Webster’s International Network of Schools (WINS)
Individual excellence and global citizenship
Professionals who work in higher education know that international mobility enhances academic quality, and often realize that instituting international mobility is a challenge. At Webster, we know that going global isn’t easy.

We know because we’ve spent more than 35 years building an international network of American university campuses offering a range of undergraduate and graduate degree programs in English. And we want to share that exciting history with you, to build new international opportunities together. We know that for many institutions – and students, staff and faculty – choosing the right program is both extraordinarily important and also extraordinarily difficult to do.

With Webster, the choice is simple.

Develop new international education, research and collaboration opportunities. Expand your study abroad programs and broaden your offerings. Go global with Webster, an internationally recognized leader and innovator in global education, committed to successful partnerships. With over 35 years of global excellence, Webster University is setting a new standard.

Join us in taking global education to the next level. It’s a WIN-WIN for all.
International Campus Network

Webster University allows full-time, degree-seeking students of affiliate institutions to study abroad in one of Webster University’s international programs. These program locations are:

› London and Oxford, U.K.
› Leiden, the Netherlands
› Geneva, Switzerland
› Vienna, Austria
› Bangkok and Hua Hin/Cha-am, Thailand
› Osaka and Tokyo, Japan
› Guadalajara, Mexico
› Accra, Ghana
› Athens, Greece

Academic Quality

Webster University holds accreditation from The Higher Learning Commission (North Central Association), Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP), National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), and others.

Webster is a charter member of the Forum on Education Abroad, and is regularly represented at the Association of International Educators (NAFSA) and the Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) among others.

Rankings

National:

• U.S. News & World Report’s 2015 “America’s Best Colleges” survey results:
  • Webster University’s Study Abroad programs ranked in the top 2 percent and recognized as among the best in the country. The survey recognizes programs that involve substantial academic work for credit and interaction between students and culture.
  • Webster University is a Tier 1 institution, consistently ranking among the best in the Midwest.
  • Webster is 2nd among institutions for master’s degrees in Psychology conferred to African-American students. And Webster is 2nd among institutions for master’s degrees in Psychology conferred to all minority students combined.
  • First among nonprofit institutions in total minority master’s degrees, all disciplines combined.
  • First among nonprofit institutions in African-American master’s degrees, all disciplines combined.
  • Webster is 2nd among non-profit institutions for master’s degrees in Business Administration conferred to Hispanic Students. And Webster is 3rd among nonprofit institutions for master’s degrees in Business, Management and Marketing conferred to Hispanic students.

WEBSTER IN BRIEF

A WIN-WIN for all

Founded in 1915, Webster University is a worldwide institution that ensures high-quality learning experiences that transform students for global citizenship and individual excellence. Since then, Webster has grown to include campuses in Geneva, Switzerland; Vienna, Austria; Leiden, the Netherlands; London and Oxford, U.K.; Bangkok and Hua Hin/Cha-am, Thailand; Chengdu and Shanghai, China; Accra, Ghana; Athens, Greece.

Webster’s international presence includes partnerships with universities in Mexico, Argentina, Japan, Belgium, Spain, France and Italy, giving U.S. students even more study abroad culture and language options.
Advantages of a Webster International Campus

All Webster international campuses provide a truly international education that helps students develop the skills, attitudes and habits necessary to thrive and grow in a rapidly changing global society.

At each of Webster’s international campuses, no nationality accounts for more than 15 – 20 percent of the student body. The environment is global and students of all nationalities enjoy the benefits of an American institution abroad.

All Webster campuses hold the same philosophy to help students succeed with small classes (average size 10 – 15 students); low faculty/student ratio; frequent advising and guidance by the advising staff; and a policy for faculty accessibility.

Students are offered a variety of on-campus activities and opportunities for a rich social life, in addition to recreational facilities.

Additionally, Webster’s signature Global Citizenship Program (GCP) – a set of requirements and general education program - creates academic opportunities for students of all majors. GCP courses are regularly offered at Webster’s international campuses, allowing for a wide range of high quality general education courses that also meet students’ graduation requirements.

Study Abroad Student Status

Students involved in the Webster study abroad program maintain full-time, degree-seeking status at their home institution which bills them for the international programs, including tuition, program fees and so on. Therefore, the affiliate does not lose tuition by having its students direct enroll.

Discounted Tuition to Affiliate Institution and Billing

Tuition

Webster University bills the affiliate in U.S. dollars offering a significant discount off the Webster Saint Louis flat-fee semester tuition regardless of the international campus chosen by the affiliate student.

- Discounts offered exclusively to WINS affiliates
- Provides direct tuition assistance

One Comprehensive Bill

Webster University bills affiliates, in dollars, for student’s tuition, room and board at Webster scheduled Study Abroad Fairs. These fairs are an important way for Webster University to collaborate with its affiliate partners in promoting high-quality international experiences for students.

Assistance to Affiliate Students

WINS Travel Award

Webster offers students from affiliated institutions a substantial airfare subsidy, thus reducing their cost of studying abroad.

In addition to supporting students’ financial needs, Webster provides support and assistance as students embark on an overseas experience. In order to provide this support in a personalized setting, Webster University’s Office of Study Abroad assists with a pre-departure orientation session for groups of eight or more. For smaller groups, all pre-departure orientation materials will be sent by mail. And regardless of the number of students attending our programs—our office is just a phone call or a “click” away!

Support to Affiliate’s Study Abroad Office

Webster’s Office of Study Abroad supports and enhances its commitment to affiliate institutions by promoting opportunities for their students and working directly with students who choose a Webster program. This reduces the advising burden of the affiliate.

