WORKING AND STUDYING OVERSEAS

FEELING ADVENTUROUS?

There is a whole world out there for you to explore. Consider working or studying abroad and get that international dimension to your Essex experience. The UK is just the beginning. Check out your global opportunities at:
www.essex.ac.uk/careers/international

HOW DO I FIND MY IDEAL JOB OVERSEAS?

GOING GLOBAL: Find country-specific career and employment information including worldwide internship and job postings and city career guides at:
online.goingglobal.com

To access Going Global, you will need to log in using your Essex username and password. You may also create a personal account.

INTERNATIONAL JOBONLINE: Find international jobs, graduate programmes and internships at:
jobonline.thecareergroup.co.uk/careergroup/student

PROSPECTS: Advice about working abroad:
www.prospects.ac.uk/jobs-and-work-experience/working-abroad

VENTURE: Comprehensive information about living, working and studying abroad. Visit us for login details:
www.venture-uk.co.uk/

EURES: The job mobility portal providing information on jobs and learning opportunities throughout Europe at:
ce.europa.eu/eures/public/en/homepage

GRADLINK UK: The specialist careers website designed to connect UK-educated students and graduates from China, India and Malaysia with leading graduate employers in their home countries:
www.gradlinkuk.com

www.essex.ac.uk/see/careerhub
WHAT IS IT LIKE TO WORK OVERSEAS?

AGCAS COUNTRY GUIDES: For international students who have chosen to return to their home country to work, Guides include key facts about current trends and jobs, advice about seeking employment, hints and tips for making successful applications and useful information sources:

EU BLUE CARD NETWORK: Enables European employers to connect with highly-qualified non-EU nationals to offer them employment and residence in the EU. The EU Blue Card is Europe’s answer to the US Green Card. Registration is free:
www.apply.eu

N.B. Entry conditions apply. The card does not create a right of admission – it is demand driven i.e. based on a work contract. Its period of validity is between one and four years, with possibility of renewal. The UK, Ireland and Denmark do not participate in the network.

TARGETJOBS: Explore your options for finding graduate jobs and internships abroad:
targetjobs.co.uk/careers-advice/working-abroad

WORKPERMIT.COM: Work permit and immigration advice:
www.workpermit.com

PROJECT VISA: Visa and embassy information for all countries:
www.projectvisa.com

THE CIA WORLD FACTBOOK:

HOW CAN I STUDY OVERSEAS?

FINDAMASTERS: A comprehensive database of postgraduate courses, featuring a wide range of international Masters degree programmes from universities across the globe:
www.findamasters.com

FINDAPHD: Provides information on PhD opportunities worldwide:
www.findaphd.com

INTERNATIONAL GRADUATE: Search for postgraduate courses worldwide:
www.internationalgraduate.net

MASTERS PORTAL: International study choice platform:
www.mastersportal.eu

STUDY OVERSEAS: Information about studying overseas:
www.studyoverseas.com

HOW CAN I FUND MY STUDIES OVERSEAS?

ASSOCIATION OF CHARITABLE FOUNDATIONS: Links to grant-making trusts and foundations, other useful organisations in the UK voluntary sector and contacts for grant-makers in other countries:
www.acf.org.uk

ASSOCIATION OF COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITIES: The world’s first and oldest international university network:
www.acu.ac.uk

INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL AID AND COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH: Comprehensive financial aid, college scholarship and grant information for study abroad:
www.ief.org

POSTGRADUATE STUDENTSHIPS: Brings together all types of funding opportunities at both taught and research postgraduate level:
www.postgraduatestudentships.co.uk/organization

Support for UK nationals wishing to study at American universities is available through the Fulbright Commission:
www.fulbright.org.uk/going-to-the-usa/postgraduate

and the British Council:
www.britishcouncil.org/study-work-abroad

All our handouts and information leaflets are available in other formats on request. The Employability and Careers Centre makes this information available in order to help students and graduates make well informed choices regarding employment opportunities, postgraduate study options and career paths. We make every effort to ensure that the information is accurate and up to date but can accept no responsibility for errors or omissions.

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