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10-13 OCTOBER



International Opportunities for International Students

Careers, Employability & Skills

10 October 2022



Agenda

- Introductions- QUB Careers & Global Opportunities Team
- Study Abroad
- Work Abroad
- Volunteer Abroad
- The Student Experience

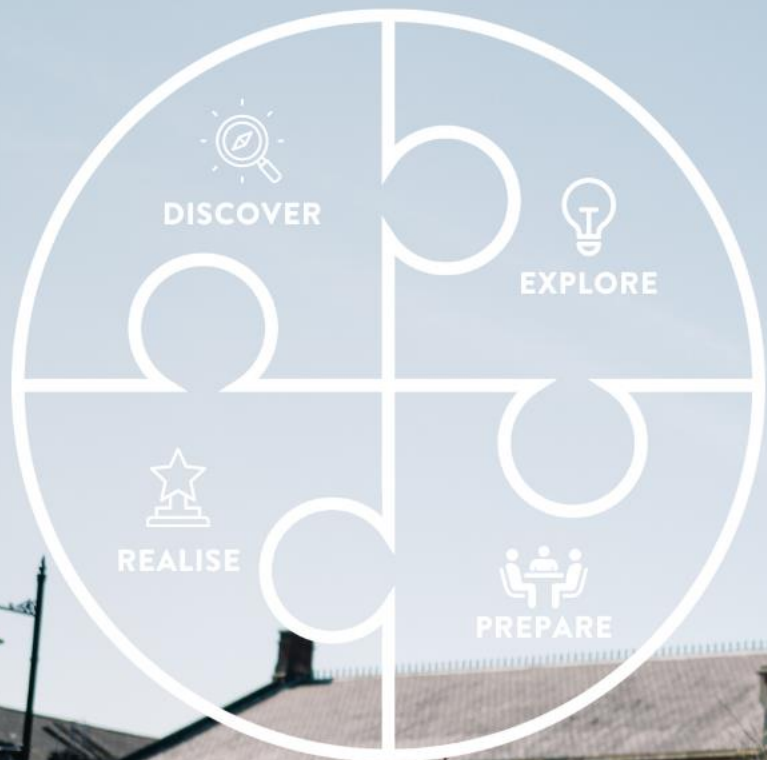
Introduction to CES

By the end of this session you will:

- Understand how international opportunities fit within the career planning cycle
- Know what international opportunities are available
- Further sources of information
- Any questions



How do further international opportunities fit in with career planning?



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ARE YOU FUTURE-READY?



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Workshops and consultation appointments to help you understand your strengths and learn about career options



Career development programmes and study abroad opportunities to help you develop your skills and experience

Networking events, programmes and fairs to help you meet potential employers

Support with finding and applying for jobs, placements and internships including help with CVs, interviews etc

Benefits of undertaking further international experiences

- Work experience can confirm your choice of career path, for good or bad!
- Networking opportunities.
- Build on skills not included within your degree course.
- Extra CV content and interview examples.
- Increase confidence as a global citizen.

The Global Opportunities Team

“We promote and support students with international study and work programmes”

Team of 6- Student Centre

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Virtual Drop in sessions, Tues & Thurs- 12-1pm, **Book via MyFuture**

International Study, Work & Volunteering

- Erasmus/ Turing Exchanges (Study & Work)
- University Exchange Programmes
- Utrecht Summer School Courses
- Rian Immigrant Centre- J1 Visa Sponsor
- Queen's Global Leadership programme
- Mount Batten Programme
- Mitacs Research Internship Programme
- Camp Canada, Camp America & BUNAC
- International Volunteering Opportunities
- Turing Fund/ Awards & Scholarships
- International Web Resources

European Study Exchanges

✓ Undergrad ✓ Postgrad
✗ Graduates

- Between 3 -12 months – 1 semester or 1 academic year
- Open to any year group (some disciplines are restricted)
- Open to any nationality
- Turing funding **potentially** provides financial support for all full-time students*
- Range of exchanges with European Institutions (availability depends on subject)
- Speak with the Erasmus programme Director for your School
- **Normal application closing date - March**

Further information at www.qub.ac.uk/erasmus



International Work Placements

✓ Undergrad

✓ Postgrad

✗ Graduates

- Placement must be between 1-12 months
- **Optional or compulsory part of your degree**
- Placement can be anywhere in the world
- Open to any nationality
- Turing funding **potentially** available for full time students*
- Application for funding via School Placement Coordinator/ office
- Normal funding application closing date – 8 weeks prior to placement

