

LONDON, ENGLAND

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Anna's Majors: Journalism and Strategic Communications, Material Culture Certificate

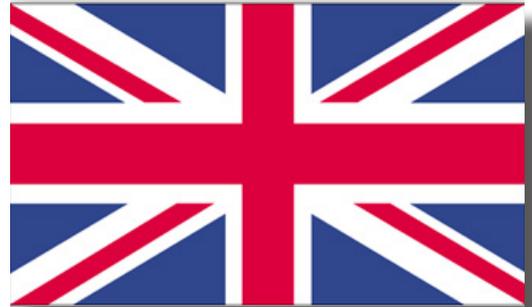
Academic Life: The classes that I took highlighted British culture and life in London through the lens of literature and media. My classes were taught by primarily British instructors, with the exception of our UW visiting faculty who taught a class to a group of UW students. One of the aspects that I appreciated most about my academic experience was that my professors made use of London's rich resources and used the city as our classroom. From visiting the Museum of London, to exploring the streets of Shoreditch, I learned about London's culture and history with my professors as my guide.

Advice for Someone Considering Studying in England: I would strongly encourage anyone interested in studying abroad in the United Kingdom to participate in the UW in London program! The experiences that I had in London were so enriching on a personal, professional, and academic level. Having the opportunity to have this experience with my fellow Badgers made it that much better!

Study Abroad and Future Aspirations: Studying abroad in London will be a huge advantage for me in future career aspirations. While in London, I interned at DegreeArt, which is an art gallery in East London. The experiences that I had interning in an international setting taught me a lot about cross-cultural communication. Additionally, I learned how to be adaptable in a professional workplace and made excellent connections with my co-workers.

Why You Should Intern Abroad: All students should consider interning abroad! Not only is it a great experience to add to your resume, but it really helps you learn how to adapt to different office cultures and get used to learning on your feet. Regardless of the field that you are working in, these are very important skills to have before entering the professional world. Additionally, having the chance to network and make connections in another country is such an amazing opportunity.

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Anna visiting Platform 9 ³/₄ at the Harry Potter Studio outside of London!

“Learning to adapt to a different office culture was an invaluable experience to my professional life.”

