



# Study Abroad for the

# Health Professions

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Scholarships, & Grants**  
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Scholarships  
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# Program Models



## Interim

- Short-term summer or winter (J-term) options..
- Run with Lafayette faculty members on-site.



## "Lafayette In"

- Semester programs.
- Run with Lafayette faculty members on-site.



## Affiliate

- Over 200 programs in 60 countries.
- Most semester students participate in this type.





# Interim Programs

- Faculty-led programs, 3-8 weeks in length, and 1-2 Lafayette credits.
- Destination may vary from year to year.
- Registration: Mid-September every year (through Banner, limited spots available).
- Programs open to Freshman through Senior.
- *Dedicated Financial Aid Pool for eligible students.*







# Featured Interim Program

## **INDS 245 & INDS 371: Social and Ethical Aspects of Healthcare in the U.S. and U.K.**

INDS 245/371 is a Lafayette faculty-led summer program that is typically offered every other year.

The INDS 245 course examines the social, cultural, and historical context of healthcare delivery in the U.S. and U.K. and how healthcare has evolved through changing ethical, economic, and political goals.

The INDS 371 internship places students with a healthcare, human services, government, or academic institution. Students continue to have weekly class meetings during their four-week internship.

**SPACE STILL AVAILABLE FOR SUMMER '24  
TO APPLY, EMAIL ROCHELLE KEESLER: [KEESLERR@LAFAYETTE.EDU](mailto:KEESLERR@LAFAYETTE.EDU)**





# 'Lafayette In' Programs

- Faculty-led programs, semester.
- Lafayette Resident Director, strong partnership with local universities.
  - *Fall: Lafayette in London, Goldsmiths University*
    - *Writing London's Ecologies (GM1, V, W)*
    - *Psychology: CBT, Dance Movement Psychotherapy, etc.*
  - *Fall: Lafayette in Costa Rica, Veritas University*
    - *The Switzerland of Central America? Cultural and Socioeconomic Change in 21st Century Costa Rica (GM2, W)*
    - *Psychology, Physiology, Holistic Health, Physical Therapy, Sports Rehab, Medical Spanish, etc.*
- Competitive Cost/Benefit (cost is **approximately** same as attending Lafayette for a semester).
- Financial aid travels with students (*except RA benefits and work study*).



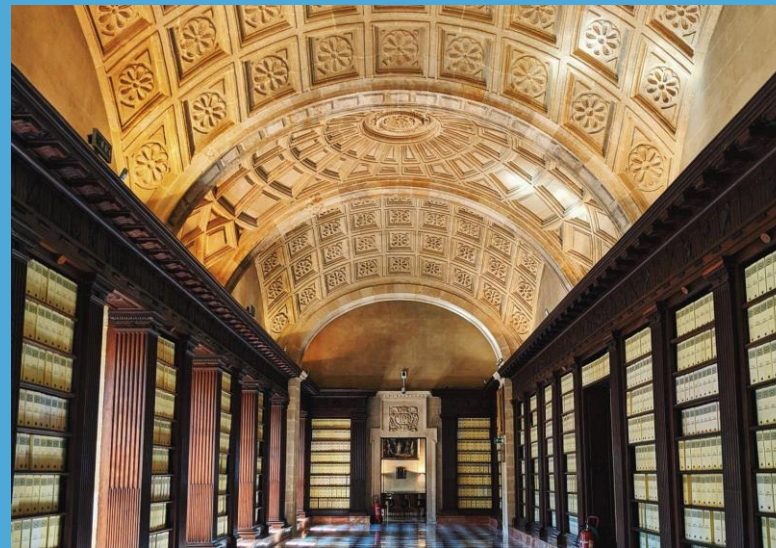


# Affiliate Programs

- Over 200 programs in 60 different countries.
- Any level of language, any area of study.
- Credits and grades transfer back.
- *Costs Vary (Lafayette tuition or higher + host institution room & board, airfare, visa, etc.).*
- Financial aid travels with students (*except RA benefits and work study*).



# Featured Affiliate Programs



## DIS (Danish Institute for Study Abroad)

- **DIS Copenhagen:** biomedicine, medical practice and policy, neuroscience, psychology, and public health.
- **DIS Stockholm:** medical practice and policy, neuroscience, psychology, and public health.
- Medical Simulation Lab (Ultrasound, Sutures, etc.).
- Research opportunities.

