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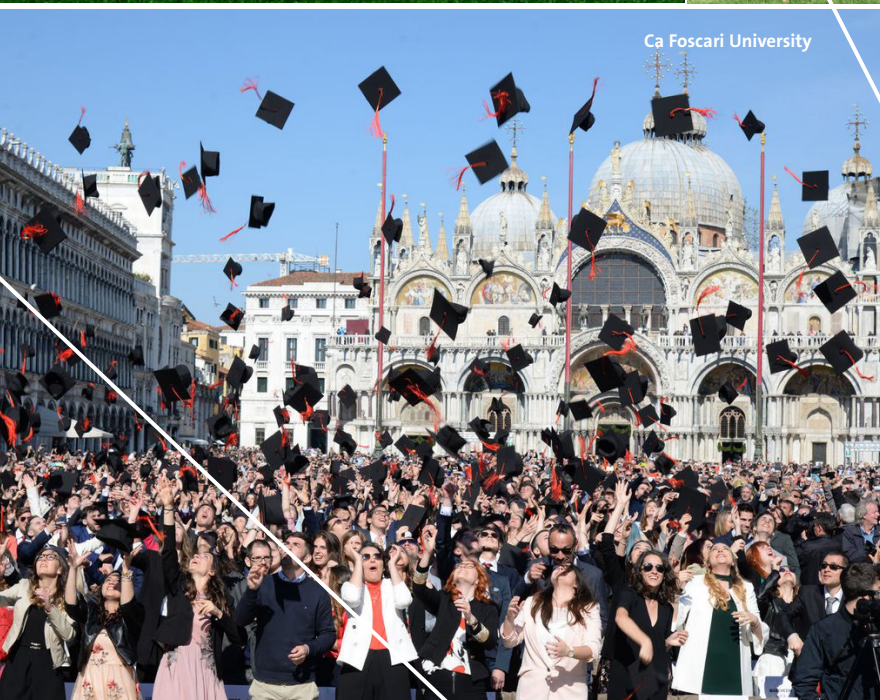
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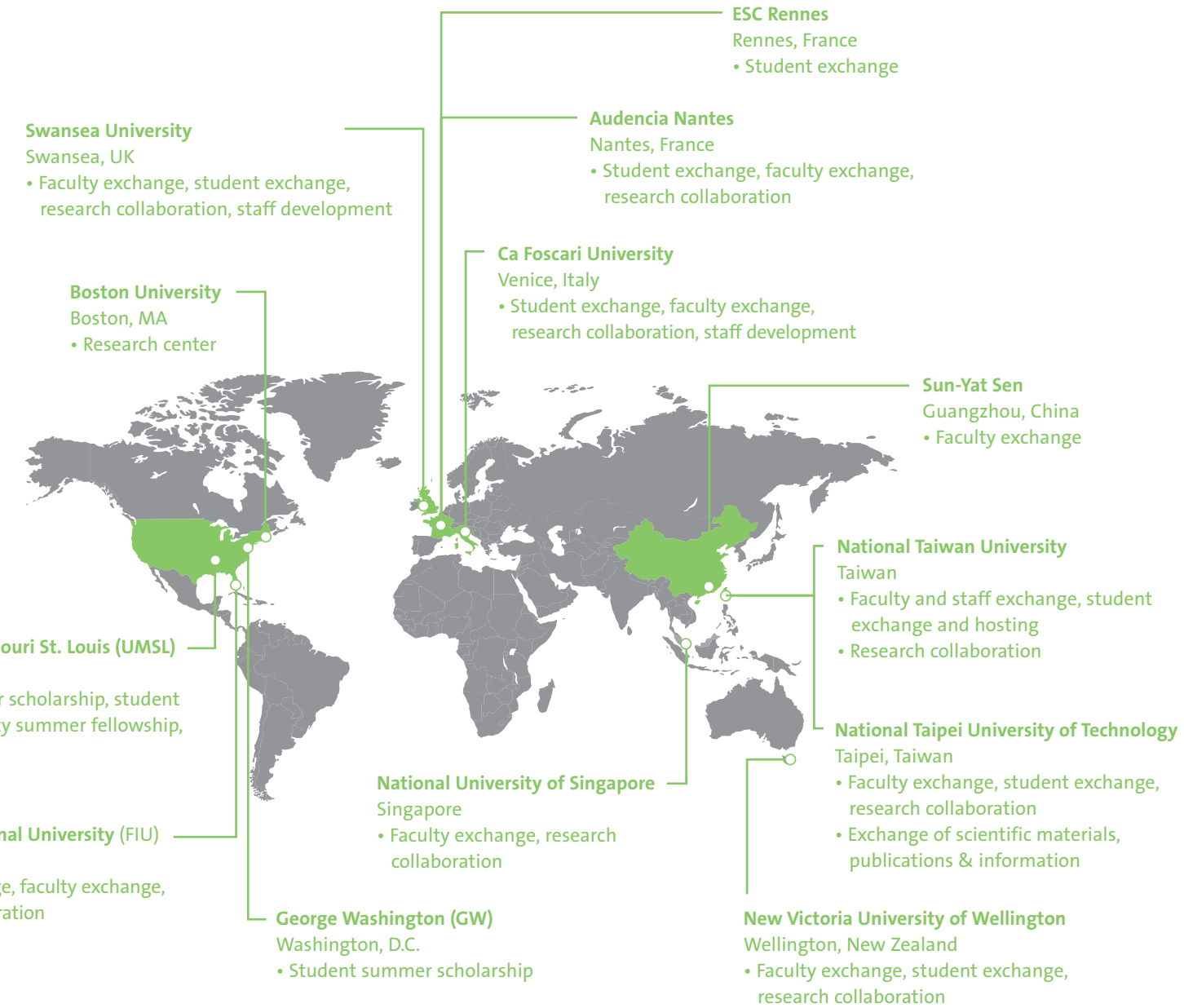


