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Global Tigers: Go Abroad

**Fall 2021 Global Tigers Week:
Study Abroad, Learn Globally
September 7, 8, 9 and 14, 15 & 16, 2021**

As the golden autumn is approaching, the Office of International Education will host our **Fall 2021 Global Tigers Week** in September 2021. Morehouse College study abroad providers such as Arcadia Abroad, CAPA, CIEE, IES and ISEP will give virtual information sessions at 3:00 PM from Sept. 7 (T) through Sept. 16 (Th) 2021 and discuss their programs in Africa, South America, Europe and Asia. Please find the Global Tigers Week Schedule on the next page.

Morehouse 2021-2026 Strategic Plan is determined to internationalize the Morehouse student experience by expanding study abroad and involving the faculty in international initiatives. The Goal #9 states that each student will have at least one international experience during his years at Morehouse College.

Please plan your education accordingly and prepare for international study opportunities. As a student you can study at any places in the world and receive Morehouse academic credits. The international experience can be a life and career changer in your intellectual and professional development. Please join us online!





Diplomat Fellowship & Internships for Students and Graduates

- Discover what it means to be a diplomat in the US foreign Service.
- Get acquainted with the requirements for the Rangel and Pickering Fellowships
- Learn about Pathways, FAIT and more Department of State student programs
- Engage in Q&A to discuss how these programs may fit into your future education.

Please join us on Sept 1, 2021, at 3:00 PM
Zoom ID: 999 1870 8429

Mr. Allen DuBose
US. Department of State
Diplomat in Residence



Mr. Michael Veasy
Senior Advisor, Rangel and Pickering Programs

Mr. Korde A. Inniss, Morehouse alumnus and current Charles B. Rangel Fellow, will explain what he did to become a Fellow and how students can prepare for the competitive US Department of State Students Programs.



Time: 3:00 PM on Sept.7, 8, 9, 14, 15 &16 2021
[Global Tigers Study Abroad Virtual Info Session-Click Here](#)
[Zoom Meeting ID 999 1870 8429](#)

Fall 2021 Global Tigers Week: Study Abroad Information and Opportunity

Sept.7—Sept.16.2021

Zoom Link: <https://morehouse.zoom.us/j/99918708429>

Date	Presenter	Topic
Tuesday, Sept 7, 2021	ISEP	Affordable! https://www.isepstudyabroad.org/
Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2021	OIE	Scholarships! How to afford Study Abroad?
Thursday, Sept. 9, 2021	CAPA	Global Study & Internships https://www.capa.org/
Tuesday, Sept. 14, 2021	IES Abroad	Your Cities, Your Learning https://www.iesabroad.org/
Wednesday, Spet.15, 2021	CIEE	Access the World https://www.ciee.org/
Thursday, Sept 16, 2021	Arcadia Abroad	Learn Everywhere https://studyabroad.arcadia.edu/

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Gilman Scholarships for Study Abroad

The Gilman Scholarship Program provides up to \$7,000 for undergraduate students who are both U.S. citizens and Federal Pell Grants recipients] to participate in in-person or virtual international programs.

The Gilman-McCain Scholarship provides \$5,000 scholarships for children of active-duty military personnel who receive any type of Title IV federal Financial Aid to study or intern abroad. It is open now!

<https://www.gilmanscholarship.org/applicants/application-overview/>

The scholarships are for you to study abroad during Spring, Summer and Fall 2022.

This prestigious scholarship was awarded to many Morehouse students. Current Gilman Scholars Spencer Robertson (Summer 2021, China), Malik Strong (Spring 2021, China) and Markal Kelly (Spring 2020, Portugal) are available for assistance with your application.

Please contact Dr. Ruihua.Shen@morehouse.edu, if you need any assistance.



Benjamin A. Gilman
International Scholarship



Spencer Robertson' 23, Gilma Scholar to China/Taiwan



Malik Strong' 23 Gilman Scholar to China/Taiwan



Markel Kelly' 24, Gilman Scholar to Portugal

How to Apply for Gilman Scholarships for Study Abroad?
Virtual Info Session on Sept 22, 2021
3:00 PM

Zoom Link: <https://morehouse.zoom.us/j/99918708429>

Morehouse Gilman Scholars will help you apply for the Gilman Scholarship for Study Abroad. The deadline for Gilman Scholarship is Oct 5, 2021. Please apply here: <https://apply.gilmanapplication.org/>

Fulbright Scholarships

Virtual Info Session on Sept. 29, 2021
3:00 PM

Zoom Link: <https://morehouse.zoom.us/j/99918708429>

The Morehouse Scholarship Committee assists students with the Fulbright Scholarship & Fellowship application. Please contact Dr. Melvin Rahming and Dr. Leah Creque if you need assistance. The deadline is Oct. 12, 2021.

[Fulbright Student Program - Getting Started Here](#)



Reengaging the World to Make the United States Stronger at Home: A Renewed U.S. Commitment to International Education

The U.S. Department of State and the U.S. Department of Education have [released a joint statement](#) of principles in support of international education, titled, “Reengaging the World to Make the United States Stronger at Home: A Renewed U.S. Commitment to International Education” on July 26, 2021.

This statement emphasizes our shared commitment to promoting international education and outlining the benefits of global academic engagement to all Americans. The Joint Statement revitalizes the U.S. government’s effort to work collaboratively in support of the American higher education sector as we emerge from the global pandemic.

The video messages from Secretaries Blinken and Cardona also served to highlight the value of international education to U.S. diplomacy, national security, economic prosperity, and U.S. leadership in research and innovation as well as to emphasize the U.S. government’s commitment to a renewed focus on international education at home and abroad. Please visit educationusa.state.gov to access their video remarks and more.



The Director’s Words

Dear Morehouse Community,

As the Covid-19 pandemic is getting into its second year, study abroad programs in the US as well as in other countries have been halted. We hunkered down in our corners for almost eighteen months, but the world is evolving without a halt.

Over the last couple of weeks, we have witnessed the tragedy unfolding in Afghanistan and have worried about the future of ordinary Afghans. In addition, the UN recently warned us that the first climate change famine in the east of Africa, the fourth largest island Madagascar, was already happening.

When I read or watch the daily news, I feel the pain and suffering of these people who share this global village with us. I wish we could go to these places and provide assistance and solace. Let us make the world a better place.

International education develops our capacity for compassion and enhances our ability to help others. Education abroad is a necessary journey for any 21st-century citizen. I am here to assist you with your journey. You will go abroad to see, to feel, to learn and reflect.

Although we are still in this global pandemic, the future of study abroad remains relevant and important. We are re-imagining education abroad, with important issues such as social justice, artificial intelligence, sustainability, and the role of virtual learning.

I believe that strong international programs will help Morehouse young men develop into globally educated citizens and effective leaders in an increasingly interconnected world. I feel a sense of mission and I am here to assist you.

In September of 2021 our office will host a series of virtual info sessions. They include Morehouse Global Tigers Week: Study Abroad, Learn Globally; our diplomat in residence will guide students on how to apply for scholarship and foreign service opportunities; Morehouse Gilman Scholars will assist you with the application process for Gilman scholarships. Please join us online!

Ruihua Shen, Ph.D.

Director of International Education Office

August 31, 2021

The Office of International Education is open and accessible for planning, advice, and guidance.

Please schedule a **virtual appointment with Dr. Shen** via:

<https://calendly.com/ruihua-shen>

Ruihua Shen, Ph.D.

Director of International Education Office
Professor, Chinese Studies Program

