CED-Related Study Abroad Program Profiles

**NOTE:** BEFORE you commit to a program be sure to check in with your adviser about transferability of units, the senior residence requirement, the CED semester limit and other related policies.

**Danish Institute for Study abroad (DIS): Copenhagen:** The program is designed for students majoring in architecture, interior design, interior architecture, urban design, landscape architecture, and graphic design. The Studio core course and study tours will expand your professional skills and knowledge through interaction with Danish architects and designers; familiarize you with contemporary Danish, Scandinavian, and European architecture, design, and theory; enable you to recognize and analyze the effects of cultural, economic, and political life on architecture and design, and vice versa.

Website: [http://www.dis.dk/study-abroad/programs/architecture-design/](http://www.dis.dk/study-abroad/programs/architecture-design/)

**Term:** Semester, Summer  
**Units:** Semester: around 18 (one core studio and electives) Summer: 9  
**Language:** English  
**Application:** Fall: May 15 Spring: Nov. 15 Summer: April 15  
**Fee:** Semester: $19,950 Summer: $9,790 (tuition and fees, study tours, books, total transportation, health insurance, housing)  
**Courses:** Architectural Design Studio, Information Design Studio, Interior Architecture Studio, Urban Design Studio; 14 electives in Architecture, 13 in Design, 10 in sustainability, 2 in Landscape architecture, 4 in urban studies, and many other disciplines

**UC Berkeley Summer Sessions Travel Study; Guardamar de Segura, Spain:** Come to this small resort town on Spain’s Mediterranean Costa Blanca, once a medieval fishing village, and explore the role of culture and environment in architectural design. Guardamar de Segura is an average vacation town to most, but to the student of architecture and urbanism, it is a rich laboratory, ripe with complexity and contradiction. You will examine the notion that architectural context is not just about being a “good neighbor” in terms of aesthetic style, but of responding to larger issues affecting our planet today. The course will delve into the idea that finding common ground though learning about different cultures, points of view, and methods of building supports the concept of context in the urban environment and at large. As an architectural studio course, you will not only be seeking a theoretical response to the issues being studied, but also will focus primarily on arriving at physical architectural solutions that speak to both the micro and macro problems of the site.

Website: [http://summer.berkeley.edu/travelstudy/guardamar-de-segura](http://summer.berkeley.edu/travelstudy/guardamar-de-segura)  
**Term:** Summer  
**Units:** 6  
**Language:** English  
**Application:** April 1  
**Fee:** $3,967 (UC Undergrad) (room, some meals, excursions)  
**Courses:** ARCH 101 Case Studies in Architecture, ARCH 199 Supervised Independent Studies

**AIFS Summer Study Abroad Traveling Program in European Art and Architecture:** This four-week comprehensive survey of western European culture emphasizes art and architecture, spending seven days in London, three in Amsterdam, five in Paris, two in Lucerne, three in Venice, four in Florence and three in Rome. Three semester credits are recommended for course work. Major contributions of Western Europe to world art are considered in lectures and site visits. The course is taught by and transcripts are issued by Richmond, The American International University in London, a US and UK accredited institution. The program leader who accompanies the program is a European specialist in art and architectural history.

**Term:** Summer  
**Units:** 3  
**Language:** English  
**Application:** March 15 deadline, March 1 scholarship deadline, $95 fee  
**Fee:** $6,995 (tuition, housing, breakfast, cultural activities, insurance) Flight separate. All-Inclusive Fee: $8,315 (all above plus flight SF to London, and Rome to SF, and airport to hotel transfers)

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CEA Environmental Studies in Costa Rica, Veritas University: In this program, courses are available in both Spanish and English and intended for students of all language levels. Students will study the environment in a region that leads the field of environmental conservation, as well as take Spanish Language Courses through Veritas University. Veritas University was founded in 1975 as a college of the Universidad Autónoma de Centroamérica, the first private university in Costa Rica. Shortly thereafter, Veritas University became an independent university and has since grown to become one of the most highly recognized private universities in the Latin American community. Not only is Veritas University fully accredited by the Costa Rica Ministry of Education, but it is also a member of the College Consortium for International Studies and NAFSA: Association of International Educators.
Website: http://www.gowithcea.com/programs/costa_rica/san_jose/3007/overview.html
Term: Fall, Winter, Spring
Units: 13-18
Language: Spanish and English
Application: Fall: Aug. 10 Winter: Nov. 10 Spring: Feb. 10, $95 fee
Fee: Fall: $7,995 Winter: $8,595 Spring: $ 8,595 (tuition, orientation, housing, excursions, activities, volunteer opportunities, university services, airport reception)
Courses: Vary; Spanish Lang. & Lit., Environmental Studies Electives (Tropical Architecture and Design, Tropical Ecology, Environmental Impact and Social Development, Environmental Awareness and Sustainable Development…)

