

**Short-Term Study Abroad Program Information**

**Please provide the following information:**

Study Abroad Program Name: Russian Language, Culture, and Communities in Latvia - Project GO  
 Study Abroad (SABD) Course ID: SABD 1425  
 Study Abroad (SABD) Course CRN: TBD  
 Semester Program will be Offered: Summer 2024  
 Part of Term (Select Part of Term that most closely aligns with program dates)\* : Thru Term  
[Click Here for Part of Term Dates \("Classes Begin" and "Classes End"\)](#)  
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 Program Start Date (First meeting with enrolled students ): 19-Jun-24  
 Program End Date (Last meeting with enrolled students ): 11-Aug-24  
 Travel Start Date: 19-Jun-24  
 Travel End Date: 12-Aug-24  
 Anticipated Number of Undergraduate Students in the Program: 20  
     Total Number of Credit Hours Taken by Each Undergraduate Student: 9  
 Anticipated Number of Graduate Students in the Program: 0  
     Total Number of Credit Hours Taken by Each Graduate Student: NA

**Please list each course offered through the program on a separate row below:**

Course Title	Course Prefix	Course Number	Credit Hours	Schedule Type	Instructor(s)	Department of Instructor(s)	Course Start Date	Course End Date	Total Lecture Hours	Total Field/ Lab Hours	Total Contact Hours**
Advanced Proficiency in Professional Russian	RUSS	4002	6	Lecture	Victoria Hasko	Language and Literacy Education/ Russian Flagship Program	6/19/2024	8/11/2024	119.0	14.0	126.0
Special Topics in International Relations	INTL	4770	3	Lecture	Justin Conrad	SPIA	6/19/2024	8/11/2024	26.0	30.0	41.0

\*Please work with department schedulers and OIE to ensure that all academic courses are scheduled in the same Part of Term as the program SABD course.

**Please also complete the Academic Itinerary found on the second worksheet of this document.**

\*\*Total Contact Hours = Total Lecture Hours + (Total Field Hours, Courses require 12.5 contact hours for each credit hour earned

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**Academic Itinerary**

**Study Abroad Program Name:** Russian Language, Culture, and Communities in Latvia - Project GO  
**Study Abroad (SABD) Course ID:** SABD 1425  
**Program Start and End Dates:** June 19 - August 11, 2024  
**Instructors and Courses Taught:**

Instructor	Course(s) Taught
Victoria Hasko	RUSS 4002
Justin Conrad	INTL 4770

\*All courses should be taught independently. Please include individual class days and times for each course.

\*\*If multiple courses are offered in the program, please use a new column for each course.

Initial academic itineraries are understood to be tentative and subject to change. Please be as specific and accurate as possible.

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Date/Time	Activity Description*	Instructor(s) of Record	RUSS 4002		INTL 4770	
			Lecture	Field/ Lab	Lecture	Field/ Lab
<b>Monday, April 15</b>	<b>Pre-departure</b>					
4pm-5pm	Program orientation	Victoria Hasko	1.0			
5pm-6pm	Program orientation	Justin Conrad			1.0	
<b>WEEK 1: Wednesday, June 19, 2024</b>	<b>Day 1: Arrive in Riga; transfer to conference hotel in Riga</b>		<b>Lecture</b>	<b>Field</b>	<b>Lecture</b>	<b>Field</b>
Arrivals, check-in	Check in					
<b>Thursday, June 20, 2024</b>	<b>Day 2: Post-Arrival Orientation Session in Jurmala, Riga</b>					
10:00am-12pm	Post-arrival orientation	Victoria Hasko	2.0			
1pm-3pm	Introductory lectures and discussions	Justin Conrad			2.0	
3:30-5:30pm	Walking tour of Jurmala, with Russian content	Victoria Hasko, Justin Conrad		1.0		1.0
<b>Friday, June 21, 2024</b>	<b>Day 3: Understanding local culture, Jurmala, Riga</b>					
10:00am-12pm	Meetings with local instructors, conversation partners, host families	Victoria Hasko	2.0			
1pm-3pm	Geopolitical lectures	Justin Conrad			2.0	
3pm	Transfer to homestays					
<b>Saturday, June 22, 2024</b>	<b>Day 4: Personal day; Riga</b>					
	Students celebrate Ligo with host families					
<b>Sunday, June 23, 2024</b>	<b>Day 5: Personal Day; Riga</b>					
	Holiday weekend					
<b>WEEK 2: Monday, June 24</b>	<b>Day 7: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
<b>Tuesday, June 25, 2024</b>	<b>Day 8: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
<b>Wednesday, June 26, 2024</b>	<b>Day 9: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
10-10:30am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.5			
10:45-12:05pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad			1.33	
12:15pm-1:30pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad			1.25	
<b>Thursday, June 27, 2024</b>	<b>Day 10: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
<b>Friday, June 28, 2024</b>	<b>Day 11: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
<b>Saturday, June 29, 2024</b>	<b>Day 12: Walking Tour of Riga</b>					
10:00am-1:00pm	Guided walking tour of Riga: History and geopolitics	Justin Conrad				3.0
<b>Sunday, June 30, 2024</b>	<b>Day 13: Personal Day, Riga</b>					
<b>WEEK 3: Monday, July 1</b>	<b>Day 14: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
<b>Tuesday, July 2</b>	<b>Day 15: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
<b>Wednesday, July 3</b>	<b>Day 16: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
10-10:30am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.5			
10:45-12:05pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad			1.33	
12:15pm-1:30pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad			1.25	

