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When learning *extends*
beyond the edges
of campus

the world becomes
your classroom.

Why just read about other cultures and countries when you can personally experience them? How might your horizons expand when you study and live in a new land? UP's *Studies Abroad* offers year-long, semester, summer, and short-term programs in countries such as Australia, Austria, Ecuador, England, France, Ireland, Italy, Japan, South Korea, and Spain. New programs are in development for destinations in Cambodia, Rwanda, Slovenia, and beyond. Students from all backgrounds and majors are encouraged to apply. Students can study abroad as early as their sophomore year.

Find out more: up.edu/studyabroad



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Change starts with an idea

but it takes action to make it a reality.

The University’s award-winning *Entrepreneur Scholars* program is designed to help give you real-world skills and knowledge, as well as the confidence to launch your own business or non-profit venture. The program includes one-on-one mentorships with established entrepreneurs and domestic and international travel where you’ll make connections with global business leaders and learn about best business practices. All students are encouraged to enter the Pilot Venture Challenge. This annual competition promotes experiential education in entrepreneurship and new business development through student created, launched, and managed ventures.

Find out more:
up.edu/franzcenter/entrepreneurship



A fresh perspective

just might help you find more similarities than differences.

How might your worldview change when you encounter diverse communities and explore socio-economic and social issues up close and in person? The University’s Moreau Center for Service and Justice offers a variety of engagement opportunities, including immersion experiences in urban and rural areas across the U.S. and abroad. You might learn from people experiencing houselessness in downtown Portland or from migrant workers on a Northwest farm. You can explore issues of immigration on the U.S.-Mexico border or trace the Civil Rights Movement and its impact on current issues of racism and classism on a tour through the South.

Find out more: up.edu/moreaucenter

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Take your knowledge and use it in action

through research and internships.

Where in the world can your interests and aspirations take you? You might find yourself conducting professional-level research with UP professors on an archaeological expedition in Spain, or as part of an REU (Research Experiences for Undergraduates) at one of the many universities nationwide that participate in the program. You might find yourself working for a nonprofit, government agency, or local business in such places as Australia, Hawaii, or the West Coast. Recent internships include positions with think tanks in Washington, D.C.; the Denver Museum of Nature and Science; NASA; Nike; PACCAR; and Indian Health Service.

Find out more: up.edu/use and up.edu/career



Language skills and cultural understandings

can open doors at home.

You will earn more than just stamps on your passport in our Sojourner Scholar Certificate Program. Gain second-language proficiency and significant intercultural and international experiences. You will be prepared to work on global issues with care and understanding of human interactions expressed in cultures around the world.

6TH YEAR CELEBRATING ON-SITE FACULTY-STUDENT RESEARCH ON THE ISLAND OF MALLORCA, SPAIN, EXCAVATING AN ANCIENT ROMAN CITY.



A place where all voices are heard

and all experiences are validated.

We are home to undergraduate students from 46 states and territories, as well as 33 countries. At UP, diversity, equity, and inclusion are valued and supported through programs like *Diversity Dialogues* and the *UP Connections* program. Our student clubs include more than a dozen focused on diversity and culture like the Hawai’i and CHamoru’ clubs, Latinx and Black student unions, the Filipino American Student Association, and the Native American Alliance, among many others. The *Office of International Student Services* offers special programs and support for those adjusting to life in the U.S., and the *International Club* organizes events such as International Education Week to promote cross-cultural understanding.

Find out more:
up.edu/inclusion and up.edu/iss



OVER 43% OF UP UNDERGRADUATES SELF-IDENTIFY AS HISTORICALLY UNDERREPRESENTED STUDENTS (BASED ON RACE AND ETHNICITY).

“AFTER VISITING THE INSIDE OF A 42,000-YEAR-OLD CAVE IN NERJA AND THE HALLS OF THE BEAUTIFUL ALHAMBRA PALACE DURING MY TIME IN GRANADA, SPAIN, I CAN ONLY CONFIRM THAT STUDYING ABROAD IS THE EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME.”

— Angelica Garcia ’22
Political Science & Philosophy



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We acknowledge the land on which we sit and which we occupy at University of Portland. “The Portland Metro area rests on traditional village sites of the Multnomah, Wasco, Cowlitz, Kathlamet, Clackamas, Bands of Chinook, Tualatin, Kalapuya, Molalla, and many other tribes who made their homes along the Columbia River creating communities and summer encampments to harvest and use the plentiful natural resources of the area” (Portland Indian Leaders Roundtable, 2018). We take this opportunity to thank the original caretakers of this land.