



International Mobility in the History Department



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Year 1 Briefing

Intercalated Year 2027-2028

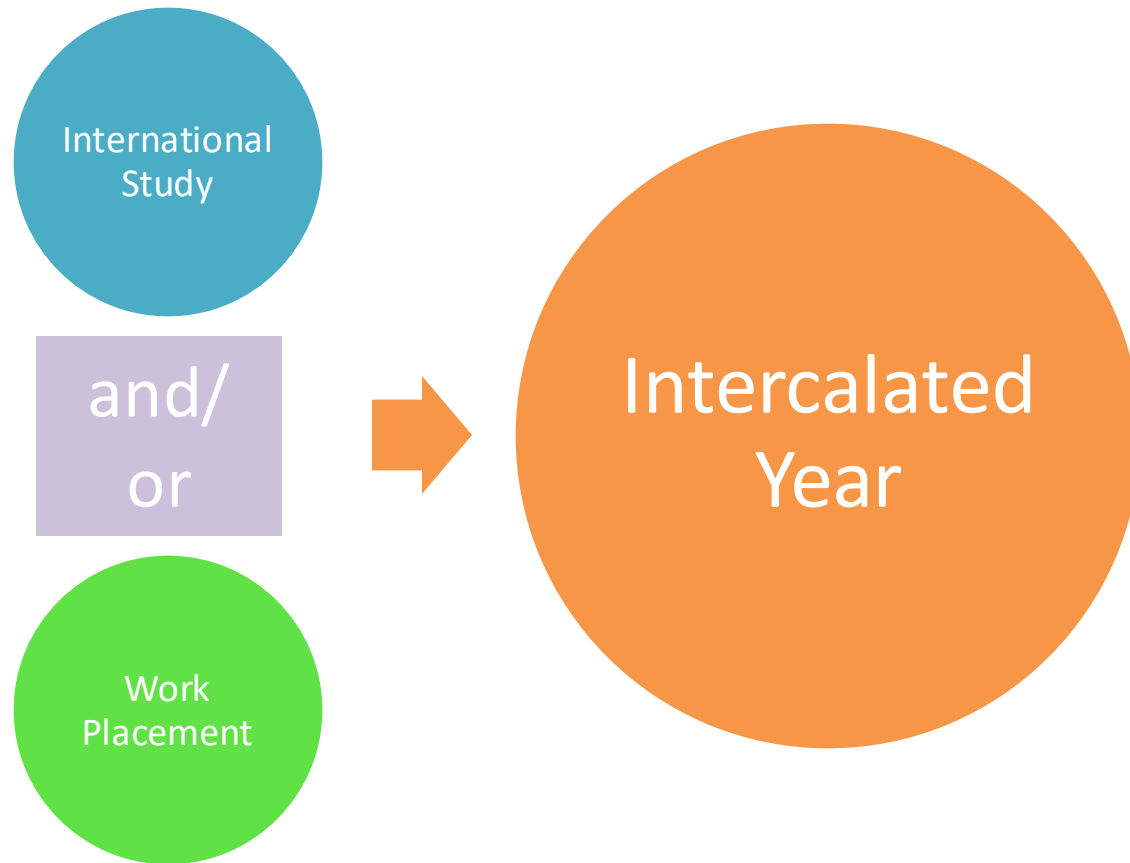


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What is an Intercalated Year?

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Why take an Intercalated Year?

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Study Abroad

- An intercalated year at a partner university in another country.
- Your Warwick course is still for three years. The intercalated year is an additional year between years 2 and 3.
- Credits do not count towards your degree overall, but they will appear on your HEAR.
- You will return into your final year of study.
- Your degree certificate will include the wording '(with Intercalated Year)'.

Study Abroad

- You are expected to pass the Year Abroad by the standards of the host institution. On your return to Warwick, you must submit your transcript. You can retain a copy of your Year Abroad transcript as evidence of your achievements.
- You are required to submit a reflective assignment that demonstrates that you have met the learning outcomes of the Year Abroad. This will be marked pass/fail, and recorded against HI3G1-120.

Study Abroad

- Competitive Application Process
- There are limited places at our partner universities.
- There is significant demand for these places, especially those in North America and Australia.
- Applications are assessed according to your Year 1 average marks and a personal statement which you submit with your application.
- Students on the Renaissance Stream will still go to Venice in their Final Year.

Eligibility

- Year 2 students on History or non-language joint degree programmes
- **You must achieve a 2.1 (60%) or above in Year 1 to apply, and again in Year 2 to go.**
- You may be eligible to apply through your other department too. Note: Hist/Pol students can only apply via one department.
- Language Joint honours students must apply through their other department

Choosing a Destination

- Institutions are available across the world –in the Americas, Asia, Australia and Europe
- **Not all institutions are available each year.** Exchange partnerships may be added or withdrawn at any time, and are always subject to availability.
- The institutions available each year will be posted in Term 1 when the application process opens
- Option to “split” your year across two destinations
- Be prepared to consider a range of options – places will be allocated on a **competitive basis**
- Do your research!

Important Information

- **Application Process takes place during Term 1, Year 2**
- All students must meet the **visa requirements** (if applicable) for their chosen country - You are responsible for arranging your own visa(s)
- You pay no tuition fees to the host institution. **Reduced tuition fee** to Warwick (was £1,385 for Home students in 2024/25)
- You will still be eligible to apply for a student loan etc. as usual, and you may be eligible for [additional funding or a travel grant](#)
- **It is your responsibility to finance your year abroad.** Other costs include flights, accommodation, visas, campus fees, application fees, living costs etc. These vary significantly worldwide.

Work Placements

- An opportunity to develop new skills and learn from non-academic professionals in the commercial, industrial, not-for-profit, or voluntary sectors.
- Reinforce your employability and further prepare you for the next stage of your career after graduation.
- Assessed through regular reflective pieces of writing during placement, and a 3,000-word written summary afterwards reflecting on experiences, skills developed, etc.
- Can combine half a year on work placement with half a year of study abroad (although single-term placements usually more limited).

Work Placement Testimonial

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"My work placement has been the best experience of my life, giving me opportunities to develop professionally and personally that I never thought I would be able to at such an early stage in my life. (...) I never thought that being an intern I'd be given leadership of such important stories and events, leading on press releases which gained coverage across London and national news organisations and building relationships with politicians to keep them supportive of TfL.

I have grown enormously and know that, if not for this internship, I would not have the confidence or ability to lead on important projects nor would I feel able to share my perspective as a younger person. I've felt like a key part of the team and I'm proud to know that I've contributed to initiatives which have had real world impacts. I'm eternally grateful for this opportunity and I know that this has propelled my career, and personal abilities, massively."



Jack Wareham
Transport For London Internship
2024-25

Work Placements

- For advice on looking for placement opportunities, please visit the University's Careers pages (<https://warwick.ac.uk/services/careers>) and advertisements on myAdvantage.
- Any questions or for further information, please email Aysu Hadjianatasis (a.dincer@warwick.ac.uk)



Student Panel

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Any Questions?

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- **History Year Abroad Webpages:**
<https://warwick.ac.uk/fac/arts/history/students/international/yearabroad>
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