## BU Geneva Internship Program

- Two required courses (Principles of International Health & Controversies in International Health) and one elective (HIST, FREN).
- Intern in health governance, health activism, or another related field. Past internships: the International AIDS Society, WHO, and the International Union Against Cancer.

## Syracuse University Health & Sciences in Madrid, Spain (Fall)

- Offers courses in biology, biochemistry, chemistry, health studies, policy studies, or psychology.
- Spanish language and culture class required.
- Past internships: forensic lab assistants, at-home paramedics, and 3D prosthetic development companies.



# Featured Affiliate Programs



## SIT (School for International Training)

SIT offers theme-based programs around the world, often in locations that are not traditionally popular or common with abroad students.

They have several programs focusing on global health (All programs offer internships or research/independent study options):

- **Chile:** Public Health, Traditional Medicine, and Community Empowerment
- **Jordan:** Refugees, Health, and Humanitarian Action
- **Kenya:** Global Health and Human Rights
- **South Africa:** Community Health and Social Policy
- **Switzerland: Global Health and Development Policy**
- **IHP Health and Community:** Globalization, Culture, and Care (Fall) (US, Vietnam, S. Africa, & Argentina)
- **IHP Health and Community:** Globalization, Culture, and Care (Spring) (US, India, S. Africa, Argentina)



# Featured Affiliate Programs



## IFSA (Institute for Study Abroad)

- Study in **English-speaking countries (England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Australia, and New Zealand)** where you have access to lab-based science courses.
  - IFSA's partnership with **King's College London** offers **a premedical program** designed to introduce students to the medical field and is suitable for all students interested in pursuing further education in the healthcare field.
    - This program offers a Health and Society module course to introduce students to the medical field (i.e. *shadowing in different clinical locations*).
    - Students take three science classes to supplement their Health and Society class and engage in a series of clinical placement rotations.
    - *Admission to the Health and Society module is highly competitive, and King's College prefers applicants with a strong background in biology and chemistry.*



# Semester

## Eligibility, Deadlines, Tips

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### Eligibility:

- GPA: Cumulative 2.8 (+)
- No Disciplinary Record or Academic Probation
- Sophomore or Junior year abroad
- *Petitions: Non-affiliate programs, Class Year, GPA, Disciplinary, Academic Probation (earlier deadlines)*

### Deadlines:

- October 1st for Spring semester
- March 1st for Fall semester
- Petition Deadlines: September 1 (Spring)/February 1 (Fall)
- Scholarship Deadlines Vary

### Tips

- Start planning approx. one year before going abroad.
- Work closely with Academic Advisors
  - *Some majors may go abroad Sophomore year*
  - *Some majors may go abroad Junior year*
  - *Some courses or programs have pre-reqs*



# Planning

for a semester

Mandatory Steps:

1. [Get Started Session](#)
  - Program Models
  - Academic Fit
  - Housing
  - Academic Culture
  - Other Considerations
2. [Advising Appointment](#)



# CONTACT INFORMATION

[studyabroad.lafayette.edu](https://studyabroad.lafayette.edu)

*(Search Programs, View Events, or Make Appointments)*

**GSS:** *Wednesdays, 4:15-5:00pm, online*

**Laf in London Info Session:** *Monday, November 13 4:15 – 5:00pm, 112 Pardee*

**Laf in Costa Rica Info Session:** *Tuesday, November 14 4:15 – 5:00pm, 120 Pardee*

[studyabroad@lafayette.edu](mailto:studyabroad@lafayette.edu)

**125 Pardee (Monday-Friday)**

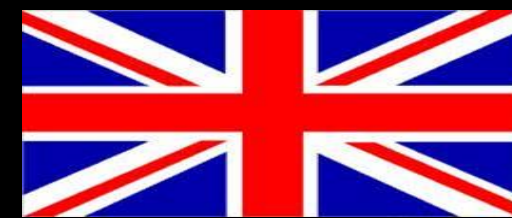
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# Social, Ethical, and Economic Aspects of Health Care in the U.S. and U.K.

