BC Study Abroad

MONTPELLIER, FRANCE

Université Paul Valéry
Semester 1: September to December
Semester 2: January to May

LOCATION

Montpellier is an ancient university town located in the south of France, on the Mediterranean ocean. Over 15,000 students attend Université Paul Valéry, and the city itself bustles with activities like festivals, concerts and other cultural events.

PROGRAM DETAILS

The ISEP-Direct French Language and Culture program combines intensive French language study and culture courses taught in French and designed for American students, like grammar, phonetics, politics, area studies, literature and art history. Benefits include on-site orientation, excursions during the semester, organized activities and tutor assistance. Students with advanced language skills can take one or two regular university courses in French.

A minimum of 2 semesters of university-level French or the equivalent must be completed prior to the program, and placement priority is given to French majors or minors.

HOUSING AND MEALS

Students are housed in single-occupancy rooms approximately a mile from campus and given a meal stipend for use in on-campus dining facilities or to shop for and prepare their own meals.