CROATIA

DUBROVNIK / RIT CROATIA

Dubrovnik, also known as “the pearl of the Adriatic” is no longer the world’s best kept secret. This unique destination magnificently combines the natural beauty of the pristine Adriatic Sea and mountainous Croatian landscape with medieval architecture and old-world city planning.

CROATIA

ZAGREB / RIT CROATIA

Zagreb’s fascinating history began nearly 1,000 years ago with the emergence of two neighboring towns overlooking the Sava River. Today, this majestic city is the center of Croatia’s business, cultural, economic and political life. Nestled near Mount Medvednica in northern Croatia, Zagreb is an appealing combination of the traditional and the contemporary with breathtaking architecture, scenic parks and charming outdoor cafes.

KOSOVO

PRISTINA / AMERICAN UNIVERSITY IN KOSOVO

Europe’s newest democracy, Kosovo, is known as the country of “young Europeans.” The city of Pristina is home to more than 500,000 people and with more than half of Kosovo’s population under the age of 30, the city possesses a youthful culture and vibrant night life.

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

DUBAI / RIT DUBAI

Home of the man-made islands, the world’s tallest building, luxurious hotels, and largest mall, Dubai is full of once-in-a-lifetime experiences that only amplify the magnificence of its engineering feats and cultural diversity. Dubai has emerged as a cosmopolitan metropolis that has quickly grown to become a global city and cultural hub of the Middle East and the entire Persian Gulf region.

FAQ

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHY STUDY ABROAD AT AN RIT GLOBAL CAMPUS

Academic advantage
- Earn RIT credits that count towards your degree program
- Courses listed on your RIT transcript
- All classes taught in English by American and international faculty
- Students may be eligible to use their financial aid

Excellent support
- Receive personal guidance, program advising, and step-by-step visa instructions from the RIT Global Office
- Pre-departure and in-country orientation from the RIT global team and our staff in-country
- Student peer mentors and global campus staff provide support both before you go and while you are abroad
- Support and guidance with the re-entry process when you get back

Easy
- RIT global campuses use RIT online tools such as SIS, My Courses, and the Wallace Center
- Classes listed on SIS, so students can view upcoming courses online
- Class registration processed by RIT global office
- No transfer credit – all courses are RIT credits
- Global campuses follow a semester schedule, same or similar to RIT

“Get out of your comfort zone, try something new and most of all…EXPLORE!”
Nirav Amin – 4th year student, Hospitality
Study Abroad RIT Croatia – Dubrovnik
Dubrovnik is truly a unique destination that magnificently combines the natural beauty of the pristine Adriatic Sea and mountainous Croatian landscape with outstanding architecture and old-world city planning.

The history of Dubrovnik is a fascinating study of the rise of a great maritime power that lived in peace and prosperity for nearly five centuries. But Dubrovnik is so much more than a fascinating Old Town. It is a first class Adriatic resort complete with beautiful pebble beaches and a vibrant nightlife.

When you are in Dubrovnik, your learning will continue beyond the walls of the classroom. Visit the ancient Roman salt flats that are still in production today. Attend numerous cultural festivals that are unique to the Dalmatian Coast. Simply sit at one of the many sidewalk cafes and listen to the stories of your classmates. Walk atop the city walls, go for a hike, or take a ferry to one of the many nearby islands.

Visit Dubrovnik and experience every aspect of its captivating, charming, safe and beautiful atmosphere.
DUBROVNIK CAMPUS

RIT Croatia's campus in Dubrovnik is located at Don Frana Bulica 6, just a few steps from the main entrance to Old Town, a historic section of Dubrovnik. The RIT Croatia building contains classrooms, faculty and staff offices, student lounges, a copy center, a library, three computer labs and is fully equipped with the latest technology including wireless internet access.

WHEN

Fall/Spring Semester*

*Special programming offered during intersession and summer

ACADEMICS

Students typically take a minimum of 12 credits (4 courses) during their academic term abroad. Your department advisor can review and pre-approve the RIT courses offered at RIT Croatia to ensure that you stay on track with your individual degree program. The academic calendar aligns closely with the RIT calendar and consists of 2 semesters, each 16 weeks long.

Courses for the academic year are available in the following areas of study:

- Accounting
- Travel/Tourism
- Information Technology
- International Hospitality & Service Management
- Mathematics
- Modern Languages
- Liberal Arts

A complete list of courses is available on SIS. Courses focus on critical thinking, decision-making, communication and leadership - all skills necessary for success in today’s global work environment. The teaching methods promote interaction and active participation between students and faculty. Study abroad students are encouraged to get involved with activities outside of the classroom to immerse themselves in their new environment and provide additional cultural learning.

