## H-SC PLUS
### Semester(s) Programs

- college-approved study abroad/away programs
- academic year, fall, spring options
- Transfer credits (12-15, usually)
- Option to take INDS 250 (EL-OFF)

**APPLY IN VIA, THEN TO PROVIDER**

FALL OR FULL-YEAR PROGRAMS
**FEB 15: VIA app due**
*Provider app due dates vary | Check their webpage*
**MAR 5: Global Ed VIA funding app due**
MAR 25: Funding offers emailed
JULY: H-SC fees applied to H-SC student account
SEP: Global Ed funding disbursed to student account

SPRING PROGRAMS
**SEP 15: VIA app due**
Provider app due dates vary | Check their webpage
**OCT 5: Global Ed VIA funding app due**
OCT 25: Funding offers emailed
DEC: H-SC fees applied to H-SC student account
JAN: Global Ed funding disbursed to student account

## H-SC PLUS
### Summer Programs

- college-approved study abroad/away programs
- Transfer credits (3-6, usually)
- Option to take INDS 250 (EL-OFF)

**APPLY IN VIA, THEN TO PROVIDER**

**JAN 10: VIA app due** (if requesting funding)
**JAN: Global Ed VIA funding app due 1st Wed of classes**
JAN 25: Funding offers emailed
**FEB 15: VIA app due** (if NOT requesting funding)
*Provider app due dates vary | Check their webpage*

- Student pays fees directly to program provider.
- Global Ed funding is disbursed to H-SC student account, which may then be 'refunded' to the student.

## H-SC IN
### Summer Faculty-Led Programs

- H-SC designed study abroad/away programs
- 2-6 weeks (varies by program)
- 3-6 credit hours (varies by program)
- Register for classes in TigerWeb in April
- EL-OFF embedded in most programs

**APPLY IN VIA**
*VIA app includes funding app & deposit instructions*

SEP: programs announced
DEC: applications open
**JAN: application + deposit due 1st Wed of classes**
JAN 25: app results emailed
FEB 1: program confirmation due
MAR: program fees applied to H-SC student account
APR: Global Ed funding applied to H-SC student account

*Deposits are returned if not accepted to program OR if accepted student withdraws by FEB 1.*

## Virginia Program at Oxford
### Summer Program

- consortial program with 5 other VA schools
- 6 weeks (June-Aug)
- Register for ENGL 301 + HIST 307 in TigerWeb in April
- May be able to register for INDS 250 (EL-OFF)

**APPLY IN VIA, THEN TO VPO**
*VIA app includes deposit instructions*
*VPO app includes H-SC + VPO funding request*

DEC: applications open
**JAN 30: VIA APP due**
FEB 1: VPO APP + deposit due
MAR: app results emailed; offer confirmation due
APR: program fees applied to H-SC student account
APR: funding applied to H-SC student account

*Deposits are returned if not accepted to program OR if accepted student withdraws by the offer confirmation deadline in March.*

## ACADEMIC PROGRESS

Specific courses may satisfy various core/major/minor requirements. In addition, completing a Global Ed program can satisfy the following, no matter what specific courses are taken.

### I. Common Foundations. E. Compass Experiential Learning

EL-OFF can be satisfied by study abroad and study away programs. Division neutral.

Included by design in these study abroad and study away programs:

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Satisfied if student also takes INDS 250: Cultural Engagement in Study Abroad:

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### II. Cultures in Context. B. Option 2

All **abroad** programs satisfy this requirement. Frees up 2 additional semester course slots. Division neutral.

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## ADVISING RECOMMENDATIONS

- Encourage students early to plan for a Global Ed program.
- Highlight: semester programs are (for most) only $850 more in fees than to be here; and their financial aid is still applied to their account.
- Build flexibility into their schedule for a semester program.
- Show them the main webpage: https://www.hsc.edu/study-abroad-and-away
- Encourage them to sign into VIA: hsc.via-trm.com
- Have them drop by Global Ed (Gilmer 109B) or schedule an appointment.

***(For the love of Zeus, please don't have them email to request a meeting.)***

- Remind them about application deadlines
- When meeting to discuss registration for Fall, ask them their summer plans. Clear them to register in TigerWeb for the Summer term if attending an H-SC IN program or the Virginia Program at Oxford.

## WHAT IS VIA?

- Our online database of pre-approved programs, which can be filtered for term, program type, academic discipline, location, and more.
- Once logging in using their H-SC email credentials, users can save programs, submit applications and essential materials, message Global Ed, and more.

## ET AL.

- Students can request approval to attend a program that is not listed in VIA.
- Students can attend more than one program but their receiving College funding again is less likely.
- Students can request exemptions to our GPA and class standing policies. If high financial need, they can also request an alternative deposit option for VPO and our H-SC IN program apps.
- Faculty and staff are welcome to use the link to schedule a meeting with the Global Ed director.

*Global Ed webpage:* *VIA:* *Appointments:*