

## Frequently asked questions – Student Life – Study Abroad & A Year in Industry

Below you'll find answers to the questions we get asked most:

### ***If I study abroad do I have to study at a different university?***

No, there are many options as to what to do when on your year abroad. You can get a job, teach English as a second language or study at a different university if you wish to.

### ***Do you have to know a different language to study abroad?***

No, there are many options for studying abroad in an English speaking country.

### ***Can you only study abroad if you are studying a language?***

No, there are many opportunities to study abroad no matter what course you are studying.

### ***Does it cost a lot to study abroad?***

Costs can vary but there is a lot of financial support for those studying abroad to ensure everyone is able to take up the opportunity.

### ***Do you have to find your own placement for a year in industry?***

This can vary between universities but there is always a lot of support available for the careers team within the university to help you find the right placement for you.

### ***Do you get paid if you do a year in industry?***

This can vary between each placement and so it is worth looking early so you have the best chance of securing the right one for you.

### ***Are you guaranteed a job at the company if you take a year in industry?***

You are not guaranteed a job for when you graduate from your placement company but it is not unusual to be offered one.

### ***Is your year abroad assessed?***

Again, this can vary between universities. Sometimes you will be asked to write an essay on your experience or if you are studying at a different university, you may sit exams at the university as part of the course.