IES Metropolitan Studies and Architecture Summer Program in Berlin: The IES Abroad Berlin Metropolitan Studies Program uses Berlin as a case study to examine the issues relevant to major cities today. Through English-taught comparative and interdisciplinary courses, you will study topics such as Architecture, Cultural Identity, the European Union, Gender and Sexual Politics, Multiculturalism, Popular Culture, and Urban Studies. Courses focus on Central Europe, but include comparisons to metropolises in Western and Eastern Europe and the United States. A research seminar allows you to pursue additional academic research in Metropolitan Studies for credit. A unique highlight of the program is its experiential component. Field study trips to Paris, France and St. Petersburg, Russia provide a first-hand comparative context for study. In addition, you will experience the streets, neighborhoods, and architecture of Berlin, and learn by interacting with the local environment.
Website: https://www.iesabroad.org/IES/Programs/Germany/Berlin/Metropolitan/berlinMetro.html
Term: Semester, Summer
Units: 15-19
Language: English
Application: Fall: May 13 Spring: Nov. 1
Fee: Fall: $18,995 Spring: $19,250 (tuition, housing, health insurance) Summer: TBA
Courses: Examples: Visual Culture and the Urban Landscape, The recycled and Fragmented City, Metropolitan Development: Urban Studies in a Comparative Perspective
Summer: Global Challenges in the 21st Century: Design and the Limits of Sustainability, From Baroque Parks to Postindustrial landscapes, Beginning/Intermediate German

IES Ecole Speciale D’Architecture (ESA) in Paris (Semester French Studies Program): Founded in 1865, and considered to be one of France's best schools for architectural training, the Ecole Spéciale d'Architecture seeks to introduce the most advanced technology into its teaching. Architectural celebrities are occasionally invited to the school as visiting professors to run one of the studios for a semester or two. The ESA is seen in France as very experimental and forward thinking in comparison to other French public schools. Courses at the ESA integrate workshops, lectures, and practical exercises. Each semester, a specific area of thought is explored by the entire school. The overall theme influences the teaching as a whole and sheds a particular light on all work done during the semester. Prior themes have included: Form, Space, Landscape, Scale, Light, Townscape, Time, and Matter.
Website: https://www.iesabroad.org/IES/Programs/France/Paris/French_Studies_Program/University_Partners/ESA/esaProfile.html
Term: Semester
Units: 15-19
Language: French (four semesters college level French required)
Application: Fall: $17,875 Spring: 17,995 (Tuition, housing (apt or homestay), health insurance, 10 meals a week if homestay), fieldtrips
Courses: Check with local Institution (Ecole Speciale d’Architecture)

Other IES Programs of Interest: Visual Art Classes are offered in Amsterdam, The Netherlands; Rome, Italy; London, England; Milan, Italy; Freiburg, Germany

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SIT Study Abroad Renewable Energy, Technology, and Resource Economics in Akureyri, Iceland: Iceland is a world leader in developing the use of renewable energy. While this is partly attributable to the country's ample endowment of geothermal and hydroelectric resources, Icelanders have also made unique economic choices, valuing the social benefits of energy independence differently than much of the world. Students gain insight from the Icelandic experience that can be applied elsewhere in the world. The program is divided into three components: 1. Akureyri, the largest city in the north of Iceland, where students study at the School for Renewable Energy Science, associated with the University of Akureyri and University of Iceland. 2. The remote Westfjords region, where students conduct independent study projects in conjunction with the University Centre of the Westfjords and learn about village-scale energy problems. 3. The capital, Reykjavik, where students meet with government ministries, industry leaders, and social activists to develop their understanding of how Iceland's energy policy fits into the country's larger national agenda. Students have an interdisciplinary seminar on renewable energy, technology, and resource economics (taught entirely in English), as well as an introductory Icelandic language course, which helps students develop a deeper appreciation of the culture. Typically, students also have the opportunity to live with an Icelandic family during their time in Akureyri.