Swansea University

Established in 2006, the Office of International Programs (OIP) offers Gulf University for Science & Technology (GUST) students and faculty various opportunities to develop and grow their skills abroad. The OIP is dedicated to identifying top quality programs for its students and faculty to benefit from, and helping them through the process step-by-step.

As a university, GUST builds and maintains a wide array of institutional agreements with universities located throughout the world. These partnerships include our strategic alliance with University of Missouri – St. Louis (UMSL), as well as other programs with world-renowned institutions, which help promote a variety of opportunities for collaboration and progressive academic engagement.

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STUDY ABROAD & INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS



The Office of International Programs' (OIP) mission is to promote and develop a wide range of international and educational opportunities through the establishment of strategic partnerships with top ranked academic institutions and organizations. This enables GUST students and faculty to integrate into the emerging global knowledge and learning network.

The OIP administers the following programs:

- Student Summer Scholarship
- Faculty Summer Fellowship
- Graduate Scholarship Mission

In 2013, the Foundation Program Unit at GUST was granted the Commission on Intensive English Program Accreditation (CEA) for its English Foundation Program. In 2014, GUST became the first private university in Kuwait to receive the AACSB-International accreditation for its College of Business Administration, and the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) for its Computer Science program. Most recently, GUST's Mass Communication and Media Department was awarded full accreditation by the American Communication Association (ACA).



Computing Accreditation Commission



GUST-UMSL 2+2 PROGRAM

COMPLETED DEGREES

University of Missouri – St. Louis

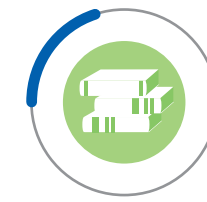
Our GUST-UMSL 2+2 program enables students to begin their undergraduate degree program at GUST, and complete it at the University of Missouri – St. Louis (UMSL) in one of the many degree programs not currently available at GUST. Since 2006, 13 students have completed the 2+2 program.

During the first part of the 2+2 program, students must complete their first two years of general education requirements at GUST. Upon completion of their sophomore year, 2+2 students transfer to UMSL to complete their upper-division degree requirements. Subject to degree and major requirements, most general education credits earned at GUST are transferable toward a degree at UMSL. Upon completion of the remaining degree requirements at UMSL, 2+2 students will earn a degree issued by the University of Missouri–St. Louis.

This program is ideal for students desiring an international experience and the opportunity to take courses in the United States without the commitment of living abroad for four years. It is also suitable for students wishing to specialize in one of the many additional degree programs offered at UMSL.



