

STUDENTS IN LIFE SCIENCES ABROAD (STILSA)

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES ABROAD (NORWAY, BRAZIL, WEST INDIES, CANADA, BELGIUM, AND FRANCE)

STILSA (Students in Life Sciences Abroad), a global engagement program in partnership with **ASC career success** offers paid career building and credit-earning experiential learning opportunities abroad to **OSU degree-seeking or graduated undergraduate/master students in biology-based sub-disciplines or areas**.

INTERNSHIPS AT FOREIGN INSTITUTIONS: In-lab or in-field research-focused opportunities in the field of computational biology & artificial intelligence, systems biology, neuroscience, marine biology, plant biology, plant natural products, microbiology, molecular genetics, virology, cancer biology, RNA biology, terrestrial ecology, biomaterial science and animal ecophysiology are available as full-time independent and individual experiences. Research internships will take place at **NTNU** (Norwegian University of Science, Technology) in Norway, **Sorbonne Université** and **University of Toulouse** in France, **University of Sao Paolo** in Brazil, **Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières** in Canada, **Université des Antilles** in the FWI and **University of Liège** in Belgium. The list of the 21 host laboratories, a general description of the scientific activities (and possible research projects) and availability to host students can be viewed [here](#).

All internships last for 90 days (~3 months) maximum and can start as early as May 2026 or as late as October 2026. Selected participants 1) will receive financial support from the program (up to \$5,000) to off-set some the cost of their experience abroad, 2) must enroll at OSU during the time of their internship abroad to earn credit for the experience abroad and 3) must also register their travel in [the OIA travel registry](#) and purchase mandatory insurance coverage. The dates of the internship will be finalized in consultation with the host laboratory once participants are selected. To apply for the opportunity, students should click [here](#) and follow the instructions. The deadline for applying is **Feb 15 (11:59 PM)**

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