

Study Abroad Hungary

International Programs

SIUE partners with ESSCA, the Angers graduate school in France, to offer students the opportunity to study abroad in Budapest, Hungary. ESSCA offers many programs in English for the international public. You can purchase health insurance prior to departure or at the school. Also, a passport and visa are necessary for this country.



For more information click on links:

[ESSCA Website](http://www.essca.fr/FR/etudiant_international/exchange_student/programmes_in_english/Pages/accueil.aspx) (http://www.essca.fr/FR/etudiant_international/exchange_student/programmes_in_english/Pages/accueil.aspx),
[Travel Information for Hungary](http://www.booking.com/) (<http://www.booking.com/>)

Key Dates and Deadlines for Spring Semester

- Application Form Exchange Program: End of October
- Proof of Health Insurance: End of October
- Copy of passport: End of October
- Passport Photograph: End of October
- Travel Itinerary: Beginning of January
- Orientation Period: End of January (about a week before semester begins)
- Start of Program: End of January
- End of Program: End of May

Key Dates and Deadlines for Fall Semester

- Application Form Exchange Program: Beginning of May
- Copy of passport: Beginning of May
- Passport Photograph: Beginning of May
- Travel Itinerary: Mid-August
- Orientation Period: Beginning of September (about a week before semester begins)
- Start of Program: Mid-September
- End of Program: Mid-December

Basic Pre-Departure Information

1. Apply for passport after admission letter has been sent from school at Circuit Court Clerk at 155 North Main Street Suite 120, Edwardsville, IL: Need Valid Drivers License, \$97 Check or Cash, and passport photo (Available at CVS across from Madison County Courthouse).
2. Get an ISIC Card: Visit <http://www.siue.edu/studyabroad/ISIC.shtml> for more information
3. Check International Services: www.siue.edu/iss
4. Apply for Financial Aid: Visit <http://www.siue.edu/financialaid/> for more Information
5. Shop for airline tickets: [Expedia](http://www.expedia.com/daily/home/) (<http://www.expedia.com/daily/home/>), [Student Universe](http://www.studentuniverse.com/) (<http://www.studentuniverse.com/>), [STA Travel](http://www.statravel.com/) (<http://www.statravel.com/>)
6. Purchase phone card: <http://www.goabroad.ekit.com/ekit/home/>
7. Register at the Department of State: <http://www.state.gov/>
8. Leave a copy of your passport with the SIUE International Programs Office