



Africa & The Middle East



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Johannesburg is the ideal place to study abroad for a big-city experience paired with opportunities for outdoor adventures. In the city, have access to shopping, dining, nightlife, and world-class museums, including those that offer deep insight into South Africa's past. Outside of the city, visit a traditional village for a glimpse into local customs, or venture to a nature reserve for extraordinary natural landscapes and wildlife. The vibrant University of Johannesburg offers an extensive range of classes for students, making it a great choice for students with broad interests or for those with specific class needs. To kick off your adventure, participate in a weeklong orientation that includes a city tour and several excursions to attractions like the Lion & Safari Park.



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Experience the vibrant flora and fauna of West Africa, a biodiverse region full of golden beaches, mountains, savannas, and tropical rainforests. Or vibe to the rhythm of Afrobeat music that abounds in Accra - walking down the street, it is common to hear a Djembe drum or see a reggae dance routine. Considered to be some of the friendliest people on earth, the people of Accra will welcome you with open arms. Locals occasionally invite international students to special experiences like weddings and other cultural events, which gives a glimpse into the beauty of Ghanaian culture. You can also extend your experience beyond the classroom through ISEP-facilitated community engagement opportunities.



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Take in the awe-inspiring natural landscape of Sub-Saharan Africa. Check the "Big five" off of your bucket list by spotting an elephant, lion, buffalo, rhino, and leopard while out on safari. Venture outside of the country to see South African penguins at Boulders Beach or dive with sharks in Durban. In Gaborone, prepare to be entertained by compelling art shows, fascinating cuisine, and thrilling nightlife. Learn about the nations' historic roots by visiting the Three Dikgosi Monument and viewing traditional Botswana crafts and paintings at the National Museum and Art Gallery. Add a bit of adventure to your experience by attending an excursion to a local village outside of the city that ends with a visit to the Mokolodi Nature Reserve for a Game Drive.



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Study in Sharjah, considered the "Cultural Capital of the Arab World". Stroll the palm tree-lined walkways of the Al Majaz waterfront as you explore a thriving arts scene, incredible shopping, museums, cafes, and beautiful Islamic architecture. Beyond the classroom, AUS students enjoy a vibrant campus life with access to a wide range of extracurricular activities, clubs, athletic teams, and associations. The AUS study abroad office not only helps you get involved with these opportunities, but they also work hard to provide a welcoming and comfortable home base for all international students.

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