



# Seven

ways studying abroad can benefit your business career

Study abroad programs can enrich your studies and give you a more global point of view. You'll gain exposure to diverse cultures, languages, and people, which can help you mature personally while you expand your professional toolbox. New skills and perspectives can be applied across the business spectrum and help give you an edge over the competition as you prepare to enter the workforce.



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Enhance your resume with new or advanced foreign language skills



2

Meet new friends and establish global connections to partner with in the future



3

Work with diverse teams to develop intercultural competencies you can apply in the workplace



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Experience and pursue new business opportunities and career tracks



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Earn an average of US\$6,000 more in starting pay<sup>1</sup>



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Learn to approach business challenges from a more global perspective



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Gain confidence, independence and adaptability – skills that will make you a more agile employee

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