INDS 245 & INDS 371

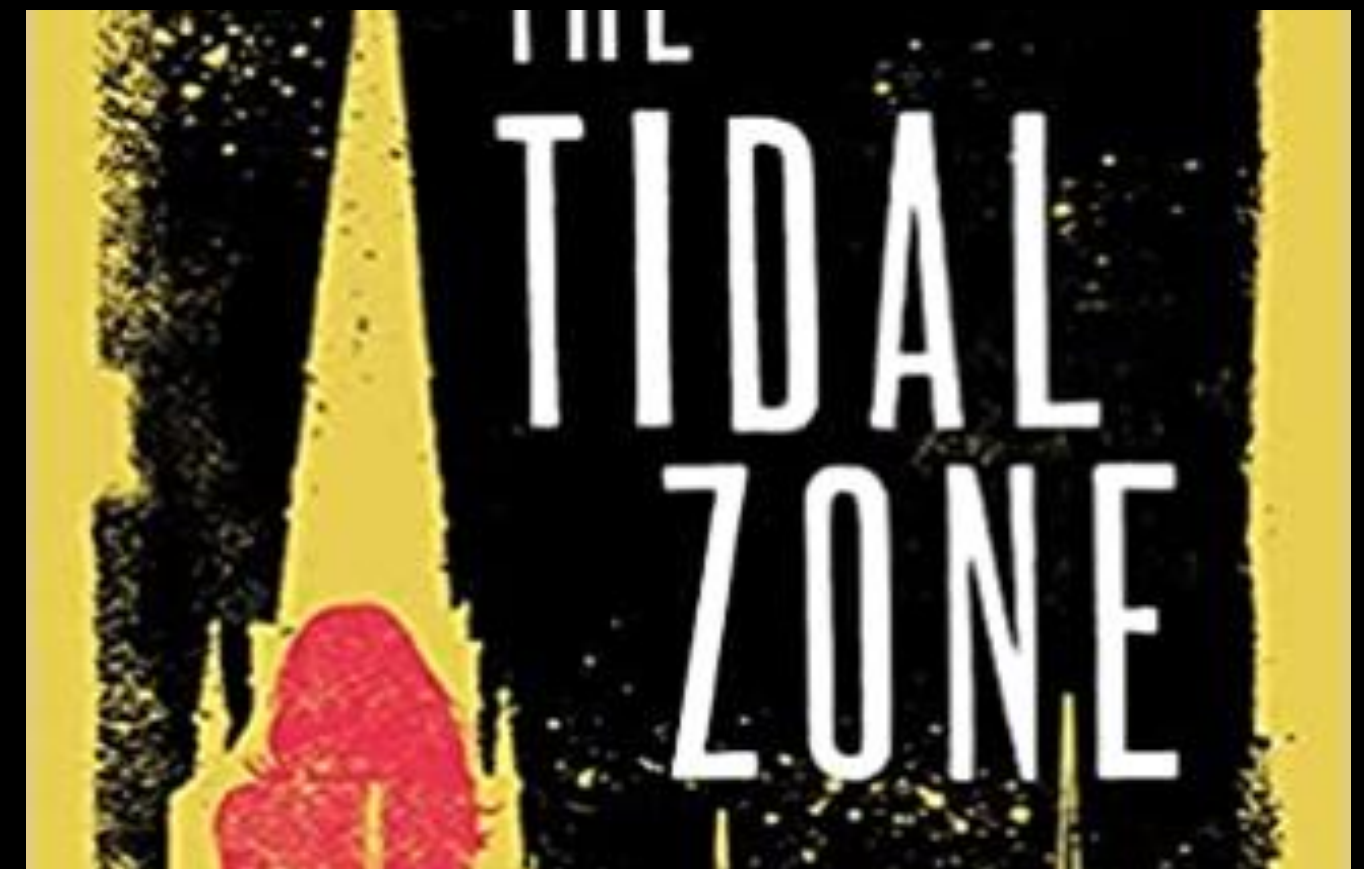
