Planning and Research

Review this worksheet and bring it with you to an information session.

1. Identify your priorities.

- Do you want to study abroad for a full academic year or one semester?
- Are you set on going to a particular country, or are you flexible?
- Would you like to improve your foreign language skills?
- How important is on-site support to you and your family?
- Are scholarship opportunities important to you?

2. Research and explore.

- Use the CI website to explore CI's Study Abroad options.
- Do additional research on study abroad locations and host universities.

3. Check eligibility requirements and course pre-requisites.

- Make sure you are eligible to participate before you apply.

4. Consider the costs.

- Review program cost information and scholarship options.
- How will you pay for your year abroad?
- Find a program that will fit within your budget.

5. Understand application deadlines. The application deadlines for our programs vary.

6. Contact the International Programs office. international@csuci.edu or 805-437-3107