The International Education Program prepares educators and scholars for careers in multinational and international settings. The Program develops educational experts who can design, implement, manage and evaluate international education programs in schools, colleges, foundations, multinational corporations, and public and private educational and cultural agencies.
A Global University

Our International Education program offers students extraordinary opportunities for study, professional development and networking, and applied learning. New York University is a global institution with campuses and study abroad sites around the world; its commitment to cross-cultural learning makes this an exciting environment for studying international education.

New York City

Our location in the heart of New York City provides easy access to hundreds of venues, activities, and cultural and political events to enrich your studies and expand your experiences in global education, cultural exchange, and international development. Our students are engaged in internships, service projects, and leadership roles throughout the city.

Our Mission

The International Education program prepares professionals who understand the global implications of their responsibilities and can apply knowledge across international boundaries. Students study with a multidisciplinary faculty, of anthropologists, economists, historians, philosophers, political scientists and sociologists who apply the theoretical, conceptual and methodological advances in the humanities and the social sciences to the analysis of international educational policies and institutions.

Special Areas of Study

To best prepare you for entry-level and advanced careers in international education, our program offers a course of study to help you specialize in:

- Cross-Cultural Training & Exchange and Global Education: Focus on educational agencies and cultural organizations that design, develop and deliver global education programs, educational exchanges and cross-cultural training for students and educators in international and multicultural settings.
- International Development Education: Focus on government agencies, private voluntary organizations and foundations that provide educational assistance to less developed countries to achieve sustainable economic growth and human progress.

Advisement

Our advisers and faculty work closely with you to plan your course of study, choose electives, find internships, and select research topics geared to your interests and professional goals.

Key Features

**Foundation Courses in International Education:**
- International Education
- Cross-Cultural Studies of Socialization
- Comparative Studies of Socialization

**Policy Analysis:**
- Comparative Education I: Qualitative Analysis
- Comparative Education II: Quantitative Analysis

**Sample Electives:**
- International Development Education
- Comparative Politics, Education, and Conflict
- International Ethics: Rights and Responsibilities
- The Practice of International Education
- Cross-Cultural Education for the Global Economy
- The Global Curriculum: Internationalization of Higher Education in the United States

Study or Intern Abroad

The Steinhardt School offers one of the most extensive graduate study abroad programs in the country. You may participate in a study abroad program in January, over Spring Break or during the summer in such locations as Turkey, South Africa, Argentina, Shanghai or Brazil. You may also complete your internship requirement through Steinhardt’s special Internship Abroad program in places like India and Ghana.

Get Involved

- Join the International Education Student Board, a group of students that organizes social and professional events for the International Education student body.
- Participate in the International Education Conference at NYU, an annual conference which brings together students, scholars and practitioners from across the country to present on current topics in our field.
- Converse with your peers during the Human Rights and Education Colloquium, a monthly student-led discussion group on issues in development education.
- And much, much more!

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Masters of Arts
The Masters of Arts program is designed for those who would like to pursue a career as an international education expert in a multitude of settings. You may complete the 40-credit MA program in three semesters of full-time study. You may also study part time.

Our semester-long internship program provides access to dozens of agencies, organizations, and projects engaged in international education. The internship acquaints you with current practices in the field, introduces you to the everyday life of the profession, and develops your professional networks to help you secure a job after graduation. Recent internship placements include:

- Amnesty International
- Institute of International Education
- NBC/Telemundo
- NYU in Paris
- Sesame Street Workshop
- UNESCO
- U.S. Department of State
- World Bank

Advanced Certificate
The Advanced Certificate Program is for practitioners and teachers in the field of international education who already have a master’s degree and wish to advance in their current roles or prepare for responsibilities in a new setting. You may complete this 30-credit program in one year of full-time academic course work or you may spread your studies over additional semesters by studying part time. This is a flexible program in which you may take courses in one of the program’s specializations or develop your own special focus of study that links educational research to policy and practice.

Doctor of Philosophy
The Ph.D. program is for master’s degree graduates who would like to pursue intensive study and research. In addition to completing 55 credits of coursework, you will work closely with one or more members of the faculty to research and write a final dissertation. Recent dissertation titles include:

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- Learning To Do No Harm? Human Rights Education and State Violence in India
- An Analysis of Korean Teachers’ Ambivalent Attitudes Towards the United States
- Democratic Citizenship, History Education, and National identity in the Republic of Moldova
- Authority and Education in the People’s Republic of China
- When Worlds Collide: Evaluating the Impact of Short-Term Study Abroad Progress
- The Philadelphian World History Project: A Case Study in School-University Collaboration
- The Role of Teacher Education during South Africa’s Post-Apartheid Social Transformation
- Respect, Recognition and Reconciliation: Emerging Models of Integrated Education in Regions of Conflict
- Education, Identity and Race in France: A Case Study of Martinican History-Geography Teachers

Alumni in Action
Graduates work at a variety of international education organizations, universities, and governmental agencies, including:

- Assistant Professor of International Education, American University
- Enrollment Advisor, CIEE International Study Programs
- Program Manager, Institute of International Education
- Program Coordinator, International Rescue Committee
- Training Specialist, International Resources Group
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