

NYU Shanghai Global Ambassador Expectations

The NYU Shanghai Global Ambassador Program provides opportunities for NYU Shanghai seniors who have returned from study away to share their study away experiences with rising sophomore students who are preparing to study away. The Global Ambassador program provides an invaluable opportunity for students to spread the inspiration, global knowledge and excitement that students have gained from their study away experiences. The NYU Shanghai Global Ambassadors will be trained to help connect rising sophomores with study away resources and answer questions at events and by email from the student perspective.

This is an excellent opportunity to stay connected to your study away site(s), share your stories from study away, and give back to the NYU Shanghai community. The position responsibilities include: attending a mandatory training, replying to emails and questions from students about study away, attending the Global Week Site Info Session, Pre-Departure Orientation sessions, and assist with other initiatives organized by the Shanghai Global Affairs team.

QUALIFICATIONS

To be eligible for the program, Global Ambassadors must:

- Study in Shanghai for the Fall 2017 semester.
- Have studied away for at least one full semester at a site/campus in the NYU Global Network .
- Be highly motivated to share their global knowledge.
- Demonstrate effective verbal and written skills.
- Maintain professional conduct and appearance.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Attend Global Ambassador program mandatory training session (scheduled in the beginning of the Fall 2017 semester).
- Respond to assigned questions from students via email.
- Be available to students as a study away resource, provide a student perspective on the study away experience and offer guidance to other NYU Shanghai students who may feel confused or unsure.
- Attend Global Week events and activities, which includes site specific information sessions, Pre-Departure Orientation sessions, etc., and assist with other study away initiatives.
- Help promote Study Away related events to students and collect feedback for future improvement.
- Help design and prepare student generated materials to add to the study away resources available to future students
- Complete a program evaluation survey at the end of the semester.

REQUIRED TIME COMMITMENT

- Must be able to participate for the full academic year (September 2017-May 2018)
- Must be available for the mandatory training and Global Week events:
 - September, 2017 (Mandatory Training, Date TBD) ~1 hour
 - October 9-13, 2017 (Fall Global Week Commitment) ~3-5 hours
 - May, 2018 (Spring Global Week Commitment, Dates TBD) ~3-5 hours

BENEFITS

- Be a representative and stay connected with your study away site(s).
- Enhance your leadership abilities.
- Strengthen your interpersonal and communication skills.
- Develop meaningful relationships with sophomores who are preparing to study away.
- Gain insight into international education and NYU Shanghai's study away programs.
- Contribute to the NYU Shanghai student experience.