

The Creighton Global Scholars (CGS) Program is a unique, globally-focused program that provides four immersion experiences and a plan of study unlike any other in the nation. Participation in the Creighton Global Scholars Program requires a \$7,500 annual fee, in addition to tuition, fees, room and board, books, and spending money. The CGS fee was developed to provide full transparency for students and to minimize unexpected expenses.

Included in the CGS fee:

- all visas
- flights for program-related travel
- program excursions
- required supplemental health insurance
- tuition waiver over 18 credits
- individualized academic advising and professional development
- specialized workshops
- internationally-recognized guest speakers



YEAR ONE

CGS SUMMER PREVIEW IN OMAHA

The first step to building our Creighton Global Scholars community occurs on the Creighton campus at a special Summer Preview orientation. At Summer Preview, the CGS cohort will get to know one another, the program, and the Creighton campus. The CGS Program Coordinator will cover next steps and logistics for the first semester experience at the University of Sydney and the CGS Program Advisor will layout individual course plans with each Global Scholar. This Summer Preview session will also have other Creighton students in attendance, and several activities throughout the session will be geared toward integrating Global Scholars into the greater Creighton community.

There are no surprise fees with the Creighton Global Scholars Program. The fee is designed to fully outline the cost of four international experiences.

CGS RATIO STUDIORUM (RSP) SEMINAR

RSP 101 is a required 1-credit course that introduces all new students to life at Creighton University. This year-long graded course has been personalized for students in the Creighton Global Scholars Program. With the CGS Program Advisor, students will examine the foundations of collegiate life at Creighton, such as Catholic Jesuit traditions and Ignatian pedagogy, the meaning and values of a liberal arts education, and the professional aspirations and academic challenges common to many freshmen. Additionally, the CGS Program Advisor will offer support as they transition from the American high school experience to life and school in another country and ultimately integrate back into the Creighton community in Omaha.

EACH SEMESTER

CGS COMPANION SEMINAR

The four-year companion seminar complements and enhances the four international experiences and culminates in a capstone project. Alongside the course content of the seminar, each year Global Scholars meet with and learn from internationally-recognized speakers on topics central to global citizenship, social justice, and global change.

Year One: Development of students' personal identities as global citizens.

Year Two: Build and broaden student understanding of other cultures and problems around the world.

Year Three: Transition Global Scholars from observers to agents of change on the global stage. Students begin to think about, discuss, and explore solutions to global problems through the lens of their major studies.

Year Four: Students complete their capstone project, integrating all they have learned through CGS and through their coursework into the exploration of a global issue or solution that aligns with their goals and passions.

OTHER PROGRAM INCLUSIONS BY YEAR

YEAR ONE

University of Sydney & Creighton Campus

- Australian visa
- Required travel insurance
- Roundtrip airfare to/from Sydney, Australia
- Housing at Urbanest Student Housing
- Urbanest linen package
- CGS Premier Group Excursion
- On-site orientation and advising in Sydney, Australia conducted by Creighton
- Re-orientation to Creighton in January
- Tuition waiver over 18 credits

YEAR TWO

Creighton Campus & Encuentro Dominicano

- Required vaccinations
- Dominican visa
- Required travel insurance
- Roundtrip airfare to/from Santiago, DR
- Room and board at Encuentro Dominicano
- Linens and laundry room access/use
- Dominican cell phone
- Three sponsored academic trips
- 5-6 sponsored student life activities/trips
- On-site orientation and support in Santiago, DR
- Program-related guest speakers and workshops
- Tuition waiver over 18 credits

YEAR THREE

Summer FLPA; Two semesters at Creighton

- Pre-approved Faculty Led Program Away (FLPA) fees
- Round trip airfare to/from FLPA location
- Required travel insurance associated with FLPA
- Any visas, vaccinations, etc. associated with FLPA
- Program-related guest speakers and workshops
- Tuition waiver over 18 credits

YEAR FOUR

Summer Program; Two semesters at Creighton

- Pre-approved summer program fees
- Round trip airfare to/from summer program location
- Required travel insurance
- Any visas, vaccinations, etc. associated with program
- Program-related guest speakers and workshops
- Tuition waiver over 18 credits
- Creighton Global Scholars Cords at graduation
- Designation as "Global Scholar" on transcripts