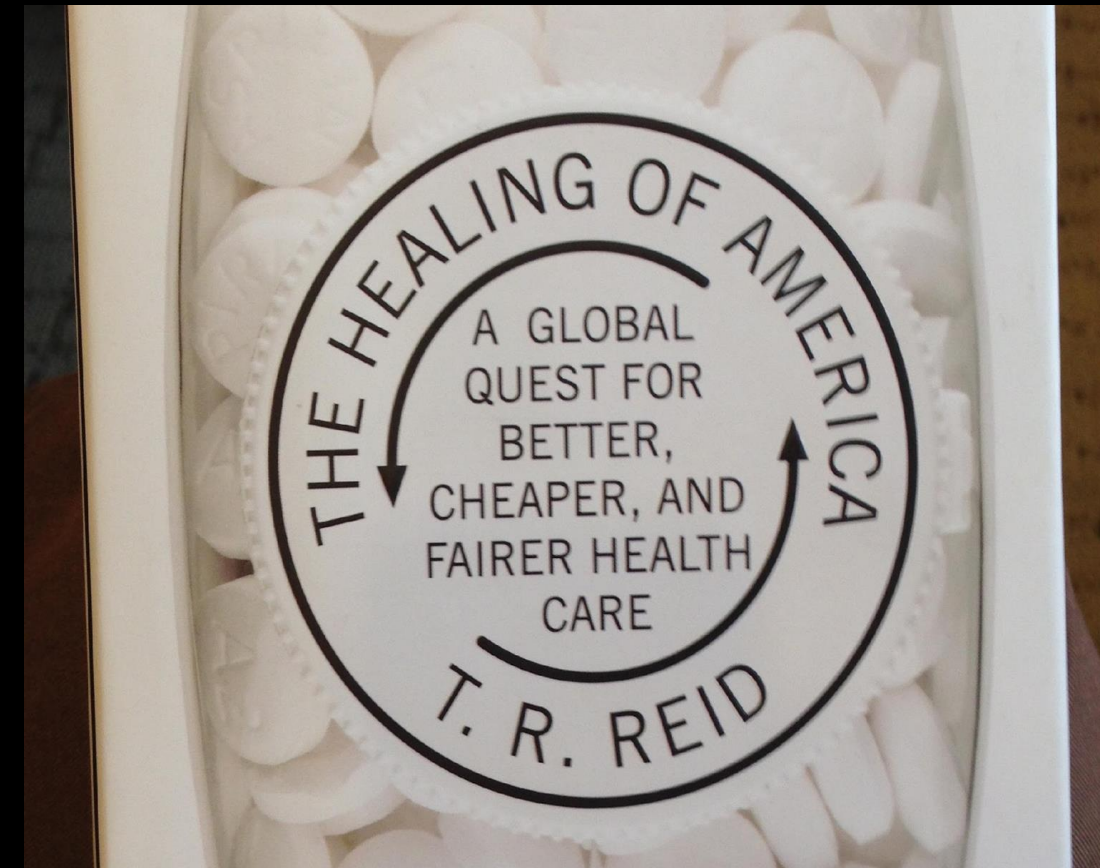
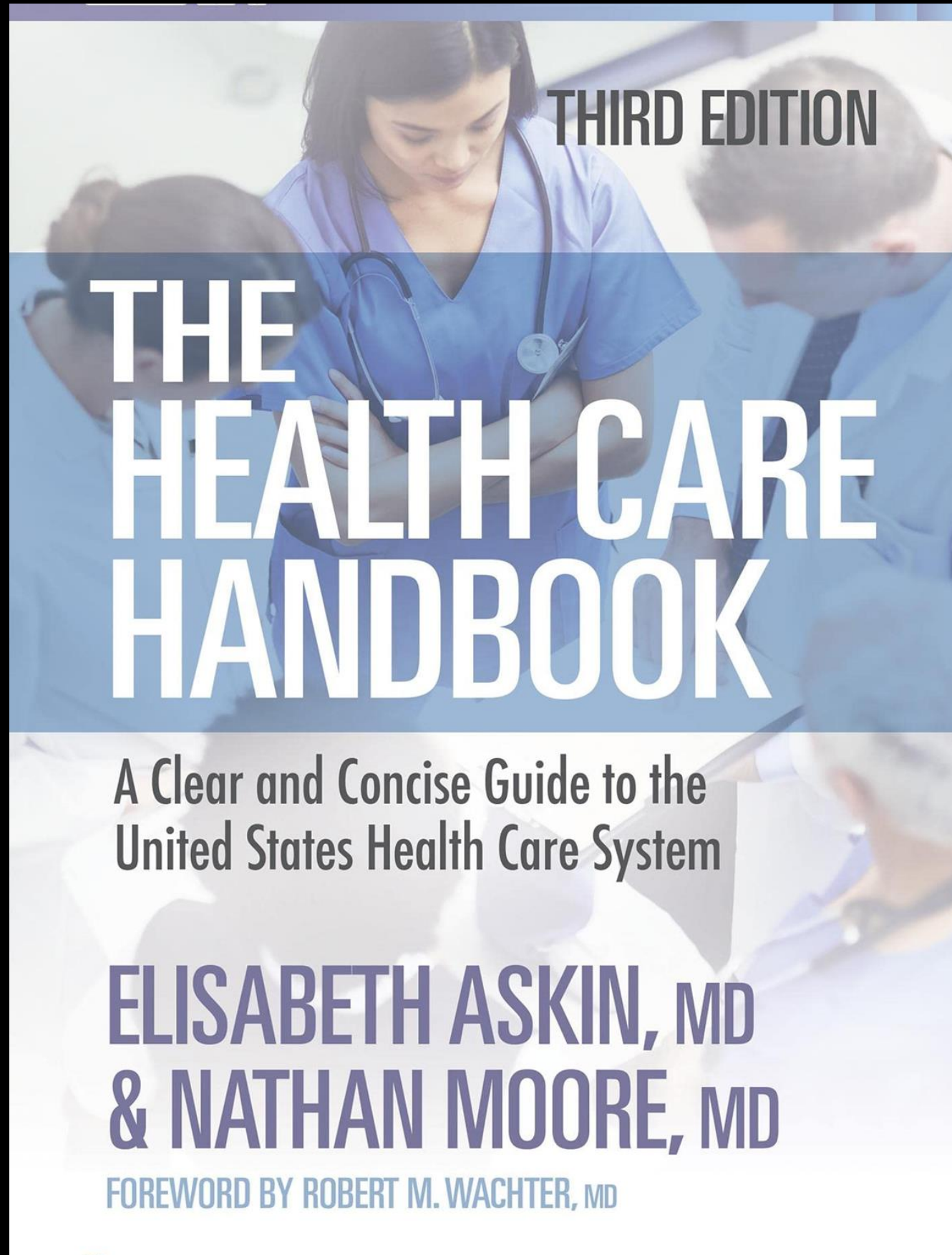