BSAcc Accounting



BA English



BA Psychology



BA Economics
Marketing Minor



BSBA Business
Administration
International & Marketing



MA English



MBA Business
Administration
Finance



MAcc Accounting



BSBA Business
Administration
Finance

An experience that changed my perspective in life, and the way I deal with situations. I am more independent and confident."

Sahar Ghoubar
Summer Program, GW

SUMMER SCHOLARSHIP

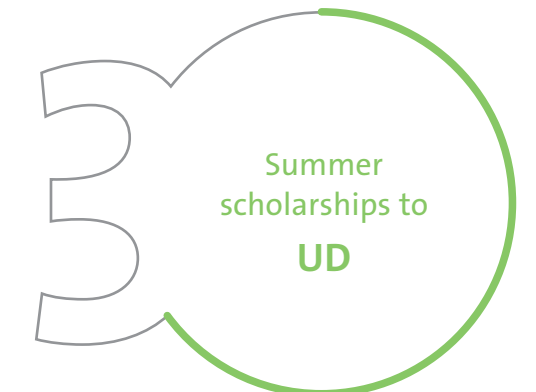
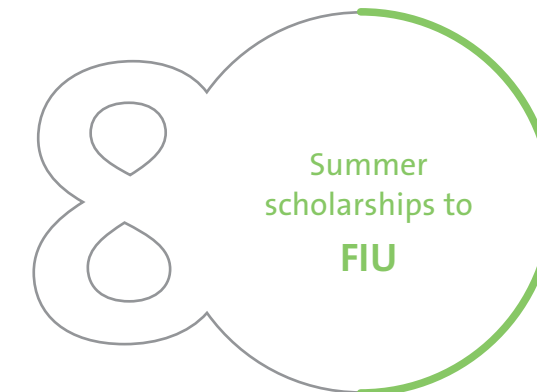
Eligibility Requirements:

- 01** Be a full-time student enrolled at GUST
- 02** Completion of 60 credit hours
- 03** Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher
- 04** Attain a minimum TOEFL score of 550 (paper-based); 213 (computer-based); or 79-80 (internet-based).



Each year, GUST offers its students a limited number of competitive summer scholarships to enrich their academic experience through international study. GUST's summer scholarships are open to all students from both the College of Arts & Sciences and the College of Business Administration that fulfill the eligibility requirements. The scholarships include tuition for six academic credit hours, a round trip economy class ticket to the United States, and a support allowance.

Since 2006, a total of 105 students were granted a Summer Scholarship to attend the University of Missouri – St. Louis, George Washington University, Florida International University, and University of Dubai.



GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

ASU

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

“My journey of obtaining a master’s degree from the University of Illinois, and now pursuing a PhD at Arizona State University, helped me appreciate the continuous nature of building a career and striving for better results.”

Maryam AlMuhanna
PHD Student,
Arizona State University

Arizona State University

Badriyah AlHusaini

Field of Study: Accounting
PhD: Accounting
University: Pennsylvania State University

Maryam AlMuhanna

Field of Study: English Linguistics - Translation
PhD: Linguistics & Applied Linguistics
University: Arizona State University

Hala AlMutawa

Field of Study: English Education
PhD: Philosophy - Curriculum & Instruction
University: Pennsylvania State University

Maryam Abdulla

Field of Study: Computer Science
PhD: Computer Science
University: University of Manchester

Pennsylvania State University

“My graduate experience has enabled me to gain additional knowledge needed to advance in my teaching career. I have had countless hands-on experiences while engaging in community service and internship opportunities within the education field.”

Hala Al-Mutawa
PhD student, Penn State

The GUST Graduate Scholarship Mission comes as a valuable part of GUST’s strategic faculty hiring process, in order to integrate its graduates as faculty members. Candidates are offered a fully-funded Masters and PhD scholarship inclusive of tuition fees and a monthly stipend. Scholarship recipients are expected to study at one of the QS top 100 universities worldwide, pre-approved by GUST. These universities are endorsed by the Ministry of Higher Education and the Kuwait Cultural Office in the study country. Upon completion of their postgraduate studies, they will serve as GUST faculty member for the same number of years they spent abroad.

Eligibility Requirements:

- 01** Kuwaiti citizen
- 02** GUST undergraduate degree
- 03** Achieved high distinction (B+) or a 3.30 GPA
- 04** Strong command of the English language to meet all requirements of the concerned universities.
- 05** Applicants must not be above the age of 28 (as of Oct. 1st following the scholarship nomination).

