



CBS Adventures Abroad

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What did you learn or gain from your time abroad?

During each of my three study abroad experiences I learned more than just what was taught by the professor or by experiments we did in the field. Studying abroad shows you, first hand, the problem and how it is affecting the people living there.

Why should CBS students go abroad?

I think every CBS student should go abroad because they can learn real world problems that can be solved by science. Many CBS students may think there isn't a program out there for them being a science student, but I say, there is! Many issues in this world today are not going to be able to be solved without science. Also, one learns about different cultures. Yes, Minneapolis is diverse, but one can never really learn from a culture unless they are surrounded by it all day, everyday. Lastly, most CBS students want to work in the medical field and as a medical professional, you need to be able to talk to a wide diverse population of people. While abroad, I think one learns better communication skills because they are stepping out of their comfort zone, and that is important for young future physicians.

Student Scoop

Major: Biology

Program:

- A month in Malaysia
- A week in Belize
- 2 weeks in Rwanda and Uganda

Describe your experience in 5 words:

Memorable, Adventurous, Empowering, Thought-provoking, Inspiring



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