

SCAD study abroad programs provide students with a unique opportunity to explore international locations, gain a more global perspective on art and design, and broaden their understanding of other cultures and societies. Whether basking in the pastoral beauty of Lacoste, France, or immersing themselves in the bustling cityscape of Hong Kong, students encounter life-changing creative opportunities that enhance the total SCAD experience.

SELECTION CRITERIA

To be considered for SCAD study abroad programs, students must be in good standing with the university. Class standing, GPA and seat availability in courses are also factors for acceptance. Current students have priority; however, non-SCAD students may apply. In addition to submitting a completed application, students must have their course selections approved by their student success adviser or graduate adviser via an advising confirmation form. Students will be prompted by the application system to upload this form. Students interested in applying should schedule an appointment with their adviser prior to completing the application.

TRAVEL

Each program participant can arrange his or her own flight to and from Lacoste/Hong Kong or have SCAD handle such travel arrangements. Estimated flight costs range from US\$1,400-\$2,200. Students who book travel through SCAD will receive a minimum charge of US\$1,900. Travel policies are explained in detail in the acceptance materials. SCAD travel arrangements must be submitted before the deadline as indicated. Students should plan to book travel after official acceptance into the program.

Please note: In accordance with the office of residence life and housing policy, all students studying abroad will be required to move out of their current SCAD residence and will not be permitted to move back in until the designated move-in dates for the next quarter. The office of residence life and housing will try to place students back in the same residence hall if possible. Email savreslife@scad.edu, atlreslife@scad.edu or hk-reslife@scad.edu with any questions.

2017-2018 FEES AND TUITION

SCAD undergraduate tuition (per course)	\$3,990
SCAD graduate tuition (per course)	\$4,085
International Emergency Insurance	\$80
Lacoste nonrefundable deposit.....	\$850
Lacoste Program fee	\$6,680
Fee includes housing; meals; two all-campus excursions; a five-day, four-night Paris excursion; site visit fees; ground transportation on arrival and departure days and transportation for academic field trips.	
Current scholarships and financial aid may apply. Participants are responsible for all personal expenses, supplies, and lunch and dinner during the Paris excursion.	
Hong Kong transfer deposit	\$625
Hong Kong Gold Coast Housing.....	\$3,372-3,642

LACOSTE OVERVIEW

SCAD offers students the unique opportunity to live, learn and create art in the rural bucolic beauty of Lacoste. Campus buildings are located in Provence, France, and encompass residence halls, two dining halls and a preserved medieval village including a meticulously restored 11th-century farmhouse. Coursework is offered at an accelerated eight-week pace and geared to a collaborative and communal learning experience.

HOUSING

SCAD Lacoste is a residency program with housing accommodations ranging in occupancy and located in the upper village and at La Maison Basse. All SCAD Lacoste participants may request up to three roommates of the same gender; however, because living spaces vary in size and capacity, SCAD study abroad cannot guarantee all roommate preferences can be accommodated.

DINING

Meals in Lacoste are included in the program fee and served in dining facilities during common meal times each day. SCAD provides boxed lunches for all classes that involve traveling and missing a meal time. During the Paris trip, participants will be responsible for their own lunch and dinner.

Documentation of dietary or medical needs must be provided from counseling and student support services in order for students to be assigned to a residence with cooking facilities. Lacoste's dining facilities are able to cater to vegetarianism; however, any other meal plan adjustments (e.g., gluten-free, lactose-free, kosher) are difficult or, in some cases, impossible to provide.

HONG KONG OVERVIEW

Students from all locations are encouraged to consider studying abroad at SCAD Hong Kong. Located in the heart of Asia, the city of Hong Kong boasts a diverse cultural landscape heavily influenced by its Chinese and European past. Students enjoy apartment-style living quarters at Hong Kong Gold Coast Residences, and classes are held in the historic North Kowloon Magistracy Building. Here, SCAD offers the area's largest concentration of art and design degree programs in the Sham Shui Po district.

HOUSING

University housing at Hong Kong Gold Coast Residences is limited and assigned upon successful completion of the transfer deposit and visa process, including supporting documentation and adherence to the draft due dates. Students who do not wish to live at Gold Coast Residences should make their own arrangements and be prepared to list a valid Hong Kong address on visa paperwork. Applications without an address will not be approved by immigration. In some cases, proof of dwelling will be required.

HONG KONG VISA INFORMATION

Various supporting documents are needed to complete the visa paperwork, which SCAD submits on students' behalf. Although SCAD provides thorough visa assistance, the university cannot guarantee the issuance of visas, as this will be determined by the Hong Kong Immigration Department. SCAD will not submit visas that do not meet the criteria as outlined by Hong Kong immigration.