

# STUDY & INTERNSHIP PROGRAM BERLIN, GERMANY PROGRAMS START EVERY MONDAY



#### PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This Study & Internship program combines a minimum 4 week Standard Group German Study program followed up with a minimum 6 week Internship Work Experience placement in the community. All internship opportunities will work in partnership with local people in a variety of community-based projects. This unique program offers exciting hands-on work opportunities, meaningful cultural immersion, and an enriching language program.



#### CITY AND COUNTRY INFO

Berlin is a fascinating metropolis in the heart of Europe. Berlin is now, more than ever before, a remarkable city. Decades of division following World War II and Berlin's special status as Allied-occupied territory have left their enduring mark on the city's life. Circumstances have radically changed since November 9, 1989 and Berlin has moved to the forefront of the international scene. The dismantling of the Wall and the opening of borders have made Berlin today one of Europe's most lively and interesting cities.

Grand palaces, incomparable art museums like the Pergamon and the Bauhaus, innumerable restaurants, a vast and varied music scene and nightlife all make Berlin a unique destination for learning the German language.

Berlin is like no other city in Germany or the world. For over a century its political climate has mirrored or determined what has happened in the rest of Europe, and it's this sense of living in a place where all the dilemmas of contemporary Europe are embodied that gives Berlin its fascination.

#### HIGHLIGHTS OF PROGRAM

After participating in this Study & Internship Program in Berlin, students will gain unique cross-cultural professional experience, greatly improved foreign language abilities, personal and professional growth and confidence both nationally and internationally, and culturally sensitive yet sound communication skills

# What's Included

- Tuition and Class Materials: 4 week minimum-group 20 German 45 minute lessons per week in group of 5- 12 students per class.
- Internship Placement: in local Business or Organization
- Lodging: In a Student Residence or Apartment
- Arrival Transfer
- Placement Testing
- 1-2 Organized Activities Weekly\*
- \* Entrance fees, transportation, etc. may be at additional cost.
- Access to E-mail

- Access to Multimedia Learning Center
- Certificate of Completion
- Pre-Departure Information
- Planning Guide
- Medical, Accident and Sickness Coverage \*\*
- \*\* See policy for definitions and exclusions.
- Medivac Coverage
- Other Travel Coverage: repatriation, baggage, personal effects, accidental death and dismemberment, etc.
- 24 Hour Emergency Multilingual Hotline: call collect from anywhere in the world

#### **FULL PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

#### STUDY PROGRAM

All students complete a minimum of 4 weeks in a Group 20 hours per week German study program. Each class consists of a maximum of 12 students per class and each class is 45 minutes in duration.

The goal of each course is to improve the student's active and passive language ability and develop understanding of German culture and the German way of thinking. All courses are taught exclusively in German and are open to all levels. Students are obliged to attend all lessons on time. All students should bring a dictionary, paper and pens/pencils. All other teaching material will be provided to students.

#### **INTERNSHIP PROGRAM**

German companies participating in the internship program require a minimum German language proficiency level of high intermediate in order to accept individuals into the program and a minimum of 6 week work commitment.

Internship placements are available in the following fields:

- Administration
- Advertisement
- Architecture
- Consulting
- · Culture and cultural institutions
- Ecology
- Event Management
- Graphic & Design

- IT & Communication Technologies
- · Law legal internships
- Marketing
- Political Organizations (NGOs)
- · PR Public Relations
- Real Estate
- Social Work
- Tourism

Student will receive 2 certificates, one from the school and one from the host company. The school will certifies your language skills; the host company issues a statement commenting your performance as a trainee.

Internships placements located 20-25 minutes from NRCSA Center in Berlin.

### **LODGING OPTIONS**

#### **SHARED APARTMENTS**

Students are housed in shared apartments inhabited by one or more German person. Each student has a single room in the apartment and you will share bathroom and kitchen; a good option if you'd like some service from your German host but don't want to be confined by having to integrate into their everyday life. Student Apartments is a popular form of living among Germans, especially in bigger cities. You have a single room in an apartment you share with one or more Germans and take care of all meals yourself. The Germans are between 20 and 40, either students at Berlin universities or professionals. Often you develop close contacts with the Germans in your apartment.

#### STUDENT RESIDENCE

On Campus Residence: 50 studios in 2 houses. You can live right next to the school, in one of 50 studio apartments on site. All studios are single room mini-apartments. Single rooms include the following:

- \* Breakfast
- \* own bathroom with WC, kitchen and shower
- \* WLAN access for your laptop
- \* Phone and TV
- \* Linen & towels

## **PRICE RANGE**

Cost of minimum 4 weeks of classes, minimum of 6 weeks of internship placement, and minimum of 10 weeks of housing ranges from:

 $$4,631 \rightarrow $7,495**$ 

\*\*Prices range according to housing and board options.

# ELIGIBILITY AND GUIDELINES

U.S. citizens traveling on regular passports for tourism or business do not need a visa for a stay of 90 days or less. Those planning a longer visit must obtain a visa in advance of arrival.

Minimum age of 18 undergraduate, graduate students and adults with an undergraduate degree or higher are eligible.

Internship positions on a space available basis. These are unpaid positions and there is a limited number of positions every month.

# <u>ACTIVITIES AND</u> <u>EXCURSIONS</u>

Each week after class, the school organizes various activities. Every week there is a minimum of 3 after class activities and one full day excursion every weekend.

The guide is free but student pays for train tickets, board and accommodation, often less than regular prices, as NRCSA gets special rates for groups.

Example visits include:

- · The Reichstag
- · Charlottenburg Place
- · Brandenburg Gate
- Nearby Postdam
- Sanssouci Palace & Gardens

# **HOW TO REGISTER**

To register for the STUDY & INTERNSHIP PROGRAM in Berlin, either follow the link below or call

1-888-678-6211.

http://www.nrcsa.com/reg/on-line/regform.html

Also, you will have to send your Curriculum Vitae/Resume in German OR English, typewritten by email to study@nrcsa.com or fax at 414-271-8884. When you register, \$140 USD is due to secure your place in the program.