



## SAI AFFILIATE STAFF LEADERSHIP GRANT



This program offers staff from SAI affiliate colleges and universities the opportunity to gain professional experience and cultural exposure in one of the following SAI sites: Barcelona, Milan, or Paris.

In addition to visiting SAI academic partner schools, touring student housing, and exploring the host culture, staff may be involved in the following activities:

- Sitting in on relevant courses
- Meeting with faculty, academic units, and field experience directors
- Participating in field experiences
- Reviewing syllabi and determining course equivalencies
- Gaining an understanding of facilities and academic support available on-site
- Observing co-curricular activities
- Meeting with internship/service coordinators
- Learning about international internship/service expectations
- Participating in cultural activities and excursions
- Additional topics of interest determined by participants.

SAI will cover the cost of in-country accommodation (hotel or apartment up to 5 nights) and will provide two meals (breakfast/lunch), ground transportation and costs associated with accompanying group SAI excursions. Remaining costs are the responsibility of the university/staff member. Participants have the option to extend their stay in-country, if desired.

Staff from SAI affiliate colleges and university are invited to apply by submitting a statement of interest (max 1 page) and statement of support from their direct supervisor. The statement of interest should include:

- how the grant activities will enhance the staff member's professional knowledge and experience,
- how the time abroad will support education abroad for students at the home institution, and
- proposed dates of grant activity (activity should occur between October 1 - December 1 in the fall semester, or between February 1 - May 1 in the spring semester)

**APPLICATIONS WILL BE DUE JULY 1 FOR FALL SEMESTER PARTICIPATION, AND NOVEMBER 1 FOR SPRING SEMESTER PARTICIPATION. SAI WILL AWARD ONE GRANT PER TERM.**

Applications should be submitted via email to [s.langston@saiprograms.com](mailto:s.langston@saiprograms.com)

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