Queens College
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Semester Abroad Fellowship
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A study abroad experience like no other
About Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

- Modern 21st century campus in Beer-Sheva, Israel in the Negev Desert
- Voted most popular university in Israel for undergrads 10 years in a row
- Dynamic and diverse student body
QC/BGU Semester Abroad Fellowship

• Will be awarded to 1 outstanding QC student for Fall 2014 semester

• Grants of $5,000 can be applied to tuition and other costs
The Overseas Student Program (OSP) at BGU

Students are required to enroll in four courses per semester, taught in English, plus a Hebrew language course.
Inside the Classroom at BGU

Disciplines offered:
- Hebrew
- Arabic
- Political Science
- History
- Anthropology
- Philosophy
- Sociology
- Religious Studies
- Arts and Literature
- Emergency Management
- Ecology
- Global Health*
- Israel Studies*
- Sustainable Development*

*Specialized track programs offered in these areas
Outside the Classroom

Students can enhance their study abroad experience with:

• Internships
• Independent study
• Volunteer opportunities

In schools, libraries, university research centers, senior centers, NGOs and clinics
Student Life at BGU

- OSP students live in BGU dormitories with Israeli roommates
- Dorms are a 2-minute walk to campus, across from University fitness center and train station
QC/BGU Semester Abroad Fellowship Criteria

In order to apply, students must have:

• Minimum GPA of 3.5

• Two letters of recommendation

• 2-3 page essay explaining why you’d like to study for a semester at BGU

Students must commit to:

• Keeping a blog of your experience

• Writing a formal thank you letter to donors upon return

• Serving as ambassador of the program upon returning to campus
For More Information

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