TUITION

Students pay RIT tuition* for fall and spring semester study abroad programs in Croatia.

*Tuition for summer/intersession programs may vary.

PROGRAM FEE

The program fee includes the following:

- Housing
- Cultural experience field trips
- Global travel assistance*
- Airport arrival and departure transportation
- In country orientation by RIT Croatia staff
- Official translation of visa documents

*All students who study at an RIT Global Campus are enrolled in Frontier Medex emergency evacuation travel insurance. For detailed cost information, please contact the RIT Global office and make an appointment with an advisor.

HOUSING IN DUBROVNIK

Students live in furnished apartments which are conveniently located close to campus and other surrounding sites. Local bus service is reliable, easy to use and affordable, which allows virtually unlimited travel within the region.

*Summer/intersession programs may have alternate housing

STUDENT EXPERIENCE AND EXCURSIONS

For over 15 years, RIT Croatia has made its home in Dubrovnik, providing students with excellent support throughout their study abroad program.

Students in Dubrovnik have the opportunity to participate in field trips that include a two-night stay in Bosnia and Herzegovina, overnight trip to Montenegro and day trip to nearby Trsteno.

Students will have the opportunity to participate in activities such as fall/spring barbeques, community service projects, guest lectures and other university events.

Dubrovnik also offers entertainment options that include the cinema, concerts, museums, sightseeing, disco clubs and local community experience.
ZAGREB
THE CITY OF MUSEUMS

Zagreb is a bustling Central European-style city with classic and modern architecture, winding cobblestone streets, and old city neighborhoods. The city boasts more than 20 museums, along with a variety of art galleries, cafes, and stylish boutiques. Perfectly situated between central Europe and the Adriatic Sea, Croatia’s capital is home to nearly 800,000 of the country’s residents.

Zagreb is a city that will surprise you. Visitors are invited to explore this cosmopolitan city on foot to discover its unique historic and cultural treasures. Meet friends for coffee at the famous Ban Jelacic Square. Stroll through nature parks and promenades. Relax on the beach at Lake Jarun. Experience the thrilling night life with concerts, clubs, sporting events, theatre, and more. There are endless opportunities awaiting you!

ZAGREB CAMPUS

The Zagreb campus is located at Damira Tomljanovica 15 in Bundek Center, a brand new facility that includes restaurants and coffee shops. Located across from beautiful Bundek Park, the new facility contains classrooms, faculty/staff offices, library, auditorium, student lounges and computer labs. Classrooms are fully equipped with the latest technology, and wireless internet access is available.

WHEN

Fall/Spring Semester*  
*Special programming offered during intersession and summer

ACADEMICS

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Courses for the academic year are available in the following areas of study:

- INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS
- INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- MATHEMATICS
- ECOLOGY
- STATISTICS
- MODERN LANGUAGES
- PSYCHOLOGY
- PHILOSOPHY
- MACROECONOMICS
- ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

A complete list of courses is available on SIS.

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HOUSING IN ZAGREB

Students live in furnished apartments which are conveniently located close to campus and other surrounding sites. Local bus service is reliable, easy to use and affordable, which allows virtually unlimited travel within the region.

*Summer/intersession programs may have alternate housing

STUDENT EXPERIENCE AND EXCURSIONS

For over 15 years, RIT Croatia has provided students with excellent support throughout their study abroad experience. This experience will be further enhanced by day trips as well as some overnight excursions.

Excursions for students at our Zagreb campus will include a tour of Zagreb, a two day trip to Istria, two days in Slavonia, and a day trip to the beautiful Plitvice Lakes National Park. Students will have the opportunity to participate in activities such as fall/spring barbeques, community service projects, guest lectures and other university events.

Zagreb also offers plenty of entertainment options including the cinema, concerts, museums, sightseeing, disco clubs, and local community experience.

"WE ALL LEARNED ON THIS AMAZING JOURNEY: FROM EACH OTHER, ABOUT EACH OTHER AND THE WORLD AROUND US."

STASA PUSKARIC
PROFESSOR ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
RIT CROATIA
Kosovo is known as the country of “Young Europeans.” Its citizens are well-educated, multilingual, dynamic, and have an abundance of entrepreneurial spirit. Kosovo’s history is both a fascinating and tragic mix of conflict, occupation and emergence as a new country in the complicated political landscape of southeastern Europe. For over a decade it has been the focus of international organizations as it emerges as a member of the community of nations and aspires to EU membership.

