

A WEEK OF EVENTS IN ONE ELMWOOD SHOWCASING THE RANGE OF INTERNATIONAL STUDY, WORK AND VOLUNTEERING OPTIONS STUDENTS HAVE, AS WELL AS OUR POPULAR GO GLOBAL FAIR ON WED 9 OCTOBER (12-3 PM) MANDELA HALL.



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**7-10 OCTOBER 2024**





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# Global Opportunities – Short term mobility: Internationalise your studies in a few short weeks



# Summary

- Introductions - Global Opportunities Team
- Student Experiences
- Study, Work & Volunteer Opportunities

# The Global Opportunities Team

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

Team of 7 – One Elmwood Student Centre

Google: ***Queen's Global Opportunities Team***

Semester 1 & 2 Events

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



# Queen's Global Leadership Programme 2025

✓ Undergrad ✗ Postgrad  
✓ Final year

- Open to 25 **Undergraduate** students (Any year & subject)
- Project "**How might students contribute to Queen's becoming a Net Zero University by 2040**"
- On campus workshops & Training (Jan & April)
- Trip to The Netherlands (June/July 2025)
  - University & Company visits
  - Networking events
  - Cultural events
- Cost: £150 (2 X £75 instalments)
- Applications are now open and close on **Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October (5pm)**
- More information at <http://go.qub.ac.uk/globalleadershipprogramme>

**Information Session- 24 October 12-1pm which you can book to attend via MyFuture!**



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# The Clinton Career Insights Programme 2025

✓ Undergrad ✗ Postgrad  
✓ Final year

- Open to 15 **Undergraduate** students (Any year & subject)
- On campus workshops & Training (April, June & August)
- Trip to Boston (August 2025)
  - Company visits
  - Networking events
  - Cultural events
- Cost: Fully funded through The Clinton Scholarship Fund
- Applications open December 2024
- More information at <http://go.qub.ac.uk/globalleadershipprogramme>

**Information Session- Thursday 21 November 4-5pm – book via MyFuture!**



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- 200 courses - Humanities, Business, Law, Science, Health, Tech
- 1-3-week courses
- Costs:
  - Global Opportunities covers course & accommodation (£1,400)
  - Student covers Flights & spending money
  - Social activities
- Applications open in Semester 2
- More information at <http://go.qub.ac.uk/UtrechtSS>

# Washington Ireland Program

✓ Undergrad      ✓ Postgrad  
✗ Graduates

- 12-month Service & Leadership Programme:
  - Pre departure and preparation
  - 8-week Summer Internship in Washington DC
  - Community Service & Advocacy upon returning home
- Open to all disciplines - UG and PG (Full time only)
- Live with host family in Washington DC
- Applicants must be born in the Republic of Ireland or Northern Ireland, or a citizen of Ireland or Northern Ireland, or regard Ireland or Northern Ireland as home.
- Approx. cost £1,250 – WIP provides return flights, Accommodation, Visa processing fees and weekly stipend for travel costs. Applicants can apply for WIP Scholarship.
- **Information session on 17 October, 1 pm which you can book to attend via MyFuture!**

Further information – [www.wiprogram.org](http://www.wiprogram.org)





# Project Children – US Summer Internships



✓ Undergrad  
✗ Graduates

✓ Postgrad

- 7-week cultural exchange programme in USA as an intern with a US company
- Experience the US way of life by living with an American host family
- 20-25 places

## Eligibility Criteria

- FT Student, Resident of NI/ ROI, UK or ROI Passport, aged 18-24 years old

## Funding

- **Project Children cover** - Return flights, bus transfers, medical insurance, accommodation & food, \$150 weekly stipend.
- **Student covers** - Programme fee of £100, \$160 J1 processing fee, Travel insurance to cover your belongings (optional) & Spending money.

Further information – [www.projectchildreninterns.com](http://www.projectchildreninterns.com)

# Think Pacific – Fiji and Bali



✓ Undergrad  
✓ Graduates

✓ Postgrad

## Volunteering Expedition

- See Fiji through the eyes of the local people and live at the heart of a remote Fijian village
- 1 or 2 months- 6 x Turing Funded places being offered by Queen's\* (Not fully funded)
- Placements - mental health projects, building/ development projects, Environmental projects

## Virtual Internships

- Contribute to Fiji's development plan from the comfort of your home
- 4/8 or 12 weeks - Research, Cultural awareness sessions, Project delivery
- Programme Fees apply - bursaries available from TP & Queen's Careers

Further info – [www.thinkpacific.com](http://www.thinkpacific.com)



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# Mitacs Globalink Research Internship – 25-26

✓ Undergrad  
✗ Graduates

✗ Postgrad

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

## Eligibility

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

Check out Emily's blog: <http://go.qub.ac.uk/MitacsExperience>



# Camp Canada, Camp America, USIT, American Summers

✓ 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





# AHSS Belmont Summer Schools

## Belmont University Summer Programme

In addition to experiencing one of the most vibrant and dynamic cities in America, students will explore the history of Nashville and examine the social and economic challenges that persist in the city.

