

# World Arts and Cultures

## Major Academic Plan for B.A.

*“As the traveler who has once been from home is wiser than he who has never left his own doorstep, so a knowledge of one other culture should sharpen our ability to scrutinize more steadily, to appreciate more lovingly, our own.”*

— Margaret Mead



**UCLA** Study Abroad

### HOW TO STUDY ABROAD



**RESEARCH**  
Review your remaining UCLA degree requirements (GE, pre-major, major, minor, foreign language, & upper division units).



**IDENTIFY**  
Find UCEAP courses and identify options that are comparable to your degree requirements. They do not have to be an exact match.



**DISCUSS**  
If you have questions, meet the advisors at the International Education Office to review program details and locate syllabi.



**PETITION**  
Meet with World Arts and Culture Advisor to learn how to apply study abroad coursework toward your degree requirements.

- \* Pre-approvals are provided by the World Arts and Cultures Department. Therefore, you will know before your program starts whether you will be receiving major credit.
- \* Most UCEAP courses count toward upper division units; therefore, even if your department denies your petition, you can still make progress toward your degree.
- \* Study abroad is possible as soon as the summer after your first year through the Fall after your senior year. If going after senior year, meet your major advisor to adjust your graduation term.

### MAJOR SPECIFIC INFORMATION

|                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Lower Division Major Prep        | <b>No.</b> The Major's Prep Courses [1, 2, 20, 24, 33 (25 units)] must be taken at UCLA.   |
| Major Electives                  | <b>Depends.</b> Major Core Requirements [100A/B, 102, 104, 124, 185 (24 units)] should be taken within the major. Students studying abroad are recommended to save their 12-units of upper division non-major requirement for their quarter(s) abroad, and also can petition UCEAP courses to satisfy WAC Major Upper Division Electives (25 units) or we can have them count for credit once they transfer back if they have been pre-approved prior to selecting abroad courses. |
| List of Pre-Approved Coursework? | <b>No.</b> The World Arts and Cultures Department is not keeping a record of previously approved study abroad coursework.  |

### HOW TO PETITION FOR ACADEMIC CREDIT

| STEP 1  | STEP 2         | STEP 3                                    |
|---|----------------|---|
| Identify <u>UCEAP Program</u> & <u>Course Catalog</u> | Gather Syllabi | Meet with World Arts and Cultures Advisor |

\*\*\* World Arts and Cultures students should always discuss study abroad plans with Dept Student Affairs Officer and the School's Student Services. \*\*\*

#### UCLA International Education Office

1332 Murphy Hall, Los Angeles, CA 90095  
 [info@ieo.ucla.edu](mailto:info@ieo.ucla.edu)  
 310.825.4995  
 Visit us In-Person or [Schedule An Appointment](#)

#### UCLA World Arts and Cultures Department

120 Westwood Plaza, Los Angeles, CA 90095  
 [rafaelg212@arts.ucla.edu](mailto:rafaelg212@arts.ucla.edu)  
 310.825.3951  
 Visit us In-Person or [Schedule an Appointment](#)