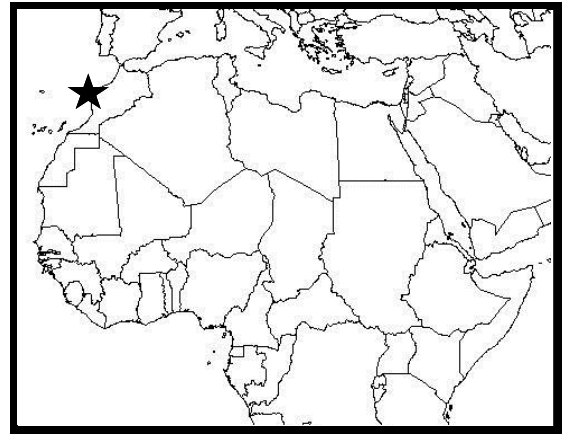


**MIGRATION & TRANSNATIONAL IDENTITY
MULTICULTURALISM & HUMAN RIGHTS
FIELD STUDIES IN JOURNALISM & NEW MEDIA**

[HTTP://WWW.SIT.EDU/STUDYABROAD/](http://www.sit.edu/studyabroad/)



APPLICATION DEADLINES*

February 8: all terms for 2012-2013 academic year

ELIGIBILITY

GPA: 3.0
See Prerequisites Below.
Enrollment is limited.

This program includes the following opportunities:

- Internships Service Learning Community/Field Study Research Community Service

CALENDAR

FALL SEMESTER: SEPTEMBER—DECEMBER
SPRING SEMESTER: JANUARY—MAY

PROGRAM

These programs are coordinated by the School for International Training (SIT). SIT programs are experiential and offer structured coursework with cultural immersion, community engagement, and independent field-based research. These are interdisciplinary, theme based programs that consist of 10-30 students from U.S. universities. Courses are taught by local experts, professors, and professionals. SIT provides orientations, housing, educational excursions and extensive support.

ACADEMICS

SIT offers three program tracks in Morocco: Migration & Transnational Identity, Multiculturalism & Human Rights, and Field Studies in Journalism & New Media. These semester programs have a set curriculum of 24 quarter credits including intensive Arabic language study, a thematic seminar, field study seminar, and an independent study project (ISP). Students in the Journalism track may opt to study French instead of Arabic. The ISP is conducted in the final weeks of the program, and provides you with a unique opportunity to research a topic about which you are passionate in collaboration with community members and organizations. Many students consider the ISP the most rewarding and challenging aspect of the study abroad experience.

COST

Billed by DU:

- DU Tuition
- DU Technology Fee
- Study Abroad Housing
- Study Abroad Meals

Non-Cherrington Scholars will be charged a \$50 application fee and a program fee.

LOCATION: RABAT, MOROCCO

Both programs are based in the cosmopolitan city of Rabat (pop. 2 million), Morocco's cultural, political, and academic center. Morocco is often referred to as a crossroads between Africa, Europe, and the Middle East; you will be able to observe these historic influences and Morocco's current role in these diverse regions.

HOUSING & MEALS

Students on each program spend 7-8 weeks living with host families and participate in a shorter homestay in a rural village. Host families in Rabat are generally working and middle class families. It is possible that you may not have your own bedroom within the homestay and you should be prepared to experience less privacy than what you may be accustomed to in the US. Homestays in rural areas will likely be very basic. Other accommodations during the programs may include small hotels, hostels or private homes. Meals are included.

CULTURAL CONNECTIONS

SIT programs provide ample opportunities for cultural engagement and immersion through urban and rural homestays, connections with local experts and community leaders, educational excursions throughout Morocco, and your ISP.

PREREQUISITES

Journalism & New Media students should have some previous coursework in writing, journalism, or a related field and should possess strong writing skills.

Student Costs:**

The cost of living varies in other cities and countries. Talk to returnees from the program to find out what personal expenses to expect, but remember that they vary by lifestyle. Check www.xe.com for current exchange rates. SIT offers scholarships; check their [website](#) for details.

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***Instructions on how to apply are on the back of this flyer →**

**For more details on student expenses, refer to DU's web site: <http://www.du.edu/intl/abroad/costs.html>

HOW TO APPLY

⇒ **Attend Study Abroad 101**

Held weekdays at the I-House. See website for schedule (www.du.edu/intl/abroad/info_sessions.html).

⇒ **Meet with an international education advisor**

Learn about your options and get answers to your questions.

⇒ **Apply for a passport—<http://travel.state.gov/passport>**

If you already have one, make sure you know where it is and when it expires.

⇒ **Apply to study abroad!**

If you are convinced the program described on this flyer is right for you, follow the steps below to apply. Turn your COMPLETE application in to the front desk at the I-House.

ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED. THIS IS A LIMITED-ENROLLMENT PROGRAM.

DU APPLICATION: DUE FEBRUARY 8

- University of Denver Study Abroad Application on [MyWeb](#)
- Academic Advisor's signature on your completed and printed online application form
- DU short-answer essays
- Official transcript(s) from other universities attended, if applicable
- Non-Cherrington students will be charged a \$50 application fee to their DU account.

Note: Cherrington status may be revoked at any time due to a change in your student conduct or academic status. Also, the OIE will request your DU transcript; check and clear any holds now to avoid delays in processing your application!

PROGRAM APPLICATION: DUE AFTER YOU'VE BEEN NOMINATED

Once you've been nominated for this program, you will be required to submit the following:

- The SIT On-line Application includes essays, a letter to your homestay family, your Independent Study Project Proposal, 2 Academic References, and a Participation of Approval form.

Open the SIT application at https://secure.worldlearning.org/applications/ssa/ssa_intro.cfm.

You do NOT need to pay the application fee. Your Participation of Approval form will be completed by your OIE advisor after your application is submitted and reviewed. References should be received electronically by SIT no later than the DU application deadline. If you prefer to submit hard copies of your references, they should be submitted to the OIE in a signed and sealed envelope.



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