

## Welcome to WCCCSA!

Our organization has provided successful study abroad opportunities for community colleges students for over 20 years. It is our hope that colleges interested in study abroad join the consortium as a way to provide opportunities to their students and faculty alike while learning about how to manage study abroad programs.

WCCCSA selects international sites and manages the academic component of each study abroad program. WCCCSA partners with third parties to provide services including air travel, lodging, on-site transportation, classroom space, local language and culture faculty, support services, student activities, and much more.

Each college contributes to program development, faculty selection, and student recruitment.

Wherever you want to go, WCCCSA will be there to help!

- WCCCSA Members



### Why join WCCCSA?

"WCCCSA is the **easy way** to send students internationally"

"The consortium has a room full of **mentors** at each quarterly meeting."

"...the **inexpensive alternative** to otherwise costly academic programs."

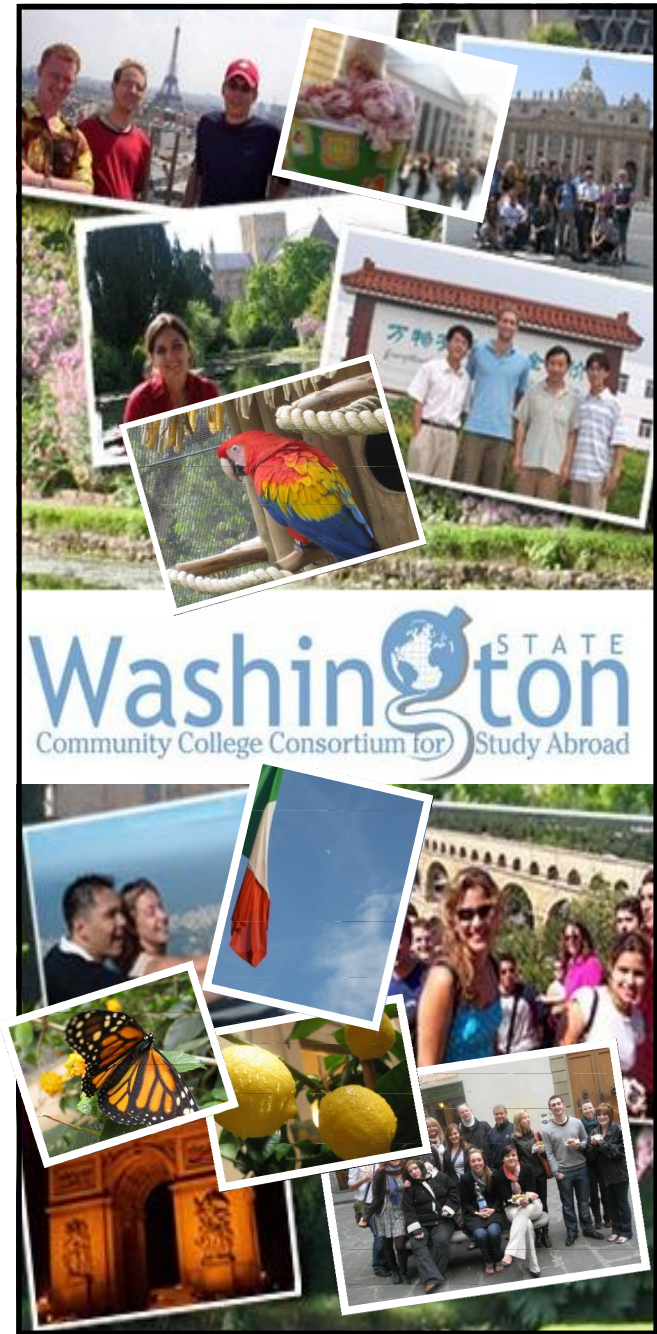
"Study Abroad programs are a new **retention strategy** on campus."

"**Quality programs,**  
life changing experience"



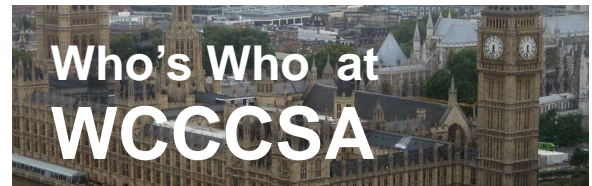
"**Students do the packing,**  
**WCCCSA does the planning!**"

For more info, please visit:  
[www.wcccsa.com](http://www.wcccsa.com)



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- **Send your students abroad** with an organization that has experience.
- **Your college gets the FTE** Students enroll at their home-campus.
- **Your faculty can teach abroad**
- **Students save \$\$\$** compared to other programs.
- **Support staff on-site overseas**
- **Average classroom ratio 10:1**
- **You receive a faculty replacement-subsidy** from WCCCSA.
- **A supportive network** of coordinators at other member schools
- **Financial Aid can be used**
- **We can help you build** the program of your dreams.

- Student recruitment on your campus
- Faculty recruitment on your campus
- Dedicated coordinator or point person at your campus
- Occasional meeting or orientation hosting at your campus
- Attend quarterly meetings
- Various leadership responsibilities including program lead and WCCCSA leadership (Chair, Chair-Elect, Treasurer)
- Timely payment of annual dues



- To join, contact the WCCCSA Chair.
1. **Go to:** [www.wcccsa.com](http://www.wcccsa.com)
  2. **Click on:** Campus Contacts
  3. **Find:** The current WCCCSA Chair will be listed on the page.
  4. **Call** Or e-mail the chair today!
  5. **Plan** to attend the next meeting so you can see how we work!

### 2009-2010 Members

Bellevue	Peninsula
Cascadia	Pierce
Edmonds	Shoreline
Everett	South Puget Sound
Grays Harbor	South Seattle
Green River	Tacoma
Highline	Whatcom
North Seattle	

**Join Us Today!** 



### WCCCSA Mission Statement

As a statewide, multi-agency organization, the Washington State Community College Consortium for Study Abroad is committed to offering a variety of affordable, credit bearing programs in geographically diverse sites. Our programs are designed to support the first time traveler, emphasize academic and cultural learning, and strive to prepare students for their role in a global society.