Center for Global Engagement

- Semester or Summer Study Abroad
- Institutional Exchange program (inbound & outbound)
- International Student and Scholar Services

The TCNJ Center for Global Engagement offers qualified students the opportunity to study at educational institutions outside of the United States and supports international students and scholars coming to TCNJ. TCNJ students can study during any academic session (Academic Year, Fall, Spring, Winter, and/or Summer). With careful planning, students who study off-campus should expect to make normal progress toward graduation.

All programs offered by TCNJ are pre-approved by the faculty, and credits are transferable and applicable to specific degree requirements. Students from any major are encouraged to apply. Instruction is in English at many participating institutions abroad. TCNJ also encourages students to study languages in non-English-speaking countries. Language classes are offered at beginning, intermediate and advanced levels.

Study abroad applications should be submitted to the TCNJ Center for Global Engagement (Roscoe West 202) by early March for the following summer, fall semester, or entire year; applications are due in late September for the following spring semester. Students are selected on the basis of their academic qualifications, references, and potential for success. Most TCNJ students have been accepted by their preferred education abroad programs.

Depending upon the program, students may be able to study off campus for approximately the same amount of money as it would cost to study at TCNJ. However, some international programs may cost more. All program prices are approximate and subject to change each year. Most students receiving financial aid may apply those funds to their program costs, although there are some exceptions and students using significant financial aid should consult that office prior to deciding on a study abroad program. Students planning to study off campus should anticipate paying for their travel, books, and personal spending money. In addition, students going abroad must pay for their passports, any required visas, and international insurance. For students concerned about how to pay for a study abroad experience, resources on scholarships are available on our website.

Contact the TCNJ Center for Global Engagement for more information.

Programs Sponsored by The College of New Jersey

TCNJ Faculty-led Programs Abroad. TCNJ faculty step outside the walls of the classroom and lead groups of students abroad to teach their courses in a variety of locations. Some courses are offered in the winter or summer and last for 3-4 weeks. Other courses are taught on-campus with one or two weeks spent in another country as part of the course requirement. Students need to submit applications to the TCNJ Center for Global Engagement in the fall semester for winter

session courses and early in the spring semester for summer session courses. Courses and locations will vary each year.

Institutional Exchange Programs. The College of New Jersey has established relationships with the institutions listed below for students to study abroad. Programs listed as "exchanges" allow students to pay TCNJ tuition and fees for the semester or year abroad. This facilitates use of financial aid and scholarship packages. Exchange allows TCNJ to invite students and faculty from our diverse partner institutions to participate in life at TCNJ. Students can apply for the International House Living Learning Community where they live with our exchange students to introduce exchange students to TCNJ, NJ, and the USA, as well as deeply explore student life from a global perspective.

TCNJ Study Centers. The College of New Jersey has direct relationships with the host institutions listed below that offer our students the opportunity to study abroad on their campus. Programs listed as "study centers" allow students to pay a program fee that is billed through TCNJ allowing students to use all financial aid and scholarship awards to pay for their study abroad experiences.

TCNJ Affiliated Study Abroad Program Providers

The College of New Jersey offers international and domestic programs through partner organizations including the following: American Councils for International Education, Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE), CIS Abroad (CIS), International Studies Abroad (ISA), Institute for Study Abroad-Butler University (IFSA), School for International Training (SIT), and the School for Field Studies (SFS). Students who study abroad with an affiliated program provider pay all program fees directly to that provider.

Contact the <u>TCNJ Center for Global Engagement</u> to learn more about the different types of study abroad programs.

Australia

- La Trobe University, Melbourne (exchange)
- TCNJ Study Center University of Newcastle
- Victoria University, Melbourne (exchange)

Brazil

- UNIFENAS, Belo Horizonte (exchange)
- UFC, Fortaleza (exchange)

Chile

TCNJ Study Center - Universidad Adolfo Ibanez, Valparaiso

Czech Republic

• TCNJ Study Center - UPCES Prague

England

- Northumbria University, Newcastle (exchange)
- TCNJ Study Center FIE London
- University of Nottingham (exchange)
- TCNJ Study Center Edge Hill University

France

• Université Clermont Auvergne (exchange)

Germany

- Goethe Universität Frankfurt (exchange)
- TCNJ Study Center ESC Heidelberg

Ireland

• University of Limerick (exchange)

Italy

- TCNJ Study Center Spring Hill College Italy Center, Bologna
- TCNJ Study Center Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milan

Japan

- Kansai Gaidai University, Hirakata (Osaka) (exchange)
- Toyo University, Tokyo (exchange)

South Africa

• TCNJ Study Center - University of the Western Cape, Cape Town

Spain

• TCNJ Study Center - Universidad de Alcalá de Henares, Alcalá

Thailand

Mahidol University International College, Bangkok (exchange)

Turkey

• Bilgi University, Istanbul (exchange)

United States

TCNJ Study Center - The Washington Center

If the destination of interest is not on this list, there are over 500 programs in countries around the world that are available for TCNJ students.