STUDY ABROAD IN DUBAI, UAE WITH RIT GLOBAL

The international branch campus of RIT Dubai was founded in 2008 to allow students currently studying at RIT, along with those from other institutions around the world, to study at RIT Dubai and become more involved members of today’s global society.

There are many benefits of studying abroad which result in professional and personal growth. In fact, choosing to study abroad can be one of the most enriching, fulfilling, interesting and educationally stimulating experiences of your entire life.

Advantages of studying abroad include:

- 97% said studying abroad helped their self confidence
- 99% said it helped them understand their strengths and weaknesses
- 85% used their study abroad experience as a talking point during an interview
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WHY CONSIDER RIT DUBAI FOR YOUR STUDY ABROAD EXPERIENCE?

Studying abroad at RIT Dubai is a seamless transition from the Rochester campus – following a similar academic calendar, offering the same tuition rate and opportunity to use financial aid.

Its strategic location and multi-cultural atmosphere makes Dubai a fascinating environment in which to study. The 200 plus nationalities and cultures residing in Dubai make the city an international hotspot.

Take advantage of an ultra-modern city, with excellent infrastructure, year-round sunshine, intriguing deserts, beautiful beaches, fascinating heritage attractions and a vibrant youth culture.

English is spoken by practically everyone and all classes at RIT Dubai are taught in English.

Dubai has been rated as one of the safest cities on the planet.

The culture is one of the friendliest and most hospitable in the world. People are known for their generosity and open arms which makes visitors and new residents feel right at home.

There is a world class integrated healthcare system that ensures excellent standards of care and treatment.
Students typically take a minimum of 12 credits (4 courses) during their academic term abroad. The academic calendar follows RIT’s calendar closely and consists of two semesters, each 16 weeks long. Undergraduate and graduate fields include:

- Industrial Engineering (Starting in Fall 2015)
- Mechanical Engineering
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STUDENT HOUSING

RIT Dubai offers housing accommodation at Etisalat Academy, just minutes away from campus. You will enjoy the great facilities that the complex offers including state-of-the-art health facilities, restaurant, daily transportation service to and from the campus, excellent security, comfort for males and females in separate areas and well equipped rooms with full bathroom, TV and Internet.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Throughout the semester, our staff will arrange for several excursions. The excursions vary from semester to semester, and will provide you with a deep cultural knowledge of the UAE. Select excursions may include:

- Dubai Desert Safari
- Trip to Oman with camping
- Visit to Abu Dhabi
- Heritage Tour & Souk visit

But just don’t take our word for it! See what many students who have already spent a semester at RIT Dubai have to say about their experience:

**Andy Gregory Thistle**

"The student teacher ratio is excellent, and the staff is young and easy to identify with. It feels like a family here, everyone is very approachable and fun."

**Kailee Polimeni**

"I was lucky enough to study abroad in Dubai, and needless to say, it was an adventure. There are so many things I learned from stepping out into an area of the world that we have so many prejudices about. All I can say about Dubai is that it is a place that you have to form a personal opinion about, however, the culture is something I thought was beautiful in ways that I cannot describe. I met some of the greatest and most genuine people I have ever met in my life here. The Dubai campus is smaller which allows for more intimate relationships to be formed. The faculty is also very passionate. Overall, I found it to be enlightening, challenging, but most of all, rewarding."

**Dylan Connole**

"Dubai is a great blend of cultures from the Middle East, Asia, Africa and Europe. Studying at RIT Dubai was a great chance to see different cultures, explore the desert, and continue the academic excellence of RIT."
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Go to studyabroad.rit.edu > Types of Programs > Enter the Compass (left)
- Log in using your RIT username and password
- Click on the My Profile tab at the top of the page
- Fill out all the fields on each tab and press the SAVE button on each page.
- Make sure to have the following ready in order to complete your profile:
  - Health Insurance Information
  - Passport Information
  - Emergency Contact Information

Fill out an application for RIT Dubai on the Compass

- Click the “Search Programs” button and enter ‘RIT’ as the Program Provider and enter ‘Dubai’ as the keyword
- Choose the Result titled “RIT - Direct Enroll” make sure that you click Save & Continue on each page to earn a green check mark indicating that you have completed that section of the application.
- When you have collected all of your green checkmarks, on the last section called Review and Save, make sure to click SUBMIT

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