Website: http://www.sit.edu/ICE

Term: Summer
Units: 8
Language: English
Application: Jan 15 - April 1
Fee: TBA Jan 15†
Courses: Renewable Energy, Technology, and Resource Economics Seminar (6 units), Introduction to Icelandic (2 units)

SIT Study Abroad Himalayan Buddhist Art and Architecture in Leh, India: This unique study abroad program examines art history and Buddhism on the road across northern Indian on the Tibetan plateau. The program is run during the summer. Learning is conducted in classrooms, monasteries, temples, mountainsides, and meadows, Note for prospective students: This program includes extensive time on the road, particularly in the first several weeks. En route to important historical and artistic sites, the group travels over roads that are long, bumpy, and dusty. The group must cross rivers in jeeps, wait for landslide clearances, or make detours. The altitude is high, the food choices are limited, and the group camps for several periods. There is also no internet, no cell phone coverage, and satellite phones are jammed. While traveling between program sites, students have Hindi classes and complete readings for lectures. The travel is challenging and rewarding! Stamina, patience, and good sportsmanship are recommended.

Website: http://www.sit.edu/studyabroad/sss_ina.cfm

Term: Summer
Units: 8
Language: English, Includes introductory Hindi
Application: Jan 15 - April 1
Fee: TBA Jan 15†
Courses: Himalayan Buddhist Art and Architecture Seminar (8 units)

Lexia Architecture and Pre-Architecture in Berlin: Lexia in Berlin now offers an exciting study abroad program for architecture students, the first permanent curriculum of its kind in this world design capital, as well as a pre-architecture program intended for students without previous architecture experience and/or those interested in pursuing a career in the field. Inspired by Berlin's fascinating architectural evolution and the prolific construction of the post-reunification years, Lexia created a program in the fall of 2006 intended both to acquaint students with the unprecedented process of rebuilding in one of Europe's most important cities and to instill a critical attitude towards the physical and cultural context of architectural design.

Website: http://www.lexiaintl.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=blogcategory&id=32&Itemid=57

Term: Year, Semester Summer
Units: Semester: 17 Summer: 8
Language: English
Application: Year: June 15 Fall: June 15 Spring: Nov. 15 Summer: April 15, $40 fee
Fee: Year: $31,550 Fall/Spring: $16,750 Summer: $8,450 (Tuition, excursions, housing, medical insurance) †
Courses: Semester: Design Studio, Architecture Survey, Workshop, German Language Summer: Design Studio, Architecture Survey (Portfolio required)

CIEE Study Spain, Barcelona; Architecture and Design: Drawing on a wealth of resources in Barcelona, this program at the CIEE Study Center in Barcelona aims to offer students a unique cultural perspective on the history and practice of architecture and design in

† Information current as of Fall 2010
contemporary Spain. The Architecture track is offered in English. For the Design track, students must have four semesters of college-level Spanish and their coursework is in English and Spanish.

Website: [http://www.ciee.org/study/programOverview.aspx?pID=1795#1rightForYou](http://www.ciee.org/study/programOverview.aspx?pID=1795#1rightForYou)

**Term:** Semester  
**Units:** 14-17  
**Language:** English and Spanish  
**Application:** Fall: April 1, Spring: October 1  
**Fee:** Fall: $15,500, Spring: $16,000

**Courses:** Spanish, The City in Visual Culture, Foundations of Architecture Studio, Architecture Design Studio, Art History and History courses, Internships (must have 5 semesters Spanish), many courses in Spanish about Art and Design

**IARU Global Summer Program, Locations Listed Below:** Sponsored by the International Alliance of Research Universities (IARU), the Global Summer Program (GSP) is an exciting learning experience for undergraduate students at ten of the world’s leading research universities. GSP provides intensive, residential summer courses to students from IARU member universities. By participating in GSP, students will be joining a new community of global citizens and future global leaders. Students participating in GSP will; tackle the major challenges of the 21st century, work with outstanding peers from around the world, live and learn intensively at a foreign university, and learn from top researchers

- Participating universities include: Australian National University, ETH Zurich, National University of Singapore, Peking University, University of California, Berkeley, University of Cambridge, University of Copenhagen, University of Oxford, The University of Tokyo, and Yale University.