One way Webster engages students, staff and faculty of the WINS network is by attending international Study Abroad Fairs. These fairs are an important way for Webster University to collaborate with its affiliate partners in promoting high-quality international experiences for students.

Benefit to Affiliate Faculty

International student and faculty mobility enhances the education provided by any academic institution. Webster is proud to offer international opportunities at our WINS affiliates.

WINS Visiting Faculty

For affiliates who regularly send students abroad to study on our programs, Webster University offers the WINS Visiting Professor Program. This program has been established to enhance and recognize the contributions of outstanding scholars. They are expected to develop a course and to be deeply engaged in the life of the international campus. Webster provides visiting professors with airfare, housing and pays the corresponding local adjunct pay rate.

Scholar-in-Residence Program

The Scholar-in-Residence Program allows Scholars to conduct research, write, develop curricula or conduct other scholarly interactions with the Webster community.

Participation in the WINS Scholar-in-Residence Program augments the faculty members’ knowledge and skills and contributes to the scholarly environment of their home institution as they communicate what they learn with their peers and students.
I loved my Geneva semester! Living a Swiss life was unforgettable, and being there to spend the anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights at the United Nations was an amazing experience.

Alexandria Burns
Campus: Geneva, Switzerland
Major: International Relations and Legal Studies

Biennial WINS Site Visit and Conference
Webster University holds its Webster International Network of Schools (WINS) Site Visit and Conference every two years. This conference for study abroad administrators and/or faculty is designed so that participants gain firsthand knowledge of Webster’s programs and curricula, facilities, faculty, and staff and acquire a better understanding of our offerings and capabilities as well as the rich culture in which our campuses operate.

The interactive event is hosted by Webster and one or two representatives from affiliate institutions are invited to attend.

Health and Safety of Students
Webster places great value on the health and safety of students. Webster provides all study abroad students with international health and accident insurance including medical evacuation coverage. It also furnishes political, security and natural disaster evacuation insurance.

Webster is also a member of the Overseas Security Advisory Council (OSAC), and maintains regular communications between all campuses.

Course Offerings
After students apply to study abroad they choose which courses they want to take abroad. Webster University offers a broad range of courses in diverse subject areas. Students can choose from a wide array of both general education and major-specific courses. Finalized course schedules are released during the semester prior to the program. For past course schedules and course projections check individual campuses “Course Offerings” link from webster.edu/studyabroad.

Sending a student on a Webster University study abroad program means...

- Direct tuition assistance to affiliate institutions
- Personalized attention and assistance from our Study Abroad staff
- An invitation to Webster’s WINS event at the annual national NAFA conference.
- Faculty mobility—for every 10 students, send a faculty member to teach abroad
- For groups of eight or more, a personalized on-site pre-departure orientation session
- Attendance at our biennial WINS Site Visit and Conference—hosted at one of Webster’s campuses; it is a special opportunity for professional development, program improvement, networking and more!
- Representation at your Study Abroad Fairs
- Up to $1,000 towards each students’ airfare (WINS Travel Award)
A listing of subject areas available at each of the international campuses. Course offerings are subject to change and cannot be guaranteed. Finalized course schedules are typically released to study abroad students two to three months prior to departure.

*A May vary by campus and can include emphases in Finance, Human Resources Management, International Business, International Relations, and Marketing.

**WINS Affiliates**
- Adelphi University, Long Island, NY
- Alliant International University, San Diego, CA
- Avila University, Kansas City, MO
- Baldwin-Wallace, Berea, OH
- Barry University, Miami Shores, FL
- Bethany College, Bethany, WV
- Berkeley College, West Paterson, NJ
- Carroll University, Waukesha, WI
- Centenary College, Hackettstown, NJ
- Columbia College, Columbia, MO
- Fontbonne University, St. Louis, MO
- Gardner-Webb University, Boiling Springs, NC
- Georgian Court University, Lakewood, NJ
- Kent State University, Kent, OH
- King’s College, Wilkes-Barre, PA
- Marymount College, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA
- Millikin University, Decatur, IL
- Missouri Baptist University, St. Louis, MO
- Missouri Southern State University, Joplin, MO
- Northeastern University, Boston, MA
- Point Loma Nazarene University, San Diego, CA
- Sacred Heart University, Fairfield, CT
- Sage College of Albany, Albany, NY
- Saint Louis University, St. Louis, MO
- Salve Regina University, Newport, RI
- South Dakota State University, Brookings, SD
- Southern New Hampshire University, Manchester, NH
- Southwest Minnesota State University, Marshall, MN
- St. Ambrose University, Davenport, IA
- St. Norbert College, De Pere, WI
- Tiffin University, Tiffin, OH
- University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH
- University of the Pacific, Stockton, CA
- University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI

**Study Abroad Opportunities for Non-WINS Schools**

In addition to our students and those from our WINS-affiliated schools, students from colleges and universities throughout the U.S.A. are welcome to participate in the study abroad programs at Webster University. Students representing more than 70 institutions have selected Webster University for a distinctive study abroad experience. These schools include:

- American University
- Boston College
- Colgate University
- College of Charleston
- Creighton University
- DePaul University
- Indiana University
- Louisiana Tech University
- Loyola University
- Maryville University
- Michigan State University
- Missouri State University
- New York University
- North Carolina State University
- Old Dominion University
- Rice University
- Southeast Missouri State University
- Southern Illinois University
- The Citadel
- Tulane University
- University of Akron
- University of Arizona
- University of Colorado
- University of Florida
- University of Iowa
- University of Kansas
- University of Kentucky
- University of Maryland
- University of Missouri
- University of North Carolina
- University of Utah
- University of Wisconsin
- Valparaiso University
- Virginia Tech University
- Wake Forest University
- Western Michigan University

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