International & Language

The American Language & Culture Program
(ESL, ESP & VESL)
English Language Courses for Beginning, Intermediate and Advanced International Students

The American Language and Culture Program at California State University, Dominguez Hills has courses at all levels for international students, business people and new residents who wish to improve their English language skills. Maximum enrollment in most classes is limited to 15 students to ensure sufficient student practice and attention from the teacher.

Work-Site Programs (WSP)
ALCP can offer English language and culture programs at the work-site for both native and non-native speakers of English.

Intensive English Program (IEP)
ALCP offers an eight-week intensive English language program six times a year for students with academic or professional goals, including passing the TOEFL for entrance into an American university. Ask about our TOEFL waiver program which allows students to meet the University English admissions requirements without taking the TOEFL or IELTS tests.

Listening & Conversation
These classes are offered on seven levels and they provide extensive individual student practice in both speaking and listening.

The Writing Course
In these classes Writing Skills are emphasized and the various creative strategies and processes of writing are highlighted. (Seven levels).

Grammar
The Grammar class presents the important grammatical structures in English through a process of observing, describing and using the structures in written and spoken English.

Reading & Vocabulary
The focus of Reading & Vocabulary classes is to help students increase their vocabulary and comprehension within the context of meaningful, high-interest readings.

English Language Courses (Short & Custom)
For beginning, intermediate and advanced international students, youth programs and on site work programs
Call (310) 243-3830 for more information or visit us on the web: www.csudh.edu/alcp

Intensive English and Work Site Programs
Intensive English language programs for individuals and industry to help them meet their professional goals. Programs are focused to address specific corporate needs including business communications, health and safety issues, and other important topics.
Programs are available for domestic and international groups, and a Certificate of Achievement is awarded upon completion of the program.

For more information: call Tajauta Ortega (310) 243-3830, email alcp@csudh.edu or visit the website http://www.csudh.edu/alcp

Online Language Courses
CSUDH offers hundreds of online Language courses to help you advance your career. For certificate and certification courses, visit http://careertraining.ed2go.com/csudh. For introductory courses, visit http://www.ed2go.com/csudh.

Study Abroad America
International students who wish to study in America for a semester or two can attend university credit courses without formal admission.

Study Abroad America provides an incredible cultural and academic learning opportunity.

Students experience American culture, learn in interesting classes, enjoy beautiful Southern California weather, and make lasting friendships.

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Teach in Asia

Earn Academic Credit
This program sends American educators and students to Asia to help with English language programs in children's international summer camps. Experienced and qualified English language teachers may have the opportunity to share successful teaching strategies and methods with public school teachers who teach English as a second language.

Credentialed teachers who participate in the Experience Asia program also have the opportunity to earn 3 upper-division academic units approved by the College of Education at CSUDH. In addition to the approximately 150 hours of professional development that will be documented. There is a registration fee for academic credits.

Teaching To Teachers
Qualified EFL/ESL certified teachers with a minimum of one year of classroom experience can enjoy a trip to China at a substantially reduced cost – by serving as instructors of methodology classes for Chinese public school teachers. University English professors and college English instructors are especially welcome.
• EFL/ESL certificates are required
• 4 weeks of classes - about 20 hours of teaching time per week - in Tianjin, Ho Chi Minh City, Shanghai: workshops designed to train English teachers through a variety of methods and activities
• Single occupancy lodging
• Program fee (to be announced) includes international airfare, lodging, meals, one week of group travel (includes nonrefundable application fee), additional charge for travel insurance, visa fees, and certified mailings
• Program Fee and Refund Deadline: To be announced

Participants in the teaching program will need to make their own arrangements for passport and immunizations.

International Training Programs
The College of Extended and International Education is one of the university's outreach tools to link California State University, Dominguez Hills to the diverse world communities. Our mission is to reach out to the world communities to share in their economic, cultural and social development. We believe such efforts benefit not only the communities we serve, but also the University.

In particular, our International Training Program provides a wide range of services and information for diverse audiences that include government officials, business executives, scholars and students. We can customize a variety of academic programs, including classroom instruction, field visitations, internships and professional appointments.

Short Term Training Programs from one week up to 3 months:
• Public and Business Administration Programs
• Environment & Occupational Safety, Health & Security Programs
• Quality Assurance Programs
• Business Logistics
• Business English and American Culture
• Youth Sports Camp
• Public Safety & Events Planning

Long Term Training Programs of three months up to two year:
• On line degrees (Public and Business Administration, Quality Assurance, Nursing, etc.)
• Certificate Programs in Public Administration for Government Officials
• Certificate Programs in Business for Executives

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California State University at Dominguez Hills offers multiple study abroad programs and teaching abroad opportunities.

Our Programs

CSU International Programs (IP)
- IP is the overseas study program of the CSU system, affiliated with over 70 institutions of higher learning in 17 countries.
- Full academic year programs in a variety of majors, with articulation with CSUDH courses and most majors.
- Students pay CSU fees, plus travel and living expenses.
- CSUDH financial aid is fully applicable to IP study programs.
- Most programs require a 2.75 GPA, but some require a 3.00 GPA. Students need two faculty recommendations and, when appropriate, foreign language ability.
- Application deadline for most countries is February 1. Applications are available in the IEC office beginning October of each year.
- Learn language programs are available in France, Germany, and Mexico.

IP offers courses in the following 17 countries:
- Australia
- Chile
- China
- Denmark
- France
- Germany
- Israel
- Italy
- Japan
- Korea
- Mexico
- New Zealand
- Spain
- Sweden
- Taiwan
- United Kingdom
- Zimbabwe

University Study Abroad Consortium (USAC)
- Based at the University of Nevada, USAC offers semester programs in Australia, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Denmark, England, France, Germany, Ghana, Ireland, Italy, Malta, New Zealand, Scotland, Spain, and Thailand.
- Summer Programs are available in China, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Denmark, England, France, Germany, Ghana, Ireland, Italy, Spain and Thailand.
- Students pay USAC tuition (typically between $2,000 - 6,000), plus travel and living expenses abroad.
- CSUDH financial aid is fully applicable.
- Students should have a 2.50 GPA and be in good academic standing. Some programs require a 3.00 GPA. Students will be admitted on a "first-come, first-served" basis.

The J.E.T Program
The J.E.T program is sponsored by the Japanese government, which seeks to recruit individuals to serve as teaching assistants for English in Japanese schools. Those selected are paid a tax-free salary of about $35,000 per year. The contract is for one year and can be extended annually. Students must be graduates and less than 35 years of age. This is a great opportunity for those who want international experience, especially those thinking about careers in the international arena. Deadline for this opportunity is December 1st of each year.

Teaching Abroad
A number of students inquire about teaching abroad. Credentialed teachers are eligible to apply to the following organizations:
- European Council of International Schools
- American International Schools

Additional Resources
For more information regarding our Study abroad programs please visit:
www.csudh.edu/iec

Additional Student Resources
http://www.goabroad.com
http://www.studentuniverse.com

International Education Center (IEC)
The IEC office at CSUDH is located in Small College Complex 136A. For any additional information or further questions regarding our programs, stop by our office during our walk-in hours for an advisory session appointment.

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