

# Study Abroad For Art & Design Students

## 4 Reasons Art & Design Students should study abroad

Gain a fresh perspective on your work by immersing yourself in a new culture, developing new ways of thinking, and finding inspiration in a new environment.

Interact with students, faculty and artists from around the world, experiencing diverse perspectives and techniques to enrich your creative process.

Learn about global trends in art and design that can enhance your work and help you create a truly unique portfolio.

Museums, galleries, buildings, outdoor spaces and monuments will become your classroom as you explore art, architecture and design first-hand.



Photography in Cuba  
RIT Faculty-Led Program

## Featured Programs

### Design in Dessau

Dessau, Germany  
Spring Semester

The RIT School of Design has partnered with Fachhochschule Anhalt (FHA) in Dessau, Germany to offer junior design majors in Graphic Design, Industrial Design or New Media the opportunity to study in Germany.

You'll take four studio-based courses, earning between 12-16 credits and live in the charming town of Dessau, about 1.5 hours from Berlin by train.

Contact Christine Shank ([crspph@rit.edu](mailto:crspph@rit.edu)) to learn more.  
Applications accepted in spring semester prior to your junior year.

### SRISA

Florence, Italy  
Fall, Spring, Summer

Study at Santa Reparata International School of Art (SRISA), one of the top art and design schools in Italy. Located in Florence, SRISA has extensive studio facilities for painting, drawing and printmaking; photography labs and darkroom; and large lecture rooms.

All courses are taught in English and students take 14-16 credits. Internship options are also available.

### When You Should Go

The optimal time for CAD students to go abroad is during the spring semester of their third year. However, work with your academic advisor to determine the best timing for you.

Start your planning six months to a year in advance.

### Scholarships

RIT Education Abroad Travel Grants (\$500-\$1,000) available for global campus, faculty-led or exchange programs.

RIT School of Design awards a \$1,000 study abroad scholarship to a 2nd or 3rd year School of Design undergraduate student each year (deadline early March).

*Financial aid and many more scholarships available!  
Ask a study abroad advisor for more details.*

### Getting Started

1. Learn more at: [studyabroad.rit.edu](http://studyabroad.rit.edu)
2. Meet with your [academic advisor](#) to discuss timing and coursework.
3. Explore programs in the Compass database: [rit.edu/global/compass-search-programs-apply](http://rit.edu/global/compass-search-programs-apply)
4. Make an appointment with a study abroad advisor: [www.rit.edu/global/advisormeeting](http://www.rit.edu/global/advisormeeting)



Stephanie Liu  
CAD, New Media Design  
Studied in Copenhagen, Denmark

**“Collaborating with design students from across the globe, and learning from my Danish professors has forever impacted my views on design and the design process.”**

# Art & Design Programs Abroad

(All programs listed have coursework available in English)

