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## **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 11<sup>th</sup>-century farmhouse. Coursework is offered at an accelerated eight-week pace and geared to a collaborative and communal learning 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.

## **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.

## **TRAVEL**

Each program participant can arrange his or her own flight to and from Marseille 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](mailto:savreslife@scad.edu), [atlreslife@scad.edu](mailto:atlreslife@scad.edu) or [hk-reslife@scad.edu](mailto:hk-reslife@scad.edu) with any questions.

### 2017-2018 LACOSTE FEES & TUITION

Program Fee .....	\$6680
<i>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.</i>	
Lacoste nonrefundable deposit.....	\$850
International Emergency Insurance .....	\$80
SCAD undergraduate tuition (per course) .....	\$3990
SCAD Graduate tuition (per course) .....	\$4085

### TIMELINE

Applications available through \*MySCAD ..... Monday, September 18

**Applications Due (round 1)** ..... **Thursday, October 12**

Round 1 Acceptance Notification ..... Thursday, October 19

**Accepted student Reservation Deposit Due date (\$850)** ..... **Thursday, November 16**

**Applications Due (round 2)** ..... **Thursday, December 7**

*\*Certain classes may already be filled during round 1 application*

Acceptance Notification (round 2) ..... Thursday, December 14

Accepted student Reservation deposit due date (\$850) ..... Thursday, January 11

\*Study abroad will handle registration for Lacoste participants; students taking eLearning courses will register themselves during their normal time ticket. Registration opens February 12, 2018

**Pre-Departure Orientation** ..... **Friday, TBA**

SCAD Travel forms due ..... Friday, February 2

Post Acceptance materials in MySCAD due ..... Friday, February 16

*\*this includes the health form, a copy of your passport, dietary restrictions and preferences & roommate requests*

Departure from US to France ..... Thursday, March 29

Arrival in France ..... Friday, March 30

Departure from Lacoste ..... Tuesday, May 29

### COURSES

Offerings in Art History, Foundation Studies, Fibers, Industrial Design, Interior Design and Photography