



## Don't miss out on an unforgettable learning experience!

EvCC presents three types of study and travel abroad opportunities.

# 1

Foremost, you may benefit from EvCC's membership in the Washington Community College Consortium for study abroad. This consortium assures that full-time study abroad programs are available each quarter. Courses are taught by community college faculty from several different campuses. You enroll through EvCC and receive course credit on EvCC's transcript, but your classes take place abroad. Typical locations are Paris, Florence, Salamanca in Spain, and Alajuela in Costa Rica. You do not need to be fluent in the language of the country in which you study. Depending on the country and the instructors who are assigned to teach the courses, the courses range from



the arts, to history, to writing, to environmental studies, and more. Generally, these courses can be used in your Associate degree. Yes, it can be expensive, but the experiences offer you the value of broadening your education and experience, and discovering new opportunities. A pre-departure orientation is provided to acquaint you with program requirements, advisable travel supplies, and a specific schedule.

# 2

EvCC also sponsors its own study and travel abroad programs. One is located in Cuernavaca, Mexico. Scheduled for August, this program is shorter and less expensive than those of the consortium described above, and requires previous study in Spanish. Another program is located in Stuttgart, Germany, where students participate in a 3-week homestay/travel program. Interested in spending the summer in Spain? Look into our program in Valladolid. Also, our Nippon Business Institute (NBI) Japan Study Program offers a short-term study abroad program during which students stay with host families, travel and interact with students from EvCC's long-time sister college in Nagoya, Japan.

# 3

As a third option, you may arrange to enroll in one of the many study abroad programs sponsored by other institutions and organizations. In this case, it is very important to work with an EvCC advisor in advance to assure that the credit counts toward an EvCC degree.

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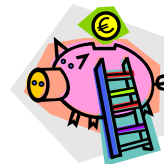
- *Italy*
- *France*
- *Japan*
- *Germany*
- *Costa Rica*
- *Spain*

For information about our study abroad programs, contact Joy Fitzpatrick, Program Manager, 425-388-9220. An early deadline may apply for the study abroad programs.

Insurance is required for study abroad programs, and in many cases you must pay for airfare separately. Students may be eligible for financial aid (mostly in the form of a student loan) to cover some of the study abroad expenses. For more information, please contact the financial aid office at 425-388-9280.

### Make it affordable...

- ✓ **Some of our shorter programs cost less.**
- ✓ **Check out your eligibility for financial aid.**
- ✓ **Consider applying for a scholarship. Check out: [www.iie.org/programs/gilman/index.html](http://www.iie.org/programs/gilman/index.html)**



*Combine classroom learning with the experience of living and traveling in another culture.*

*In our global economy, experience living abroad and knowledge of another language gives you a competitive advantage!*

# Consortium Programs ~

Join students from other Community Colleges for a full-term living and learning experience in college-credit courses in another country.

## ALAJUELA, COSTA RICA



This 10-week program occurs entirely in Costa Rica, and combines study in the Spanish language. Latin American culture and contemporary Latin American literature for a well-rounded experience. While there, you stay with a local family, enjoying involvement in the daily life and culture of Costa Rica. Various field trips are scheduled, as well as a three-day excursion to the Monteverde Reserve. This program is offered through the Washington Community College Consortium for Study Abroad. This 15-credit intensive study program may be applied toward an associate degree. The fee for this 10-week program is \$5200 (estimate) and includes accommodations, two meals daily, selected tours and medical and travel insurance. Regular tuition is charged for course enrollment; course registration is handled individually through Joy Fitzpatrick.

## SALAMANCA, SPAIN

Study Spanish language along with two other college courses during Winter Quarter, 2008. The 10-week program cost of \$5200 includes double-occupancy homestay accommodation with 3 meals daily, local transportation, weekend stay in Madrid, two full-day excursions plus weekly activities and culture lectures, insurance, and more. Regular tuition is charged for course enrollment; course registration is handled individually through Joy Fitzpatrick.



## FLORENCE, ITALY



In the heart of Tuscany, Florence is the home of the Italian Renaissance. The legacies of Michaelangelo, Fra Angelica, Leonardo da Vinci, Donatello, Boticelli and Dante pervade every moment, every walk, every view. What a great place to study the language, culture and art of Italy! This 10-week program combines study in the Italian language, literature, and art for a well-rounded experience. Various field trips are scheduled to Siena, Pisa and other locales. This program is offered through the Washington Community College Consortium for Study Abroad and is taught by community college instructors in partnership with Eurocentres Language School in Florence. Students register through EvCC. This 15-credit intensive study program may be applied toward an associate degree. The fee is

estimated at \$4800. This affordable price includes housing, insurance and other amenities. Regular tuition is charged for course enrollment; course registration is handled individually through Joy Fitzpatrick.

