Questions and Answers

Q: Are there specific expectations for contact hours for the overseas portion of the programs?

A: The RFP does not specify a number for required contact hours during the overseas semester. However, the expectation is that these programs are full immersion experiences and therefore should include a full morning or day of instruction each day. It is not expected that all contact hours are traditional class time. Contact hours can include activities such as homework, tutors, and immersive housing.

Q: Is there a suggested balance of language and content credits for the overseas programs?

A: There is no credit structure specified for the programs in the RFP. Once overseas, it is expected that each program will be conducted in the target language, including content courses. The advanced and intermediate-level students may have more advanced content courses taught in the language.