Today, the country still faces many challenges. Approximately 45% of the population is below the World Bank poverty line of $1 per day and its per capita GDP is approximately $2,700. But with challenges come opportunities. Kosovo is an excellent environment to study a wide range of issues in development and policy, while at the same time engaging in a safe and fun learning experience. Kosovo is Europe’s newest democracy. It is a country with a population of approximately two million people, of which 500,000 live in the capital city of Pristina. More than 50% of the population is under the age of 30 and, as a result, the city possesses a vibrant night life and youthful culture. Wherever you travel throughout this historically significant country you will see beautiful architecture that has been shaped by both ancient European and Ottoman-era influences. Gain insights and outlooks on the Balkan region through relationships with new people from different backgrounds and cultures. More importantly, learn how much you have in common with your new European friends!

Study at the American University in Kosovo, experience the European character and expand your horizons!

It all started with a vision of a high quality, American-style university for Kosovo, an institution to promote economic and institutional development by educating the next generation of leaders. RIT’s global presence in Kosovo (A.U.K.) is the result of that vision. In March of 2002, community, government and business leaders began to explore the possibilities. Initial funding came from the Fund for the Reconstruction of Kosova, made up of the voluntary contributions of the Kosovar Diaspora living all over the world.

In 2003, this group, working in collaboration with RIT, founded A.U.K. Today, over 600 graduate and undergraduate students are enrolled at this university with concentration areas in management, multimedia & visual communication, public policy, economics and statistics.
AMERICAN UNIVERSITY IN KOSOVO

The American University in Kosovo was founded in 2003 through a partnership between RIT and the American University in Kosovo Foundation. The University has grown to over 600 students and occupies a modern campus facility near the Germia Park area of Pristina - Kosovo’s capital city. Our Kosovo campus offers a dynamic educational environment with a diverse range of course offerings: liberal arts, information sciences, media, entrepreneurship and management.

The American University in Kosovo attracts students from more than 20 different countries. It offers students a great opportunity to interact in a multinational classroom and become better prepared for the globalized world we live in.

The university strives to carry out its philosophy of tolerance and diversity, promoting these same values within the greater society.

Friday Forum lectures enable students to debate and discuss the burning issues that concern the European and the Kosovar society. The lectures will be especially interesting to those students who wish to expand their knowledge on international diplomacy, economics and foreign policy.

The American University in Kosovo offers a variety of student clubs, volunteer and sports activities that help students to have fun and become involved outside the classroom.

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY IN KOSOVO CAMPUS

The American University in Kosovo is located just outside of downtown Pristina, near the beautiful Germia National Park. The university is walking distance from most housing, restaurants and other popular Pristina locations. Public transportation is also reliable and affordable.

The American University in Kosovo campus wields smart-classrooms, faculty and staff offices, library, cafeteria, computer labs, radio station, media center, and is fully equipped with the latest technology including wireless internet access.

PROGRAM SNAPSHOT

LOCATION
Pristina, Kosovo

CREDITS
Semester – 12 to 15 credits

HOUSING
Student shared apartments

WHEN

Fall/Spring Semester*
*Special programming offered during summer

ACADEMICS

Students typically take a minimum of 12 credits (4 courses) during their academic semester abroad. Your department advisor can review and pre-approve the RIT courses offered to ensure that you stay on track with your individual degree program. The academic calendar follows the RIT calendar, and consists of 2 semesters, each 16 weeks long.

Courses for the academic year are available in the following areas of study:

- MANAGEMENT
- PUBLIC POLICY
- MEDIA AND GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION
- INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
- POLITICAL SCIENCE
- ECONOMICS
- INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- LEGAL STUDIES

A complete list of courses is available on SIS.

Courses focus on critical thinking, decision-making, communication and leadership – all the skills necessary for success in today’s global work environment. The teaching methods promote interaction and active participation between students and faculty. Study abroad students are encouraged to get involved with activities outside of the classroom to immerse themselves in their new environment and provide additional cultural learning.

TUITION

Students pay RIT tuition* during fall and spring semester

*Summer program tuition may vary
PROGRAM FEE
The program fee includes the following:

- Housing
- In-country orientation
- Airport pick-up/drop-off
- Cultural tour of Kosovo
- Global travel assistance*

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STUDENT EXPERIENCE AND EXCURSIONS
Students can expect excellent support from faculty, staff and students at A.U.K. throughout their experience.