MBA COURSES ABROAD

“The course was one of the most fulfilling experiences I have ever had. The course, instructors, and case studies, were challenging and educational. Boston College is one of the most elite institutes in the world, so the course was both beneficial, innovative, and a great addition to my resume.”

Chirine Chahine, Honor List
MBA Summer, Boston College

Boston College

GUST's Masters of Business Administration Program (MBA) has established bilateral agreements with internationally renowned universities and business schools over the years. These agreements provide MBA students with great opportunities to explore courses of strategic importance in a global context.

The courses abroad serve as a tool to develop the students' in-class learning with an international experience, as well as build bridges with prestigious world-renowned institutions. The trips include several days of analytical reviews, case studies, interactive discussions, presentations, and visits to prestigious corporations in the country. These courses have always been widely appreciated by students, and have extended the reputation of the program locally and internationally.

Summer 2009/2010

Course: **FIN 599**
Implications of Current Financial Crisis
(3 credit elective course)
Location: **Fordham University**
New York, USA
Number of graduates: **16**

Spring 2012/2013

Course: **MRKT 595**
Topics in Marketing
(3 credit elective course)
Location: **Florida International University**
Florida, USA
Number of graduates: **18**

Spring 2013/2014

Course: **MGMT 561**
Entrepreneurship & Small Business Management (3 credit elective course)
Location: **Grenoble University**
France
Number of graduates: **20**

Summer 2013/2014

Course: **MGMT 596**
Innovation & Negotiation in International Business Management (3 credit elective course)
Location: **Global Leadership Institute**
Boston College | Massachusetts, USA
Number of graduates: **22**

Spring 2014/2015

Course: **FIN 596**
Strengthening Capital Markets Knowledge (3 credit elective course)
Location: **The London Stock Exchange Academy | London, UK**
Number of graduates: **21**

Summer 2016/2017

Course: **MGMT 561- Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management** (3 credit elective course)
Location: **University of Missouri - St. Louis | Missouri, USA**
Number of graduates: **14**



“I was a GUST faculty fellowship recipient during the summer of 2013 at Florida International University in Miami. It was a great opportunity to engage with similar-minded colleagues in an international environment. The research interests and relationships that I cultivated during those short weeks have continued with me until today.”

Dr. Omar AlShehabi
Assistant Professor in Economics
Humanities & Social Sciences Dept.

SUMMER FACULTY FELLOWSHIP

Florida International University

GUST provides a limited number of faculty fellowships for research and development during the summer. They are available to all GUST faculty on an equal opportunity basis.

Since 2006, a total of 63 faculty members were granted fellowships to conduct collaborative research projects with their peer researchers; 45 to the University of Missouri - St. Louis, 11 to Florida International University, two to the University of Massachusetts-Lowell, and one to each of Cambridge University, Oxford University, Derby University, London School of Economics, and the University of Queensland.

45
Faculty members to UMSL

11
Faculty members to FIU

Eligibility Requirements:

- 01** Full-time GUST faculty member
- 02** Exhibit genuine interest in scholarship, research, and creativity
- 03** Maintain high standards of quality and integrity among academic peers
- 04** Foster the interest and involvement of students and colleagues in scholarship and creative work
- 05** Demonstrate a significant contribution to scholarship, research, and creativity at GUST
- 06** Establish links with top international university faculty
- 07** Present high-value, intellectual projects for pursuit during the fellowship



In partnership with OXadventure, a local non-profit organization established by young Kuwaitis in 2013, the Mass Communication and Media Department at GUST, conduct annual aid-work internship trips. OXadventure aims to educate the younger generation about global citizenship by donating their time and energy to affected communities. Throughout the trips, students also take the time to explore and appreciate the country's people, culture, and beauty. In 2014, students had the opportunity to help build an orphanage for a community in Bangalore, India; a community center with a computer-training lab in Sri Lanka, in 2015; renovated a school in Kathmandu, Nepal, in 2016; and built a library in Hoi An, Vietnam, in 2017.

Most recently, a trip to the Tetouan Province in Tangier, Morocco took place in 2018. The team volunteered on a 10-day project focused on providing sustainable education and improving living standards for at-risk children in the area.





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