UC San Diego Global Seminars

STEPS TO APPLY
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There are three main steps in the Global Seminars application. Follow these directions carefully, and email globalseminar@ucsd.edu if you have any questions.

Part I: Required Documents

1. **Create TritonsAbroad Profile:** Log into TritonsAbroad by clicking the link on the Global Seminars website and complete your profile. Click “Search Programs” to find your program of interest.

2. **Health Screening Form:** Download this form from the online application system. You may have this form signed by Student Health or by a private physician. Pick up the signed copy from Student Health at the end of your appointment(s). If you use a private physician, bring the form with you. Scan and upload the form into your GS application once it has been signed.

3. **Judicial Affairs Form:** Turn this form in at your College Student Affairs Office (or other university official as appropriate for non-UCSD students). The person signing the form will return it directly to Study Abroad UC San Diego.

Part II: Online Application

4. **Personal statement:** Your essay should be approximately 500 words long and address how the program fits with your academic, career, and personal objectives. **HINT:** Write your essay in a word processor program, then copy and paste it into your GS Online Application.

5. **Waiver and policy forms:** Read these forms carefully so that you understand your rights and responsibilities. Checking the box in the online application is the same as a legally binding signature.

6. **Unofficial transcript:** Upload a copy of your academic history from TritonLink. Transfer/non-UCSD students, please include an unofficial transcript from your home school. **NOTE:** First year/transfer students who do not have a UC San Diego GPA should turn in an updated transcript at the start of Winter quarter.

7. **Passport:** You must upload a photocopy of your valid passport or a receipt showing that you have applied for your passport. If you are not a US citizen, please also include a copy of your permanent resident card or a visa that is valid through the end of the time that you will be abroad.

Part III: Pay Application Fee

8. **Nonrefundable deposit:** Pay the $250 deposit online by credit card. If you do not have a credit card, you may pay by check made out to UC Regents at the Study Abroad front desk. This deposit will be applied toward your program fee and is only refunded if you are not accepted to the program of your choice.