

Technology and Innovation

Northern Virginia Community College - United Kingdom

Bellevue College - France

University of Alabama in Huntsville - Colombia, Peru



IDEAS
PROGRAM



Northern Virginia Community College

Northern Virginia Community College used its IDEAS funding to create study abroad programming complemented by virtual exchange and community service for students interested in cybersecurity. In collaboration with its partner, Abertay University in Dundee, Scotland, the institution developed an eight-week, faculty-led study abroad program, titled “The Ethical Hacking Cybersecurity Bootcamp.” This program was specifically designed for the needs of community college students to ensure affordability and flexibility through virtual, hybrid, and in-person programming.

Bellevue College

Bellevue College will expand students’ access to study abroad by creating a faculty-led, hybrid study abroad program in France. The course will provide a framework for understanding how extended reality technologies can be a vehicle for storytelling and how digital media shapes narratives and the public’s understanding of war. Bellevue College aims to increase the number of its students studying abroad and provide the framework for a hybrid study abroad model for its faculty in other subjects and destinations.

University of Alabama in Huntsville

The University of Alabama in Huntsville aims to expand study abroad participation for all students, including engineering, low-income, and first-generation students, by creating a faculty-led study abroad program that condenses full-credit engineering courses and combines them with international programming in Colombia and Peru.