Further information at goglobal@qub.ac.uk

University Exchange Programmes

✓ Undergrad
✗ Graduates

✗ Postgrad

- Spend 1 semester or 1 academic year studying at:
 - The University of Newcastle, Australia
 - Queen's University Kingston, Canada
 - University of Alberta, Canada
- Open to FT undergraduate students (Some subject restrictions)
- Turing funding **potentially** available
- International students pay the normal full tuition fee to QUB for the 2023-24 year.
- Information session- 30th Nov, 1-2pm (Book via MyFuture)
- Applications open in Dec 22 | Closing date – Feb 23

Further information – go.qub.ac.uk/goglobal

Rian Immigrant Centre- J1 Visa Sponsor

✓ Undergrad
✓ Graduates

✓ Postgrad

Undergraduate & Graduate Programme

J1 – 1 year Intern Visa (All passports*)

- This is for you if you have work or a placement already lined up prior to travel
- Open to QUB students with placements pre-set, or graduates with pre-placement
- Responsibility is on the student / graduate to source their own placement prior to applying for this visa

Mount Batten Programme

✗ Undergrad ✗ Postgrad
✓ Graduates (recent)

- 12 month USA Work Placement
- BlackRock, British Airways, Citibank, Fever Tree, HSBC
- **Please note there is a programme cost of \$6,000**
- Package worth more than USD \$25,000 including- coordination of visa, shared accommodation, health coverage, monthly stipend (\$1,275) & health coverage
- March and August start dates
- Eligibility: Non-US citizen, 2:2 classification & min 6 months professional experience required

Mitacs Research Internship- 23-24

✓ Undergrad
✗ Graduates

✗ Postgrad

- 12-week Research Internship (May 1st and October 31st)
- Supervision from Canadian University Staff
- **Fully funded- flight, visa, accommodation, living stipend etc.**
- All subject areas considered- Science, Engineering, Mathematics, Humanities and Social Sciences
- 45 universities across Canada
- Competitive application process

Eligibility

- 18 years of age
- FT UG in their 1st of a 3 yr or 2nd of a 4 yr programme
- 65%+ average
- Be fluent in the oral and written English and/or French



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Camp Canada, Camp America & BUNAC

✓ Undergrad
✓ Graduates

✓ Postgrad

- Spend next summer working and living on a summer camp (9 weeks min)
- Different roles available
- A range of camps to choose from
- Costs apply (Approx. £700-800- Flights are included)
- Salaries vary (\$600-\$1250+)
- 30 days to travel in the USA after camp

Future Ready Skills for Leaders: Boston 2023

✓ Undergrad ✗ Postgrad
✓ Final year

- Open to: 25 undergraduate students (Any year & subject)
- Project “How might Queen's ensure our graduates are equipped to tackle 21st Century problems”?
- On campus workshops & Training (Jan & March)
- Trip to Boston (3-10 June 2023)
 - Company visits
 - Networking events
 - Cultural events
- Cost: £250 (2 X £125 instalments)
- Applications are open and close on **Friday 28th October (12 noon)**

Information Session- 19 October 12-1pm (Book via MyFuture)



International Volunteering Opportunities

✓ Undergrad
✓ Graduates

✓ Postgrad

Be cautious when choosing a global volunteering opportunity

Volunteering SU only promote global volunteering providers that we hope will provide you with a rewarding and safe experience

Examples include:

- **Habitat for Humanity (RAG International Charity Partner)**
- **Think Pacific-Fiji** (In person and Virtual)
 - Spend next summer working and living abroad
 - Different roles available
 - A range of volunteering roles to choose from
 - Costs apply



The Student Experience

Suyi Yang

Psychology with
Professional Placement

Working Globally from NI



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Sources of Funding

- Turing
- Careers funded programmes
- AHSS
- EPS
- MHLS
- Queen's Awards & Scholarships
- Self funding



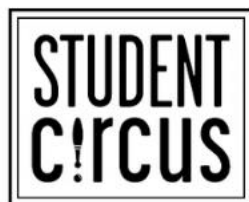
Other useful resources

FIND WORK IN THE UK AFTER GRADUATION



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BOOST THE EMPLOYABILITY
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[Careers Events](#)[Student Success Stories Blog](#)[How to Use MyFuture](#)[Degree Plus](#)[News](#)[Graduate Support](#)[More options](#)

DEVELOPING FUTURE-READY GRADUATES

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Information for employers →

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DEVELOPING FUTURE-READY GRADUATES

We are dedicated to making employability an unmissable part of the student experience at Queen's.

Our expert team are committed to ensuring every student has access to the right experiences to develop future-ready skills.

Careers Service | 028 9097 2727 | careers@qub.ac.uk



Careers Information For International Students

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[International Students: Finding Work after Graduation](#)

[International Student Blog](#)

CAREERS INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL
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Further information

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