This study abroad experience will be further enhanced by day trips as well as some overnight excursions. Students have the opportunity to experience the countryside of Kosovo through travel to Prizren and Peja. Prizren is known for its unique beauty with preserved architecture that reflects the country’s historic past. Peja is considered to be the best tourist destination in the country, with the natural beauty of the surrounding mountains, historical monuments, and many craftsman shops in old Charshia.

Other trips may be organized to neighboring countries like Albania, Montenegro and Macedonia. Students will enjoy time with their peers through activities such as community service, guest lecturers, and other university events. Pristina offers a vibrant youth culture, exquisite cuisine, concerts, museums, sightseeing, disco clubs and local community experience.

HOUSING IN KOSOVO
Students live in furnished apartments in Pristina which are conveniently located just near to the American University in Kosovo and other surrounding sites. Local bus service is reliable, easy to use and affordable.

"My experiences in Kosovo have been memorable and I have learned a great deal here. When a person is immersed in a different culture, lifestyle and location, one realizes that the things that are seen as insignificant and taken for granted are actually the most important in life."

MIGUEL ADAMES – 3RD YEAR
LIBERAL ARTS
A.U.K.
Dubai is a premier destination for tourists, business people and celebrities from around the world. Attracted to its year-round sunshine and luxurious life style, the number of tourists visiting Dubai each year is expected to top 15 million. Dubai is a modern, cosmopolitan city with a diverse population that spans nearly every culture, ethnicity and religion. The city continues to grow at a tremendous rate and the skyline is constantly changing. Dubai provides endless possibilities for entertainment, culture, relaxation, adventure and the educational experience of a lifetime.

Your educational experience in Dubai is enhanced by the diversity of cultures, engineering feats and once-in-a-lifetime activities which surround you on a daily basis. Ride the elevator to the top of the world’s tallest building, the Burj Khalifa, or experience the elegance of the world’s most luxurious hotel, the Burj Al Arab. Travel to the man-made palm islands, shop in the world’s largest mall, ski indoors year-round, travel through the desert in a 4-wheel drive vehicle, horseback or camel. Tour mosques and museums which transport you to a different era. There truly is “nowhere like Dubai.”

Dubai truly is “nowhere like Dubai.” As one of the more progressive Emirates in the U.A.E., the diversity of cultures and the engineering feats which surround you on a daily basis will enrich your educational experience and overall excitement for life in Dubai. RIT Dubai promises the same diversity, offering undergraduate and graduate programs in engineering, business, service systems, networking, and information security to students from around the world. The campus is strategically located in the heart of Dubai Silicon Oasis, one of the world’s leading centers of advanced electronic innovation and design. Currently, RIT Dubai enrolls over 200 undergraduate students, offering unique degree programs that are designed with a global focus, to prepare students and professionals for careers with multinational corporations operating worldwide. At RIT Dubai, the standards are high, with a fully committed teaching staff and fast paced learning – similar to what one might find in a multinational corporate experience.

Dubai – Nowhere like Dubai

ARABIAN SEA

DUBAI

NOWHERE LIKE DUBAI
In 2005, Dr. Mustafa Abushagur, then the director of Microsystems Engineering Ph.D. program at RIT, was sought-out by government leaders in Dubai to discuss the prospects of opening a branch campus of RIT in the rapidly growing Middle Eastern City.

RIT Dubai was established in 2008 to provide world-class university programs in the United Arab Emirates for students and professionals from the Middle East, North America and South East Asia.

Degree programs in such disciplines as engineering, computing, business and service leadership have been selected to support the need for personal and professional development, economic growth and the human capital development in Dubai and the entire Gulf region. RIT Dubai provides a unique study abroad and networking opportunity for students from around the world.

The RIT Dubai campus is strategically located in the heart of Dubai Silicon Oasis, one of the world’s leading centers of advanced electronic innovation and design. Students will be invigorated by the vibrant synergy of academic and corporate research and development. RIT Dubai offers a wide variety of free seminars on the latest engineering, business, service and leadership topics. RIT Dubai students, staff and faculty are also involved in the local community; participating in charitable events such Water Bucket Walk and other fun activities.

The RIT Dubai building contains state-of-the-art classrooms, labs, faculty and staff offices, student lounges, a library, computer labs and is equipped with the latest technology including wireless internet access.