→ RIT CAD Student Favorite

(CCER) Ceramics  
(CGLS) Glass  
(CMTJ) Metal/Jewelry

(CWFD) Furniture Design  
(DDDD) 3D Digital Design  
(FNRT) Fine Art

(IDDE) Industrial Design  
(GRDE) Graphic Design  
(ILLM) Medical Illustration

(ILLS) Illustration  
(NMDE) New Media Design  
(INDE) Interior Design

(PHAR) Fine Art Photo  
(PHPS) Photo Sciences  
(SOFA) Film & Animation

Location	Term(s) Offered	Provider	Program Title	Coursework
<b>RIT PROGRAMS</b>				
Havana, Cuba →	Spring/Spring Break	RIT Faculty-Led	Photography in Cuba	(PHAR)
Paris, France →	Spring/Summer	RIT Faculty-Led	Transnational Workshop: Digital Creation 'Beyond the Screen'	(DDDD) (ILLS) (GRDE) (NMDE) (SOFA)
Dessau, Germany →	Spring	RIT Exchange	Design in Dessau	(GRDE) (IDDE) (NMDE)
<b>AFFILIATE PROGRAMS – Asia</b>				
Tokyo, Japan	Summer	CIS	Summer in Tokyo – J.F. Oberlin University	(FNRT) (GRDE) (ILLS) (SOFA)
Seoul, South Korea	Fall, Spring	CIS	Semester in South Korea – Sogang University	(NMDE) (SOFA)
Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam	Summer	CIS	Summer in Vietnam: Photography, Fashion & Innovation	(PHAR)
<b>AFFILIATE PROGRAMS – Australia &amp; New Zealand</b>				
Brisbane, Australia	Fall, Spring, Year	Arcadia	Queensland University of Technology	(FNRT) (IDDE) (INDE) (NMDE) (SOFA)
Gold Coast, Australia	Fall, Spring, Year	Arcadia	Bond University	(SOFA) (NMDE)
New Castle, Australia	Fall, Spring, Year	CIS	Semester in New Castle	(CCER) (CMTJ) (IDDE) (SOFA)
Sydney, Australia →	Fall, Spring, Year	Arcadia	University of New South Wales	(FNRT) (GRDE) (IDDE) (SOFA)
Sydney, Australia	Fall, Spring, Year	Arcadia	University of Technology, Sydney	(CMTJ) (FNRT) (SOFA)
Christchurch, New Zealand	Fall, Spring, Year	Arcadia	University of Canterbury	(FNRT) (GRDE) (IDDE) (PHAR) (SOFA)
Wellington, New Zealand	Fall, Spring, Year	CIS	Victoria University of Wellington	(DDDD) (GRDE) (IDDE) (NMDE) (SOFA)
Auckland, New Zealand	Summer	IES	University of Auckland Film Production	(SOFA)
<b>AFFILIATE PROGRAMS - Europe</b>				
Prague, Czech Republic	Fall, Spring, Year	CIEE	Film Studies	(SOFA)
Copenhagen, Denmark →	Fall, Spring, Summer	DIS	Study Abroad in Scandinavia	(CWFD) (GRDE) (IDDE) (INDE)
London, England	Fall, Spring, Year	Arcadia	University of Westminster	(FNRT) (GRDE) (ILLS) (INDE) (PHAR) (SOFA)
Paris, France	Fall, Spring, Summer, Year	SAI	American University of Paris	(PHAR) (SOFA)
Paris, France →	Fall, Spring, Summer, Year	SAI	Paris College of Art	(FNRT) (GRDE) (ILLS) (INDE) (PHAR)
Ballyvaughan, Ireland →	Fall, Spring, Year	Arcadia	Burren College of Art	(FNRT) (ILLS) (PHAR)
Florence, Italy →	Fall, Spring, Summer, Year	SAI	Florence University of the Arts	(CMTJ) (FNRT) (INDE) (PHAR) (NMDE)
Florence, Italy	Summer	Arcadia	Intensive Design in Florence	(FNRT) (GRDE) (IDDE)
Florence, Italy	Fall, Spring, Summer, Year	SRISA	Santa Reparata International School of Art	(CMTJ) (FNRT) (GRDE) (ILLS) (INDE) (PHAR)
Milan, Italy →	Fall, Spring, Summer, Year	SAI	Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti	(FNRT) (GRDE) (IDDE) (ILLS) (INDE) (PHAR)
Rome, Italy	Fall, Spring, Year	CIS	American University of Rome	(FNRT) (SOFA)
Glasgow, Scotland	Fall, Spring, Year	Arcadia	Glasgow School of Art	(CMTJ) (DDDD) (FNRT) (IDDE) (INDE) (PHAR)
Barcelona, Spain	Fall, Spring, Year	SAI	Elisava, Barcelona School of Design	(CWFD) (GRDE) (IDDE) (INDE) (PHAR)

Many more programs are available for art & design students!

For a more detailed listing, search programs via the Compass: [www.rit.edu/global/compass-search-programs-apply](http://www.rit.edu/global/compass-search-programs-apply)