FIE/Dublin Business School Dublin, Ireland

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The Dublin Business School in the heart of the Irish capital allows students to experience the intellectual and social culture of contemporary Ireland. Students can spend a semester or full year in Dublin. DBS, a leading independent business college in Ireland, includes degree programs in career focused business education as well as in the areas of Arts, Media, Humanities and Psychology.

Website link: <u>http://www.fie.org.uk/dublin/dublin_dbs_semester_program/</u>

<u>Semester Dates (approx.)</u>		Application Deadline	
Fall:	late August – mid-December	Mar 1	for Fall study
Spring:	early January – mid-April 1	Oct 1	for Spring study

Location Facts

Ireland is known for its history and culture, as well as its scenery and people. With a population of over one million people, Ireland's capital, Dublin, is a modern and urban city offering impressive and creative museums and restaurants. Historical sites are everywhere, including the Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin's Writer's Museum, and Dublin Castle, containing the Chester Beatty Library.

For **Ireland Map** and other information: <u>http://geology.com/world/ireland-satellite-image.shtml</u>

Academics: Students first take the intro course, Irish Culture and Society (INAS 425 3 credit hours), a comprehensive program introducing Irish politics, history, literature, and culture. Field trips are added to the coursework to enhance student's experience in Ireland.

Students select up to 4 additional courses from the subject areas below:

Cultural Studies	Film Studies	Journalism		
Literature and Drama	Media Studies	Philosophy & Psychoanalysis		
Psychology	Economics	Business		
Communications	Social Sciences			
For more information, visit <u>http://www.dbsstudyabroad.org/ac_elective.html</u> .				

Language of Instruction: English

Eligibility:

- * Limit of 5 students per semester; Mass Communication and Broadcasting students have preference. Additional students may apply and attend, but will pay the full program fee as published on the FIE website.
- * Sophomore standing or above
- * Minimum 2.5 GPA (NOTE: Letter of reference required for GPAs of 2.5-2.99 GPA)

Housing and Meals: Located in the center of Dublin, the student apartments are within a 30 minute walk from the campus. The fully furnished apartments have 3 to 4 single bedrooms, with shared bathrooms and shared living/dining/kitchen area. Each room has a private study area with cable Internet connection. The kitchen is equipped with cookware, silverware and dishes.

Costs: Amounts are in US dollars. Some costs may be approximate due to the changes value of the US dollar against international currencies. Checked items ($\sqrt{}$) will be billed by and paid to Winthrop University^{*}. Tuition and housing will be charged at the current rate for the semester abroad.

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200	Study Abroad Application Fee
325	Study Abroad Participation Fee
\checkmark	Tuition
\checkmark	Housing
1000	Meals (self-catered)
\checkmark	Health Insurance through FIE
\checkmark	Co-curricular Excursions through FIE
1500	Personal Spending Money
1000	R/T Transportation to Dublin
135	Passport
150 Euro	Irish Residency Permit

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*These costs apply to those selected for Winthrop spots. Additional students who meet minimum admission criteria may choose to attend and pay the full program fee as published on the FIE website, plus the study abroad application and participation fees.

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