Website: [www.iaruni.org/gsp](http://www.iaruni.org/gsp) and [http://gsp.berkeley.edu](http://gsp.berkeley.edu)

**Term:** Summer  
**Units:** Vary by Location  
**Language:** English  
**Application:** Open January; last year’s deadline: March 8, Application requirements vary  
**Fee:** Vary by Location

**Courses:** Past courses Include: Visualizing and Stimulating Future Cities (ETH Zurich), Development of Sustainable Periurban Landscapes – New Visions and Strategies (University of Copenhagen), Sustainable Urban Management (University of Tokyo), International Environmental Policy (Australian National University)  *Courses vary by location*

**Syracuse University, Three Cities Studio: Florence, London, Amsterdam:** Designed for advance architecture students in professional B.Arch or M.Arch degree programs, students enroll in a 6-credit design studio and a 3-credit survey field studies course. This unique nine-week program combines design studios that address contemporary Italian and European architectural and urban issues with on-site lectures and study of historic and contemporary buildings and urban ensembles in Florence, London, Amsterdam, and other European cities.


**Term:** Summer  
**Units:** 9  
**Language:** English  
**Application:** March 1  
**Fee:** Estimated at $13,912 (tuition, program related field trips, housing)

**Courses:** Design Studio, Survey of Italian Architecture (Portfolio required)

**International Honors Program: Cities in the 21st Century: People, Planning, and Politics:** Cities in the 21st Century program examines the intentional and natural forces that guide the development of the world’s cities. It combines an innovative urban studies academic curriculum with fieldwork involving public agencies, planners, elected officials, NGOs and grassroots groups in important world cities where exciting changes are taking place.

Students learn how to “read a city” — an iterative process that hones the ability to observe, question, document, research and communicate – leading to a better understanding of the interconnected social, physical, economic, environmental and political systems that affect urban environments.

- Fall: Detroit, USA (2 weeks), San Paulo & Curitiiba, Brazil (4 weeks), Cape Town, South Africa (5 weeks), Hanoi, Vietnam (5 weeks)
- Spring: New York, USA (2 weeks), Delhi, India (4 weeks), Dakar, Senegal (5 weeks), Buenos Aires, Argentina (5 weeks)

Website: [http://www.ihp.edu/page/cities/](http://www.ihp.edu/page/cities/)

† Information current as of Fall 2010
Term: Semester
Units: 16
Language: English
Application: Fall: March 15 Spring: Oct. 1 (rolling so apply early)
Fee: $24,500 (tuition, room and partial board, airfare, group excursions, books)
Courses: Urban Politics & Development, Culture & Society of World Cities, Urban Planning & Sustainable Environments, Contemporary Issues: Problems & Solutions

The American University in Cairo: Discover Egypt: AUC’s Study Abroad program is one of direct enrollment, meaning students select courses from general undergraduate listings and are not limited to a fixed set of courses. Since AUC is accredited in the United States as well as in Egypt, students from US universities are usually able to transfer AUC credits to their home institutions. Study abroad applicants are advised to plan selection of courses with their academic advisors or registrars before applying to AUC.
Website: http://www.aucegypt.edu/academics/undergrad/studyabroad/Pages/default.aspx

Term: Fall, Winter Intersession, Spring, Summer
Units: Fall or Spring: 12-15 Summer: 6 Winter: 3
Language: English or Arabic
Application: Fall and Summer: April 15 Spring and Winter: November 1
ALI Arabic Language Intensive: Spring: Oct. 1 Fall: April 1 Summer: March 1

IES University of New South Wales; Sydney Australia: Sydney, the site of Australia’s first European settlement, is the country’s largest city and home to a fifth of the Australian population with 4 million residents. As the commercial and business center of Australia, Sydney is a sophisticated, cosmopolitan city with a population that is youthful and diverse. Study abroad in Sydney and experience the best of big-city culture alongside some of Australia’s top-ranked universities and some of the most stunning beaches and landscapes on earth. As a fully-integrated student, you can shape your own unique course of study. Culturally, there is something for everyone—from world-class opera to water sports—there are few limits to exploring all the city has to offer.