# ~ Summer Programs ~

## Shorter Stay. Less Expensive.

### JAPAN

The Nippon Business Institute (NBI) Japan Study Program is a group study tour for students with some Japanese language or culture study background. The program takes place during summer months on alternating years in Nagoya, Japan. Students live with host families and take part in traditional Japanese cultural activities such as the tea ceremony and calligraphy classes, visit companies and museums, and participate in several field trips with students and staff members from EvCC's sister college, Toho Gakuen University. Estimated program cost usually runs \$2300-\$2500 and includes airfare, travel insurance, accommodations, most meals and program and event fees. Personal purchases are the responsibility of the individual. Participants need to have successfully completed a minimum of 45 credits at EvCC including two quarters of Japanese language. Applicants also meet with a review committee to determine each participant's qualifications. Prospective trip participants should contact Mayumi N. Smith for more details, at [mnsmith@everettcc.edu](mailto:mnsmith@everettcc.edu)



### VALLADOLID, SPAIN

Experience the culture of Spain in the heart of Castile! The University of Valladolid is the summertime setting for a four-week intensive study (80 hours) program of the Spanish culture and language. The estimated cost of \$3,000 includes round-trip airfare from Seattle to Madrid, transportation from Madrid to Valladolid and return, 80 hours of instruction, accommodation with a host family, a guided sightseeing tour around the historical and administrative quarter of Valladolid, and three guided excursions to various locales around the province or region. Health insurance, EvCC tuition fees (including a mandatory 1 credit in Spanish 299), personal expenses, and passport fees are not included in the cost. Arrangements for study at other times of the year may be made on an individual basis. For more information, please contact Vidal Martin at the Northwest Language Center at (425) 388-9375.

### STUTTGART, GERMANY

For three weeks during the summer, students experience homestays with German-speaking families, visits to a local high school, and excursions to many historic and cultural sites. To prepare for this program, students should successfully complete at least 2 quarters of college-level German. Estimated cost is \$1800 - \$2000 and includes airfare, accommodations, selected tours, and tuition for 5 credits. For more information contact the Northwest Language Center at 425-388-9499, or Daniela Stewart at 425-388-9401.

### CUERNAVACA, MEXICO

Participants in this program enroll in EvCC's Spanish 299 (1-5 credits), Special Projects in Spanish. To prepare for this program, students should successfully complete at least two terms of college-level Spanish; the College offers intensive Spanish in the summer prior to the travel program. The program is planned for two weeks, starting in August, though this may be expanded. Estimated cost is \$1685, and includes airfare, accommodations, selected tours and medical and travel insurance. Regular tuition is charged for course enrollment. For more information, please contact the Northwest Language Center at (425) 388-9499 or Vidal Martin at (425) 388-9375. Deposit and refund deadlines will apply.

### PARIS, FRANCE

This four-week summer program offers a language experience, study and living in Paris, with excursions to other historic towns and cities. This program is offered through the Washington Community College Consortium for Study Abroad and is taught by community college instructors from the consortium. Students register through EvCC in a 5-credit French language course which may be applied toward an associate degree. The fee for this 4-week program is \$3,300 (estimate) and includes accommodations, 2 meals daily, selected tours and medical and travel insurance. Regular tuition is charged for course enrollment; course registration is handled individually through Joy Fitzpatrick.



## About Everett Community College

Improve your personal skills, discover new ideas, prepare for work and/or university transfer, and improve your career prospects through programs at EvCC.

Each term, about 9,800 students enroll in a wide variety of courses. Day, evening, distance, and workplace-based options are available. Students may enroll on a full-time or part-time basis. EvCC offers two-year associate degrees, short-term certificates, endorsements and industry certifications.

Student life can be active. EvCC offers athletic programs in basketball, baseball, volleyball, soccer and running.

Student clubs range from Phi Theta Kappa (the Honor Society) to the United Native American Council to the International Club to the German Club, and more. Our Student Government and Programs Board are always on the go with activities that make college life fun. These programs also offer the opportunity for growth in leadership skills.

Student services are designed to support students in their studies, remove barriers, and enrich student life. Financial aid services offer grant and loan opportunities, as well as scholarships. Our Counseling, Advising and Career Center has a rich array of information and personal assistance for students. The Diversity and Equity Center supports student activities and College programs that promote growth and opportunity toward cultural understanding.

Former EvCC students have found employment in business and industry, in community service agencies, in schools, and in other locales. Our transfer students are known to do very well at UW, WWU and other four-year schools.

*As a college interested in international education, EvCC maintains relationships with several schools abroad and enrolls about 50 international students each term from many parts of the world. We welcome any student who wishes to join our International Club. For more information, contact Joy Fitzpatrick at (425) 388-9220.*

### EvCC's University Center

Looking for educational options close to home?

Check out our new University Center, offering a variety of Bachelor's and



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