- June 2025
- Open to any current 2<sup>nd</sup> year student
- Subsidized by Faculty (flights and accommodation)
- £350 cost (or £100, see T&C's)

**APPLICATIONS OPEN IN SEMESTER 2**

# AHSS & EPS JetSet Awards

## AHSS JetSet Award

- Financial Awards to support your Global Mobility
- Apply for £1,000 to support your international travel for skills development in 2024-25
- It must be an international activity during the 24/25 academic year that will enrich your degree and support your skill development
- relevant to your chosen career.
- Apply via the Faculty “**Global Mobility**” webpage

## EPS JetSet Award

- Financial awards to support UG students to join an International Summer School in 2024
- Successful applicants will receive £750 for a European Summer School or £1500 for an International Summer School
- Apply via the Faculty “**JetSet Your Degree**” webpage





# The Student Experience

Emma Keown

BSc Human Biology

Utrecht Summer School

**IAESTE**



✓ Undergrad  
✓ Graduates

✓ Postgrad

- Paid International placements- 6 weeks to 12 months
- Mostly STEM subjects & any nationality (2nd year+)
- Companies, Universities, Government bodies etc.
- IAESTE support e.g. choosing an employer, applying for visas, finding accommodation & settling into country e.g. USA, Japan, Austria, Germany, Hungary
- Costs include IAESTE placement fee (£TBC), flights/travel, visa, vaccinations costs and spending money. CES Scholarship available & salary included
- **APPLICATIONS OPEN – Rolling application dates**

Further information – <https://iaeste.org/>



# GoToCo



✓ Undergrad      ✓ Postgrad  
✓ Graduates (recent)

- Teach English or lead outdoor activities on camps across SE Asia, Europe and S America
- Programmes typically run from July- August for 4-6 weeks
- Costs
  - no programme costs, accommodation, meals and TEFL course (Refundable Deposit)
  - Students pay flights, visa and any day-to-day expenses
- Teaching of English as a Foreign Language certificate
- Graduate Teach Thailand programme (12 months+)
- **APPLICATIONS OPEN**

Further information – <https://www.go-to.co/>



# CRCC Asia & Pagoda Projects- Internships

✓ Undergrad      ✓ Postgrad  
✓ Graduates (recent)

- Private Internship Providers
- Range of locations- Vietnam, Japan, South Korea, New Zealand, Taiwan, China,
- Range of industries- Tech, Engineering, Finance etc.
- Duration 2 week- 3 months
- Price- £3,000- 5, 000 (Does not include flights, day to day costs or salary)



# International Volunteering Opportunities

✓ Undergrad  
✓ Graduates

✓ Postgrad

Be cautious when choosing a global volunteering opportunity

Examples include:



- Spend next summer working and living abroad
- Different roles available
- A range of volunteering roles to choose from
- Costs apply



# Sources of Funding

- International Student Mobility Grant (Turing/Irish Government)
- Global Opportunities funded programmes
- AHSS
- EPS
- MHLS
- Queen's Awards & Scholarships
- Self-funding





# Go Global Week Events (7 - 10 Oct)



- Mon 7 Oct - International Opps for International Students - 10 am
- Mon 7 Oct - Focus on Australia, Canada and the US: your global adventure - 1 pm
- Tues 8 Oct - Short-term mobility: Internationalise your studies in a few short weeks - 10 am
- Tues 8 Oct - Fund your global experience: explore the financial help that's at hand - 1 pm
- **Wed 9 Oct - Go Global International Fair - 12-3pm**
- Wed 9 Oct - Study USA Information Session - 3:30 pm
- Thurs 10 Oct - Study and Work in Europe: a simple guide - 1 pm
- Thurs 10 Oct - What I Learnt from My International Experience and What You Could Too - 5 pm



Visit **[go.qub.ac.uk/goglobalweek](https://go.qub.ac.uk/goglobalweek)** to register for the above sessions

# Further information

**Global Opportunities Team**

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