The University of New South Wales is one of Australia’s leading research and teaching universities with about 40,000 students enrolled in more than 450 departments in ten faculties. Its impressive range of strong programs across the disciplines makes it possible for IES Abroad students of almost every academic background to actively pursue a challenging and stimulating experience at UNSW.
Website: https://www.iesabroad.org/IES/Programs/Australia/Sydney/UNSW/unswProfile.html

Term: Semester, Year
Units: 19 credits max per semester
Language: English
Application: Fall, Year: April 15 Spring: Nov 1
Fee: Fall: $17,595 Spring: $17,950 Year: $32,640 (tuition, housing, health insurance)

UC Davis Summer Abroad: UC Davis Summer Abroad programs offer students short but intense academic courses that are complemented with a wealth of cultural activities. The courses are structured in such a way that students gain knowledge not only in the classroom, but also from experiential learning that takes advantage of the program site. All of our programs are built around UC Davis courses and are led by UC Davis faculty. Many provide opportunities for students to visit non-English speaking countries while doing their coursework in English. Our class sizes are limited, generally enrolling from 18-30 students, thus allowing us to create intimate learning communities overseas.
Website: https://summer-abroad.ucdavis.edu/Default.aspx

Sustainable Cities of Northern Europe: This course examines principles of sustainability as they apply to urban areas. We will explore 9 cities in 5 European countries: Stockholm and Malmo, in Sweden; Copenhagen, Aaro, and Odense in Denmark; Hannover and Freiburg, in Germany; Strasbourg in France; and Zurich in Switzerland. Each is widely recognized for their efforts to become more sustainable. We will explore innovations such as: compact, mixed use, transit-(and pedestrian) oriented planning; high quality urban design for walkable cities, car-free developments, urban waterfront and brownfield development, bicycle friendly urbanism, alternative housing models, renewable energy sources solar, wind, bio-fuels) and energy efficiency, recycling, reuse and reduction in solid waste, innovations in heating and cooling at the district scale, storm water management, natural areas restoration and preservation as part of the urban fabric, and similar topics that require a policy, planning and urban design response. Students will
learn sustainable measures; to quickly “read” cities and recognize how they function; gain insights into how European communities have embraced sustainable concepts; and gain insights into how to translate these lessons to U.S. cities.

Website:  https://summer-abroad.ucdavis.edu/programs/current-programs/program.aspx?program=1987

Term: Summer
Units: 8 quarter units
Language: English
Application: Jan 4 – April 2
Fee: $5,829.58 (group activities, 8 day/5 country youth Eurail pass, housing, breakfast, some additional meals, guest lectures, course reader, HTH health insurance)

Courses: Landscape Architecture 191, Environmental Science and Policy 173 (note: there are prerequisites for these classes)

**Engineering of Historic Constructions, Rome, Italy, UC Davis Summer Abroad summer-abroad.ucdavis.edu** The course is devoted to understanding the way historical structures were conceived and built and why they are still standing. Most of the structures we will discuss in class and visit on field trips date back to the ancient Roman times. You will be able to verify on site all the concepts learnt in class. Field trips are planned to the Pantheon, Caracalla’s Spas, Palatine Hill, St. Peter’s Cathedral, St. Paul outside the city walls, the Coliseum, the Roman Forum and to Hadrian’s Villa and the Palazzo d’Este in Tivoli. Lectures will be held in the historical architectural faculty of Valle Giulia, the site of the historical School of Architecture that started joint study programs on design, construction, restoration and urban planning in the 1920s. Pre-requisites: ENG 35, Math 22B, or consent of instructor.

Website:  https://summer-abroad.ucdavis.edu/programs/current-programs/

Term: Summer
Units: 8 quarter units
Language: English
Application: Jan 4 – April 2
Fee: TBA

Courses: EC 104, ECI 10

**Other UC Davis Summer Session Programs:**

Housing and Community Development (Barcelona, Spain)
Community Politics and Development in the European Union (Freiburg, Germany; Treviso, Italy)
Design in Britain: Inside and Outside Museum Walls (England and Scotland)
Engineering of Historic Structures (Paris, France)
Structural Engineering of Ancient Roman Architecture (Rome, Italy)

**Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janerio (PUC), Brazil:** Through EAP's program in Rio de Janeiro you may live and study in one of the world's most beautiful and exciting cities. The attractive PUC-Rio campus is in a secure location and near the city's southern beaches. If you wish to further immerse yourself in the life of this tropical capital, PUC-Rio organizes opportunities to volunteer in community service projects in other parts of the city. Students attend classes with international and Brazilian students.

