Bath Business School is delighted to offer you a choice of short international study experiences to an exciting range of global destinations. The trips are particularly aimed at supporting project ideas for the “In Practice” module that runs in Semester 2 for second year (L5) students on a Business & Management pathway. However, all second and final year students may apply. All visits are led by Business School lecturers and are designed to complement your studies and professional development at Bath Spa.

An International Experience is an extraordinary chance for you to grow and improve your personal, academic and professional skills in a multicultural environment. Research shows that even after a short period abroad you come back more self-confident and open to cultural diversity. The job market is constantly changing and becoming more global than ever. An increasing number of companies are looking for graduates with cross-cultural knowledge and skills. Getting some experience abroad and insights into foreign businesses will allow you to develop knowledge of different professional environments and familiarity with different business practices. Second year students might want to take the opportunity to develop a project with an international company in the Pathway in Practice module, which may lead to a placement opportunity later.

With each trip you will explore the local sights with some fantastic opportunities to visit local companies as well as partner educational organisations. All trips offer relevant content across all subject pathways where you might find inspiration for assessed projects, your dissertation or placement/career inspiration.

Interested?

Timing: Trips will take place in the inter-semester break week from 10th – 16th February 2020.

There are a number of Santander bursaries of £1250 available to cover the full cost of the long-haul trips for the students who meet one of the Student WP criteria. You can find out more here.

A number of Bath Business School bursaries of £300 are also available towards partial funding of European trips.

Booking: Places on the trips and bursaries are limited. Applications for participation and/or funding must be made by 30th October via the form found here.

Deborah Bova and Victoria Opara
Student International Mobility Champions
Bath Business School
### Venice, Italy
**Destination Leader:** Dr. Antonio Revilla
**Duration:** 5 days, 4 nights
**BBS Bursary:** £100

**Trip outline:**
- Meet art historians at the Academy of Fine Arts and find out about the growing trend that has transformed Venice’s popular tourists and visitors into local businesses. Take part in a discussion about long-term and seasonal travel, and the potential for sustainable tourism in the context of urban development.

**Check out our blog from last year:**
[blogpost威尼斯](https://www.italian-diary.com/blog/blogpost威尼斯)

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### Madrid, Spain
**Destination Leader:** Dr. Antonio Revilla
**Duration:** 5 days, 4 nights
**BBS Bursary:** £100

**Trip outline:**
- Visit the world-renowned Prado Museum and learn about the practices and techniques used to create masterpieces.
- Chat to entrepreneurs in firms working with cutting-edge business technologies.
- Visit an inspiring start-up company in the arts sector, run by young creatives and academics to learn more about the Italian “multi-tech” entrepreneurship culture.

**Cost:** £300
**Duration:** 5 days, 4 nights
**Destination:** Madrid, Spain

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### Stockholm, Sweden
**Destination Leader:** Edith Kreidler-Brass
**Duration:** 5 days, 4 nights
**BBS Bursary:** £100

**Trip outline:**
- Explore the broad range of fashion outlets that Stockholm has to offer, including designer boutiques and high-street chains.
- Visit the Stockholm Fashion Museum and learn about the history of Swedish fashion design.
- Natural History.

**Cost:** £300
**Duration:** 5 days, 4 nights
**Destination:** Stockholm, Sweden

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### Berlin, Germany
**Destination Leader:** Judith Robinson
**Duration:** 5 days, 4 nights
**BBS Bursary:** £100

**Trip outline:**
- Discover the city’s famous street art as a form of political expression and social commentary.
- Visit Humboldt University and take part in a communication workshop to gain essential skills of a global citizen.
- Visit a public park built on a historic freight platform and learn about the importance of sustainable urban development.

**Cost:** £600
**Duration:** 5 days, 4 nights
**Destination:** Berlin, Germany

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### New York, USA
**Destination Leader:** Marie Greenslade
**Duration:** 8/9 days, 7 nights
**BBS Bursary:** £1250

**Trip outline:**
- Visit the Wall Street financial district with a banker from the New York Stock Exchange. Attend a session on the future of retail, including the Nike House of Innovation, and visit the famous Wall Street bull.
- Explore New York’s vibrant nightlife and cultural attractions, including Broadway theater, jazz clubs, and museums.

**Cost:** £1250
**Duration:** 8/9 days, 7 nights
**Destination:** New York, New York

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### Singapore
**Destination Leader:** Victor Dickens
**Duration:** 6 days, 6 nights
**BBS Bursary:** £300

**Trip outline:**
- Explore Singaporean heritage sites, such as Gardens of the Bay. Work with academic staff at the Training Vision Institute to develop their teaching and research skills.
- Tour of the Tiger Beer factory.
- Visit the Singapore Art Museum and learn about the role of art as a social commentary.

**Cost:** £300
**Duration:** 6 days, 6 nights
**Destination:** Singapore