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A COURSE OF STUDY FOR A REAL-LIFE EDUCATION



Logan Brenner '12
Geosciences, Goldwater Scholar

"People may think that science is completely formulaic, but in order to make progress it's necessary to stray from tradition now and then. The 'right' answer isn't always known—there can be many ways of seeking clarity. Creative thought is what allows me to 'bend my brain' and think of different answers to a question in order to better understand it."



HOW DO WE ALIGN ACADEMIC THEORY WITH DAY-TO-DAY REALITY? From our beginning we've believed that the life of the mind is vitally linked to a life of creativity, practicality, and action. So we've developed an array of majors, minors, and special study programs—on and off campus, in and out of the country—that will enable you to create a cohesive learning experience that means something now and in the future. A Skidmore education will equip you for exciting career options, for the opportunities and responsibilities of our global society, and for a lifetime of learning and growth. It will help you harness what's best in you and connect it to the real world.



Leah Werner-Evans '10
B.A., Psychology
Fulbright English Teaching
Assistantship

Thanks to a Fulbright in Thailand, NYC resident Leah Werner-Evans studied abroad after graduation.

Junior year, she worked in a Danish pre-school and also taught conversational English. Back on Campus, she volunteered with Saratoga Mentoring and gained experience in Skidmore's Early Childhood Center. "All perfect," says Leah, "for building communications and counseling skills that I can use later as a clinical social worker."



MAJORS

- American Studies
- Anthropology
- Art (Studio)
- Art History
- Asian Studies
- Biology
 - Biology-Philosophy
- Business
 - Business-French
 - Business-German
 - Business-Spanish
 - Business-Economics
 - Business-Government
- Chemistry
- Classics
- Computer Science
- Dance
 - Dance-Theater
- Economics
 - Economics-Sociology
- Education Studies
- English
- Environmental Studies
- Exercise Science
- French
- French Area Studies
- Gender Studies
- Geosciences
- German

Government

- Government-French
- Government-German
- Government-Spanish
- Government-History
- History
- International Affairs
- Mathematics
- Music
- Neuroscience
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Psychology
- Religious Studies
- Self-Determined Major
- Social Work
- Sociology
 - Sociology-Anthropology
- Spanish
- Theater

SPECIAL ACADEMIC OPTIONS

- Pre-medical program
- Prelaw advising
- 4+1 M.B.A. programs (Clarkson, RIT, Syracuse, Union Graduate College)
- 3+2 dual degree engineering programs (Clarkson, Dartmouth, RPI)

4+1 M.A.T. program (Union College)

Partnership with New York University School of Nursing

4+1 / 4+2 dual degree programs in physical therapy and occupational therapy (Sage Graduate School)

Internships (for academic credit)

More than 50 service-learning courses

Honors Forum

Collaborative research (faculty-student summer program)

International and domestic off-campus study options

Arts Administration Program

MINORS

Most majors have corresponding minors. Minors are also available in early childhood education, Italian, and Latin American studies

Creative Thought Matters—Off Campus

STUDY OFF CAMPUS—Earn hands-on, practical social work experience in Jamaica, intern with the mayor's office in London, conduct field research on social media use in Beijing, spend a semester in Afro-American studies at Howard University in Washington, D.C., or study marine biology in Woods Hole, Massachusetts. Creative thought is accelerated by new academic and cultural perspectives, and our international and domestic off-campus programs give that to you.

- Nearly sixty percent of Skidmore's students spend a semester or year off campus.
- Skidmore sponsors programs in China, England, France, and Spain. Students can also access an additional 140 international programs through our Approved Programs structure, including programs in Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America, and Australia and New Zealand.
- Students can access more than 200 other U.S. campuses through domestic off-campus study opportunities.
- Each fall, a select group of Skidmore first-year students begin their college careers in London as part of the College's First-Year Experience program, where they earn a full semester's worth of credits under the guidance of two Skidmore faculty directors. See cms.skidmore.edu/ocse/programs/london_fye/index.cfm.
- Through Skidmore's off-campus study structure, all academic majors and minors can be accommodated, and transfer credits are guaranteed for students studying on an approved program.
- Financial aid is transferable to Skidmore's own programs, as well as all approved international and domestic off-campus study programs.



"Skidmore has matched its liberal arts offerings with preprofessional training both in the classroom and in the 'real world.'" *Fiske Guide to Colleges*