



STUDY & INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

MONTREAL, CANADA

PROGRAMS START EVERY MONDAY



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This Study & Internship program combines a minimum 4 week French study program followed up with a minimum 4 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

The city of Montréal is unique in North America. It was founded in 1642 by French settlers and has the feeling of a European city mixed with North American energy. It is a city of contrasts, and its mixture of languages, cultures and histories make it the vibrant, colorful city that it is. The old city center still has its ancient stone buildings, stone paved roads and horse-drawn carriages. With a population of 2.8 million, Montréal is the largest French-speaking city in the world next to Paris; yet it has an English-speaking population larger than that of the total population of Ottawa, the nation's capital. It is the largest fully bilingual city in the world.

Montréal is a gourmet capital of North America with its myriad of restaurants, offering an excellent selection of the world's finest cuisine. Attractions include the 1967 World Fair site with its La Ronde Amusement Park, the 1976 Olympic site, museums, art galleries and the nearby Laurentian mountain range dotted with lakes. As the fashion capital of Canada, visitors will also soon discover the city's "underground city" where shopping is available in over 11,700 boutiques and department stores.

HIGHLIGHTS OF PROGRAM

After participating in this Study & Internship Program in Montréal, 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 30 French 60 minute lessons per week in group of 6-12 students per class
- **Internship Placement:** in local Business or Organization
- **Lodging:** Homestay and Residence
- **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

The teaching approach focuses on all basic language skills; listening, speaking, reading and writing. Students learn vocabulary and structure, progressing from basic to advanced conversational ability. Classes are small with a maximum of 12 students and often with only 6 or 7 group participants. The small group size assures you of maximum individual participation and attention from the teacher.

Instruction is offered at up to nine levels from elementary to advanced. Students are given an evaluation exam upon arrival and are placed in the appropriate group. A team of teachers, working in rotation, will personally guide you in your studies. They will tutor you in the four language skills: listening, speaking, reading and writing. With the assistance of audio cassettes, overhead projectors, video and other visual aids, your team will instruct you in grammar, correct pronunciation and the use of everyday idiomatic language.

Count on our small classes and international mix of students in bright and modern facilities. University-trained, qualified teachers, and a professional curriculum ensure you make the most of your time. Study short or long term, we have the program for you.

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

After the minimum 4 week study program, there is a 4 week minimum internship placement in a business or organization in Montréal or the surrounding areas.

Students should indicate on their application form which sector or industry they are interested in working in (e.g. tourism, insurance, architecture, etc.). We will then do our best to find a position in a company working in each student's preferred field. Please note that the more specialized the request, the more difficult it is to find a suitable company. Similarly, if students are prepared to be flexible, finding a company willing to offer work experience will normally be relatively quick and straightforward.

LODGING OPTIONS

HOMESTAY

Homestays with Canadian families are arranged by the school. Family accommodation includes a single room, breakfast and dinner. Meals are also provided on weekends. Laundry of sheets and towels is done once a week. The school carefully inspects all homes, and admits only families of good reputation to their accommodation service. The demand for family accommodation is great and requests are filled on a first come first served basis. Most homes are in the suburbs and are within a maximum 60 minutes of the school by public transportation.

RESIDENCE

The downtown YWCA in Montréal offers accommodation with meals in the on-site cafeteria and use of sports facilities. The residence is 5 minutes walking distance to the school and includes a 24 hour reception. Men and women are housed on separate floors in single rooms. Bathrooms and the central cooking facilities are shared. Each room is cleaned daily and contains a TV and alarm clock. Bed linens and towels are changed weekly. This option is at additional cost.

PRICE RANGE

Cost of minimum 4 weeks of classes, minimum of 4 weeks of internship placement and orientation, and minimum of 8 weeks total of housing ranges between:

\$4,204 → \$4,713**

**Prices range according to housing and board options.

ELIGIBILITY AND GUIDELINES

U.S. citizens traveling with 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. Prior experience or classes in the field of the internship placement and a bilingual English-French background (High intermediate level) are required. Internship positions on a space available basis. These are unpaid positions and there is a limited number of positions every month.

ACTIVITIES

Montréal offers an exciting variety of cultural and tourist activities. The school organizes small group excursions on a regular basis where students and teachers visit interesting and entertaining places. These trips are not considered a part of the regular curriculum and are optional with transportation, entrance fees, etc. to be paid by student.

Some weekend activities may include:

- Major Theatrical Performances
- Night of French Cinema
- Dancing in Clubs
- Quebec City
- Toronto/Niagara Falls
- Ottawa

HOW TO REGISTER

To register for the STUDY & INTERNSHIP PROGRAM in Montréal, 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 French 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.