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Abroad

AND HOW TO FINANCE IT!



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TEACH ENGLISH ABROAD

**CERTIFICATES FOR
TEACHING ENGLISH
ABROAD**

TEFL

[Teaching English as a Foreign Language]

TESOL

[Teaching English as a Second Language]

CELTA

[Certificate in English Language Teaching to
Adults (Cambridge)]

DELTA

[Diploma in Teaching English to Speakers of
Other Languages]



**EXPANDING HORIZONS
THROUGH GLOBAL
VOLUNTEERISM**



Informative Videos.

Best Places to Teach English
Should I get a CELTA certificate?
Black Folks Don't Travel
Why Are Black People in Japan So Weird?
Three reasons why I teach English Abroad
Being Black in China
Being Black in Thailand

Awesome Blogs.

Black Life China
This Place, This Time
This Space, This Time
Urban Girl
Women of Color Living Abroad
Travel Noir
The Black Experience Abroad

Great Sites & Articles.

Dear Harriet Article- Lessons I've Learned as a Black Woman World Traveler
Study Abroad Isn't Just for White Students

<http://www.accreditedschoolsonline.org/resources/study-abroad/>



RESOURCES



[AllAbroad.us](#) advocates for increased participation and diversity in study abroad. There are sections for students, parents and faculty/staff. It also includes a "Mentor" section with video clips of mentors who have answered questions about studying abroad as well as an extensive listing of scholarship opportunities.

[Diversity Abroad](#) includes advice, scholarship information, student testimonials, and more.

[PLATO](#): Project for Learning Abroad, Training & Outreach addresses some of the issues and challenges ethnicity may play in the study abroad experience for underrepresented students, and linking to additional information, resources, and scholarships; this site includes the top 10 reasons for students from African-American, Hispanic-American, Native American, and Asian/Pacific Islander Backgrounds to study abroad.



[Michigan State University](#) provides information for students of color interested in studying abroad as well as a comprehensive list of scholarships available to students of color considering study abroad.

[Global Scholars](#) offers online modules for study abroad courses—pre-departure, while abroad, and return.

[Rotary International](#) has one of the largest scholarship programs of all. Available to undergraduates and graduates not all related to Rotary Club members; apply early--about 1 to 1 1/2 years before you wish to go--through the Rotary Club in your home town. Rotary encourages students of color to apply. See the Rotary website for more information, www.rotary.org.

[Awards for International Study.](#)

[Fogarty International Center's Minority International Research Training \(MIRT\) Grant](#) sends minority students abroad, accompanied by U.S. college faculty, with full funding to do health-related research worldwide. (U-M student Natalie McFarlin, see below, had her first experience abroad through a Fogarty program). For more information, contact: Fogarty International Center, MIRT, National Institutes of Health, www.fic.nih.gov.



[The Woodrow Wilson International Fellowship](#) Foundation offers several programs for students of color interested in international careers, who must apply in their sophomore year of college. Visit the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation.

The [Peace Corps](#) is a great bet for anyone interested in working directly with ordinary people in more than 64 less-developed countries. The U.S. government pays all expenses plus over \$8,000 savings at the end of the two-year voluntary commitment. Contact: Peace Corps, www.peacecorps.gov.

[Payne Fellowship Program](#)

[Rangel Scholars Program](#)