Barbados
UCEAP Advising Notes

COVID-19 Note
The COVID-19 pandemic continues to present challenges related to health concerns and international travel. UCEAP has been updating their website’s Coronavirus Notice with up-to-date information on program cancellations for the 2021-2022 cycle. The program described in this Advising Notes document is scheduled to proceed at this time, and UCEAP will inform campus offices if there are any updates.

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Objective of the Advising Notes Document
This document is an advising tool written by a Berkeley Study Abroad adviser to review program specific details that may impact a student’s decision to apply for a UCEAP program. The document is not a summary of eligibility requirements, academic, housing, application and other logistical details freely available to students on the UCEAP and BSA websites. If any concerns you have are not addressed on the UCEAP website or in the Advising Notes document, please contact the BSA adviser for this program.

RESOURCES

Advisor Contact Information
For BSA Adviser name, email and advising availability, visit http://studyabroad.berkeley.edu/advising

EAP Alums
EAP alumni are one of your best resources for information about the program. If you would like to be put in touch with alums, simply send the BSA Adviser an email with your list of questions and the contact information of returnees who have agreed to be contacted will be shared.

EAP Alum-Created Resources
Some of our returnees have created presentations to share with others. You can look at their work through the Student Created Resource Google folder that we will continually update.
Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RxuvhuHBO_Q

Readings & Recommended Coursework
Being informed about the history and current affairs of Barbados and the Caribbean can lead to a more fulfilling study abroad experience. Coursework in Caribbean, African American or Development Studies by the time of departure is strongly recommended. Such classes will allow you to become familiar with the context in which Bajan issues are discussed and will help you to understand the unique relationships that Caribbean nations have with the rest of the world.
Please see the UC Berkeley Library guide below on readings and resources.
http://guides.lib.berkeley.edu/history/latinamerica/ps-caribbean