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Old Dominion University’s Office of Study Abroad offers a variety of faculty-led study abroad opportunities through which students can receive graduate credits. The offerings for Spring Break 2016 and Summer 2016 are listed here:

**Spring Break 2016:**
- Comparative Health Systems in London
- International Business in London
- Paris/Auschwitz: French Holocaust

**Summer 2016:**
- Bioinorganic and Natural Products Chemistry in Jamaica
- Career Counseling in Italy
- Community Justice in the Caribbean
- Dental Hygiene Practices in Germany
- Diversity and Counseling Summer Institute in Ireland
- Field Course in Morocco
- Field Studies in Marine Biology
- French Language and Quebec Studies
- Interprofessional Global Health in Guatemala (Summer)
- Interprofessional Global Health in Brazil
- Nicaragua Communities and Tourism
- Western European Ports

Full listings of faculty-led study abroad programs to be offered can be found here. Please contact us or the Office of Study Abroad (studyabroad@odu.edu) for more information.

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**DATES AND DEADLINES**

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Hello,

My name is Eric White and I am the new Graduate Assistant at the Office of Graduate Studies. I recently completed my undergraduate degree here at Old Dominion University in International Business and am now a first-year graduate student in the master’s of arts in Economics program. I am beyond excited to be a part of ODU’s graduate community. I look forward to keeping everybody informed and up to date with what is important and exciting relating to graduate students and Graduate Studies. If there is something or someone you would like us to highlight, please let me know. Your suggestions and feedback makes this a better newsletter for everyone. Best of luck in this semester and all those to come!

Cheers,

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UPCOMING PFF EVENT

**PFF Panel Discussion on ‘The New Faculty Experience’**

When: Friday, October 23, 2015 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Where: Learning Commons, Rooms 1310-1311