Website:  http://eap.ucop.edu/brazil/pontifical_catholic_univ.shtm

Term: Fall, Spring, Year
Units: ILP: 3 to 6 quarter units, Units taken Vary
Language: Portuguese
Application: Fall: Jan 3, Spring, Year: April 4
Fee: Fall: 17,600 Spring: 15,300 Year: 25,800

Courses: Art History, Art Studio, Environmental Studies, Urban Studies

**Tohoku University Summer Program:** The Tohoku University Summer Program 2009 (TUSP) aims to foster talented individuals capable of holding leadership positions in today’s global society. Through TUSP, Berkeley students will have an opportunity to learn about Japanese culture and society, to share knowledge and ideas with young scholars from other renowned international institutions, and to live and learn in a multicultural environment.

Founded in 1907, Tohoku University was the third Imperial University of Japan. From the start, it has been engaged in research and education at the highest international level. In 2007, to commemorate the University’s 100th year anniversary, the Tohoku University Summer Program was established.

Must be enrolled in a full-time undergraduate degree program at the University of California, Berkeley. Graduating seniors are also eligible. Scholarships are available for two (2) Berkeley students.

Website:  http://www.insc.tohoku.ac.jp/cms/index-e.cgi?num=80702204020 and http://studyabroad.berkeley.edu/Programs/TUSP/

† Information current as of Fall 2010
Santiago Summer Architectural Program, Spain: This program offers students access to major works of architecture and construction sites, and in this way provides the all-important immediacy of the architecture visit. The city of Santiago de Compostela is known for the St. James pilgrimage that culminates in its cathedral, and the students in this program will participate in a sort of “architectural pilgrimage” to buildings by Alvaro Siza, David Chipperfield, and others. Students will also have the unique opportunity to visit the construction site of Peter Eisenman’s largest project to date, the Cidade da Cultura, which embodies some of the most intriguing ideas the architect has been developing for decades. These visits to buildings and construction sites will be guided by scholars and architects so that students gain both a critical understanding of the architecture and a first-hand knowledge of the tectonics of building. It is this simultaneous understanding of the theoretical and the applied in architecture that is the focus of this program. The program will integrate students in the historical context of the city of Santiago de Compostela, to experience walking, travelling, and living among architectural masterpieces.

Best of all, students will be working in the context of an old city, walking the mostly pedestrian network of medieval streets and enjoying the social life of Santiago de Compostela’s university town atmosphere. Students will not only benefit from the critical thinking and technical expertise of the program’s instructors but will also partake in the region’s traditions and experience the socio-cultural context of this wonderful city. In addition, this program will focus on issues of sustainability in contemporary architecture. Lectures and seminars will discuss new technologies and new approaches to create more sustainable buildings within a new context. These different dimensions of learning will be smoothly integrated into a single coherent educational program, complemented by the spiritual experience of own architectural pilgrimage.

Website:  www.cainstitute.es

Term: Summer
Language: English
Application: June 4, portfolio required
Fee: €2,300 (tuition, workshops, charrettes, tours and trips), scholarship app. due May 10

Cal Corps Concurrent Enrollment Exchange Program with The University of New Orleans: Since the storm and flood in August 2005 Cal Corps has explored ways to work in solidarity with the people of New Orleans by support rebuilding efforts there and across the Gulf Coast.

The Magnolia Project has developed a semester-long exchange program with the University of New Orleans (UNO). Students can study in New Orleans in either fall or spring semester. Participants are required to enroll in two classes at UNO, and earn 6 units of field study by engaging in a 20-hour/week internship at a community agency.

Website:  http://publicservice.berkeley.edu/internship/magnolia-project-exchange-university-new-orleans

Term: Semester
Units: Semester: 12 units
Language: English
Application: Fall: Feb. 20 Spring: Sept. 10
Fee: $7,335 (Room, board, registration fees, transportation – air and local, books health insurance, 2,300 personal spending)
Courses: Two courses at UNO, one sociology class on racial issues using Hurricane Katrina as a case study, one elective. 6 units of field study, engaging in 20 hours/week internship at a community based organization (supervised by a UC Berkeley faculty member)

Global Architecture Brigades: Global Architecture Brigades (GAB) designs and constructs socially responsible and sustainable architecture solutions in developing nations. A think tank design approach that utilizes extensive community dialogue and independent research to create efficient, appropriate, and elegant structures to be embraced and utilized by those for whom they were built.

Website: http://brigades.org/program/info/7EB754AC-C1BF-499B-B878-B2B207FA320E

Term: 7, 10, or 14 days
Courses: Volunteer work
Location: Currently, Many Architecture Brigades are going to Honduras