# the seminar (INDS 245)

- Texts
  - Moss: The Tidal Zone
  - Reid: The Healing of America
  - Askins & Moore: The Health Care Handbook
- Reading Response Papers
- Group Work and Presentations
  - Health Care Provider Positions (US and UK)
  - Topic Projects (Posters)
- Final Exam







# the internship (INDS 371)

- Individual placements
  - Healthcare and non-healthcare positions
  - Work with EUSA for availability and fit
- Four days/week for four weeks
- Daily journal entries
- Final summary and analysis report



internship possibilities:

# Community Services

- Women & Children, Domestic Violence, Education, Mental Health
- social media / marketing, monitoring / evaluating compliance
- Examples:
  - Camden Women's Aid
  - Westminster Women's Aid
  - Bromley by Bow Centre
  - Cranstoun Drug Services





internship possibilities:

# Psychology Research

- Cognitive, Neuro or Behavioural Psychology
- literature reviews, questionnaire design, data collection, contacting participants
- Examples:  
King's College  
Goldsmiths College





internship possibilities:  
**Non-Profits / NGOs**

- Refugee, Women & Children, Mental Health
- fundraising, research, social media / marketing, administration, event planning
- Examples:  
Afghanistan and Central Asian Association  
Walkabout Foundation





# Related businesses

- Organisational Psychology,  
Health Tech,  
Human Resources
- competitor analysis, research,  
social media / marketing,  
operations support
- Examples:  
Bloomful  
Hertalis  
Uncommon





# Other opportunities

- finance and economics, marketing, public relations, international relations
- Examples:  
CH Hausmann Solicitors  
Corus Hotel









# Student Experience

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