Studying abroad will change your life. The new experiences, remarkable people and academic journey will broaden your horizons and open your future to new possibilities.

Faculty-led programs are the most popular study abroad courses offered through Texas State. Under the leadership of Texas State professors, these group-based programs include class instruction, mentoring, accommodations, organized visits and cultural encounters.

Students often report these benefits after studying abroad:

» Self-confidence and an ability to take risks
» Ability to learn from different teaching styles
» Ability to communicate effectively among diverse groups
» Increased independence and maturity
» Better appreciation and understanding of their own and other cultures
» Ability to creatively solve problems

For information on financial aid, please contact Texas State Financial Aid and Scholarships located in JCK 220. For more information on the International Education Fee Scholarship, please visit the Study Abroad website.

You may qualify for other available resources, such as the Benjamin Gilman Scholarship.
Phnom Penh, Cambodia
July 09 – August 09, 2014
*Program pending approval and subject to change

What You Will Learn
Cambodia has a rich history. The Angkor kingdom dominated the region for four centuries and the extensive remains of Angkor temples form a world heritage sight. Although Cambodia experienced civil war and genocide for three decades, the country has been stable and working to rebuild its education system for the last 15 years. This program provides students the opportunity to learn general science, physics, and/or science methods while studying with Cambodian college students at the Royal University of Phnom Penh, the oldest and most respected university in the country. Students will also have the opportunity to teach what they have learned to local Cambodian children. Cambodians are open and friendly and most of the Cambodians we will have contact with speak English. The US dollar is the unit of currency.

The City
Situated at the conflux of three rivers, the capital city, Phnom Penh, is an eclectic mix of French and Asian influences. Traditional Khmer buildings such as the Royal Palace, the Royal Museum and the many Wats (monastery temples) intermingle with French mansions and modern architecture. Although Cambodia is a developing country, the water supply in Phnom Penh has received international awards for quality. Cambodian food is known for utilizing fresh ingredients and subtle spices. French baguettes and coffee abound as well as a wide variety of international restaurants. Food and activities are inexpensive. We will also visit Siem Reap which is home to the world’s largest religious complex, Angkor Wat.

Program Dates
» Departure from the USA: July 09, 2014
» First day of classes: July 11, 2014
» Last day of classes: August 09, 2014
» Departure from Program: August 09, 2014

Course Options
» CI 4355 Science in Elementary Education
» CI 5329 The Elementary School Science
» GS 3310 Honors General Science
» GS 3320 Honors General Science
» HON 3480C Teaching Physical Science to Children

Cost: $3,138
Cost includes:
» Tuition and fees for six hours of university credit
» $200 non-refundable application fee
» Lodging, breakfast and laundry
» Scheduled visits and excursions
» International health insurance and travel assistance insurance
» In-country airfare

Payment Schedule
» Deposit: $200 February 21, 2014
» First Payment: $786 March 7, 2014
» Second Payment: $786 April 4, 2014
» Final Payment (Tuition): $1,366 TBA

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