**ACADEMICS**

Students typically take a minimum of 12 credits (4 courses) during their academic term abroad. Your department advisor can review and pre-approve the RIT courses offered at RIT Dubai to ensure that you stay on track with your individual degree program. The academic calendar follows the RIT calendar and consists of two semesters, each 16 weeks long. Undergraduate and Graduate courses may include:

- Renewable Energy Systems
- Mathematics for Engineers
- Random Signals and Noise
- Advanced Computational Techniques
- Fuel Cell Technology
- Islamic Culture
- Emerging Network Technology
- Corporate Finance
- Principles of Marketing
- Project Management
- Strategic Process of Service Firms
- Microeconomics
- Math, Science and Liberal Arts Electives and More!

A list of specific course offerings is available on SIS. Your study abroad may even be approved for cooperative education experience! All classes are taught in English by experienced faculty from around the world. The teaching methods promote interaction and active participation between students and faculty.

The classroom environment is multi-cultural and students become easily engaged in lively discussion. Study abroad students are highly encouraged to get involved in activities outside of the classroom and to fully immerse themselves in their new environment.

**TUITION**

Students pay RIT tuition* for our fall and spring semester study abroad programs in Dubai.

* Tuition for intersession programs may vary
PROGRAM FEE

The program fee includes the following:

- Student visa fee
- Emirates ID fee
- Double occupancy housing
- In country orientation
- Airport pick-up/drop-off
- Transportation to/from Housing and RIT Dubai campus
- Cultural excursions
- Global travel assistance*

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STUDENT EXPERIENCE AND EXCURSIONS

Students can expect excellent support throughout their RIT study abroad program. Dubai’s fairly recent development into a world-class tourist destination allows students to enhance their academic experience and make unforgettable memories. Your excursion package highlights some of the most popular tourist attractions and activities in the region, and includes a big bus tour of Dubai, desert safari, tour of the Burj Khalifa, visit to Aquaventure Water Park, Ferrari World, and the Sheikh Zayed Mosque.

Your study abroad will be enriched by the culture surrounding you on a daily basis. The city of Dubai offers entertainment options that include the cinema, concerts, museums, sightseeing, indoor skiing, endless shopping and more!

HOUSING IN DUBAI

Student housing in Dubai is similar to most student housing options in the United States. Study abroad students will be co-mingled with students from RIT Dubai in a dormitory facility located just minutes from campus.

Each room at Etisalat Academy has a private bathroom and shower, a closet, dresser, full size bed, desk, desk lights, night stands, chairs and table. Rooms are also equipped with a telephone, television, and Ethernet cable for wired Internet. Wireless internet is also available. There is a kitchenette on each floor. Weekly cleaning services will be provided.

Shuttle services to and from campus is easy and free. All rooms come equipped with high-speed wireless Internet making it easy to keep up with assignments from the comfort of your own room.

“"I AM NOT EVEN SURE THAT I CAN PROPERLY EXPRESS MY EMOTIONS IN WORDS WHEN IT COMES TO SHARING MY EXPERIENCE WITH THE AMAZING PEOPLE HERE AT RIT DUBAI. I SUPPOSE I WILL START BY SAYING THAT I HAVE NEVER FELT MORE APART OF A FAMILY THAN I HAVE SINCE COMING TO DUBAI.”

NICOLE LANTONIO – 3RD. YEAR MECHANICAL ENGINEERING RIT DUBAI
FAQ

Q. Do global campuses offer major-specific courses?
A. Yes, each campus offers several degree programs that allow a variety of students to take classes in their major field of study, as well as fulfilling requirements for minors, immersions, and electives.

Q. Can I take liberal arts and general education classes?
A. Yes! All three global campuses have liberal arts and general education classes that should provide multiple options for your schedule.

Q. Where can I find the class list?
A. For a list of classes at each campus, visit the student information system at https://sis.rit.edu/info/welcome.do. Click on the SIS Class Search link in the public folder, and search by academic term, campus, and location. If you cannot find global campus classes on SIS, please contact the RIT Global office for more information.

Q. Do I have to go for a full semester?
A. No, there are other opportunities of varying length and timing throughout the academic year, during intersession, and the summer. Contact the RIT Global office for more information.

GET STARTED TODAY!

1. Go to our website studyabroad.rit.edu and go to Types of Programs to log into the compass with your RIT username and password.

2. Go to ‘my profile’ and fill out all the required fields; make sure to press the ‘SAVE’ button on each page.

3. Schedule an appointment with an advisor in the RIT Global office. Contact us via email at global@rit.edu, or call 585-475-4466.

4. Meet with your academic advisor to review your plan of study and optimal timing for your study abroad experience.
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