

## **HOW TO Study Abroad**

### **M.A. Cultures of the Global South / Culturas del Sur Global / Cultures du Sud global**

The M.A. programme introduces students to an international field of research; accordingly, students are encouraged to pursue their studies abroad for one semester. The programme comprises a mobility window for a compulsory, structured study-abroad semester (module CGS\_MA-05, CGS\_MA-06), which offers a framework for students to further hone their interdisciplinary profile at a partner university abroad. Please start planning for your semester abroad at least one semester in advance.

Your Tübingen lecturers will be able to provide you with information about the partner universities and the courses offered there. They may also be able to connect you with a contact at the partner university for further information. Please note that partner universities may have a limited contingent of places for exchange students from Tübingen. For any questions concerning your learning agreement and course accreditation possibilities please talk to the student advisors.

#### **Prerequisites for the Study Abroad Programme (Before You Leave)**

- Check conditions for enrollment as a student in a study abroad programme at the university you plan to attend early on – at least one semester in advance.
- Contact the International Office for information about bursaries which might help you finance your semester abroad. Take note of application deadlines.
- Check the course catalogue of the university you plan to attend to see which courses you might like to enroll in and contact the student advisors to talk about accreditation.
- Submit a learning agreement to your student advisor and contact at the university you plan to attend. Don't forget to add course descriptions to your learning agreement.

#### **Requisites for the Study Abroad Programme (While You're Abroad)**

- In case of changes to the courses selected in your learning agreement, contact your student advisor and hand in the document *during mobility*.
- Please attach a short description of the newly chosen courses – from the course catalogue of the partner university or similar.
- These should be handed in in a word document each, bearing your name, the name of the course, as well as the time period and university. Please send them to your professor in Tübingen and discuss potential accreditation of the new courses with them.
- Make sure to contact the partner university's student office and ask them to issue a complete transcript of records, which must include an explanation of the grading system at the partner university.

## Requisites for the Study Abroad Programme (On Your Return)

- Submit the completed document “accreditation of study credits from partner universities abroad”.
- Submit the complete “transcript of records“.
- Submit all course descriptions, certificates (e.g. term papers etc.).
- Submit your diploma.

## Contact information

Focus Ethnology (CGS_MA-06d) Profile-related interdisciplinary supplement (CGS_MA-05)	Prof. Gabriele Alex
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Focus Anglophone literatures and cultures of the global south (CGS_MA-06a) Profile-related interdisciplinary supplement (CGS_MA-05)	Prof. Russell West-Pavlov
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