The College of Engineering at Penn State offers a great opportunity for study abroad in the United States.
Penn State,
✓ a classic U.S. university
✓ with outstanding academic opportunities
ACADEMICS
Academics

• A leading educator of engineers in the U.S.
• Numerous research centers and units
• Among the top ten in the U.S. in funded research
• Internationally recognized
• For more information: www.engr.psu.edu
Available programs

• Acoustics
• Aerospace Engineering
• Architectural Engineering
• Bioengineering (Biomedical)
• Biological (Agricultural) Engineering
• Chemical Engineering
• Civil Engineering
• Computer Engineering
• Computer Science
• Electrical Engineering
• Engineering Science
• Engineering Mechanics
• Environmental Engineering
• Industrial Engineering
• Manufacturing
• Mechanical Engineering
• Nuclear Engineering
Specialized programs

- Entrepreneurship
- Leadership
- Engineering Design
- Nanotechnology
- Materials
- Science, Technology, and Society
- Sustainability
Access to courses in other departments and programs, for example:

- Science
- Mathematics
- Business
- Life Sciences
- Agriculture
- Economics
- Anthropology
- Earth and Mineral Sciences
- The Arts
- Communications

and many others
The breadth and diversity of our faculty allows us to offer courses in new and evolving areas.
We have many more programs than there is space to list here. If you have an interest in a specific area that is not mentioned, please contact us.

international@engr.psu.edu
Experience modern laboratories and facilities
Engage in hands-on student projects - teamwork
Experience accessible faculty
What others have to say about their experience

“Ever since I got here at Penn State, I have to say that everything has been above my expectations. It seems everything’s been designed for me. It’s real comfortable. It’s been an awesome experience all around from the first day on.”

Patrick Raynaud, exchange student from France

“One thing that I like that I didn’t have in France was having contact with the professors and all of the research opportunities that we have here.”

Henri Thevenot, exchange student from France
Penn State demographics (Fall 2008)

- 37,988 undergraduate students at University Park campus
- 5,730 undergraduates enrolled in College of Engineering
- 3,860 international undergraduate and graduate students
College of Engineering demographics (Fall 2008)

• Enrolled: 5,730 undergraduate, 577 master’s, and 854 Ph.D. students at University Park campus.
  - Women: 1,161 undergraduate and 250 graduate students
  - International: 310 undergraduate and 795 graduate students for a total of 1105.
  - International students in the College come from almost every country in the world.
WHERE IS PENN STATE?
Where is Penn State?

Driving Distance to Major Cities

New York 386 km
Philadelphia 322 km
Washington, DC 346 km
Boston 708 km
Toronto 482 km
A large, comprehensive campus
A classic American university setting
STUDENT LIFE
A student-centered campus with a vibrant student life
On-campus housing and food services
Student support services – the student health center and clinic
The Student Union
Recreation and fitness facilities
Athletic events
School spirit
Concerts and performances
The college town, called State College, is adjacent to the campus and supplements the campus experience.
Town amenities
Public transportation
The surrounding area offers many recreational opportunities
TO APPLY
A minimum score of 80 is required on the Test Of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)
Penn State’s Office of Global Programs

• The Directorate of International Student Advising (part of the Office of Global Programs) provides support in the area of visas, maintenance of status within the U.S.A., travel, housing, and other matters.
• For more information about the support services for international students, go to: http://www.global.psu.edu/international_students-ea_exchange.cfm
To Apply:

Does your home institution have an exchange agreement with Penn State?

YES


NO

Is your institution a member of either the Global Education for European Engineers and Entrepreneurs (GE4) or the Global Engineering Education Exchange (GE3)?

YES

Tip for applying: Start early enough to avoid any impact due to a visa issuance delay.

NO

Continue to next slide
Follow your institution’s procedure to apply for either a semester or a full academic year of study at Penn State.

Send an e-mail to: international@engr.psu.edu

Have any questions for anyone in the Penn State College of Engineering?

YES

Check Penn State’s Schedule of Courses http://soc.our.psu.edu/soc/ for the availability of courses during the semester you plan to study at Penn State. Click here to see more instruction.

Compile a list of possible courses and their descriptions and then consult with your advisor about their use to meet your degree requirements.

NO

When notified of acceptance to Penn State, respond to the instructions from Penn State by providing information and submitting responses.

See you at PENN STATE!
How to search for courses on:
http://soc.our.psu.edu/soc/

1. Enter the Semester: Fall or Spring

2. Enter the Campus: University Park

3. Enter the Course Abbreviation for the courses you wish to explore.

4. Click View Schedule

5. Click on the course name and number to view the course description.
In Conclusion

• Thank you for your attention.
• Please consider Penn State.
• The College of Engineering has set up a special resource web page exclusively for students who wish to consider Penn State as their study abroad destination:

http://www.engr.psu.edu/global/StudentsINTL/

Are there any questions?