To complete this course, students must complete a course of study in an international setting. This course is one option for fulfilling the International Business Major requirement that a student obtain international experience.

Because there are many options for a student to matriculate in a course of study abroad, this course is designed to provide broad flexibility. Examples of qualifying courses of study include the following (this list is non-inclusive):

- An ambassador program in which students complete the equivalent of 3-credit hours of study while in a non-US location.
- A semester abroad program in which the student matriculates at an institution of higher education in a non-U.S. location.

Typically, the student will complete procedures outlined below, complete a course of study abroad, either transferring or cross-listing the class with this course to fulfill the requirement.

Course Procedures

Step 1: Prior to the experience, a student must submit a proposal to the Department Chair with the elements listed below.

1. Personal learning objectives: The student should outline two or three objectives for the course of study that specify his or her general goals and career development objectives for the experience.
2. Description of the experience: The student should provide a brief statement about the experience and how they anticipate that it will fulfill the general goals and career development objectives. The statement should include information about the course of study to be pursued during the experience.
3. Supervision: The student explains who will teach, lead, or oversee the experience, with a brief statement on the qualifications of the professor or supervising program.
4. Timeline: The student explains when the experience will occur and be completed.
5. Supporting materials (optional): Additional information that provide context for the proposal.

Step 2: The proposal should be reviewed and approved by the Department Chair prior to registration. Once this approval is obtained, the student may register for the course. Students enrolling at an international university will transfer the class to WSU upon completion.

Step 3: Complete the experience.

Step 4: At the conclusion of the experience, the student should also submit a brief (2-3 page) report that includes the following elements:

- Description of the actual experience (e.g. locations visited, companies involved, milestone moments)
- Statement about how the experience addresses the learning objectives outlined in the proposal.
- Summary of lessons or insights gained.