<b>Thursday, July 4</b>	<b>Day 17: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
<b>Friday, July 5</b>	<b>Day 18: Geopolitical enrichment: trip to Tallinn</b>				
9am-13pm	Bus transfer to Tallinn				
13pm-16:00pm	Guided tour of Rummu	Victoria Hasko		2.0	
16:00-18:00pm	Transfer to Tallinn				
<b>Saturday, July 6</b>	<b>Day 19: Geopolitical enrichment: trip to Tallinn</b>				
9:00am-11:00am	Tour of Tallinn: walking excursions and lectures	Victoria Hasko		2.0	
11am-15:00pm	Excursions and lectures on Estonian history and Soviet occupation	Justin Conrad			4.0
<b>Sunday, July 7</b>	<b>Day 20: Geopolitical enrichment: trip to Tallinn</b>				
9am-12pm	Guided museum tour	Justin Conrad			3.0
	Afternoon return to Riga				
<b>WEEK 4: Monday, July 8</b>	<b>Day 21: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
<b>Tuesday, July 9</b>	<b>Day 22: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
<b>Wednesday, July 10</b>	<b>Day 23: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:30am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.5		
10:45-12:05pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad			1.33
12:15pm-1:30pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad			1.25
<b>Thursday, July 11</b>	<b>Day 24: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
<b>Friday, July 12</b>	<b>Day 25: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
<b>Saturday, July 13</b>	<b>Day 26: Weekend excursion</b>				
11:00am-1:00pm	A walking tour and discussion about Kurseme	Justin Conrad			2.0
<b>Sunday, July 14</b>	<b>Day 27: Free time</b>				
<b>WEEK 5: Monday, July 15</b>	<b>Day 28: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
<b>Tuesday, July 16</b>	<b>Day 29: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
<b>Wednesday, July 17</b>	<b>Day 30: Classes, Riga</b>				
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833		
10-10:30am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.5		
10:45-12:05pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad			1.33
12:15pm-1:30pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad			1.25
<b>Thursday, July 18</b>	<b>Day 31: Transfer to Vilnius, Lithuania with stops in Latvia</b>				
9:00am-11:00am	Transfer to the Hill of Crosses, Unesco Heritage Site				
11am-12:30pm	Guided tour of the Hill of Crosses	Justin Conrad			1.5
2pm-4pm	Tour of the Rundale Palace	Victoria Hasko		2.0	
<b>Friday, July 19</b>	<b>Day 32: Geopolitical enrichment: trip to Vilnius, Lithuania</b>				
9:00am-11:00am	Tour of Vilnius: walking excursions and lectures	Victoria Hasko		2.0	
11am-15:00pm	Excursions and lectures on Lithuanian history and Soviet occupation	Justin Conrad			4.0
<b>Saturday, July 20</b>	<b>Day 33: Geopolitical enrichment: trip to Vilnius, Lithuania</b>				
9:00am-1:00pm	Bus excursion	Justin Conrad			4.0
<b>Sunday, July 21</b>	<b>Day 34: Day 33: Geopolitical enrichment: Vilnius; return to Riga</b>				
10am-12pm	Experiential workshop; transfer to Riga	Victoria Hasko		2.0	

<b>WEEK 6: Monday, July 22</b>		<b>Day 35: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Tuesday, July 23</b>		<b>Day 36: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Wednesday, July 24</b>		<b>Day 37: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:30am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.5				
10:45-12:05pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad				1.33	
12:15pm-1:30pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad				1.25	
<b>Thursday, July 25</b>		<b>Day 38: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Friday, July 26</b>		<b>Day 39: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Saturday, July 27</b>		<b>Day 40: Museum tour, Riga</b>					
10am-1pm	Visit to the museum of KGB History of Soviet Occupation	Justin Conrad					3.0
<b>Sunday, July 28</b>		<b>Day 41: Personal Day, Riga</b>					
<b>WEEK 7: Monday, July 29</b>		<b>Day 42: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Tuesday, July 30</b>		<b>Day 43: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Wednesday, July 31</b>		<b>Day 44: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:30am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.5				
10:45-12:05pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad				1.33	
12:15pm-1:30pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad				1.25	
<b>Thursday, Aug 1</b>		<b>Day 45: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Friday, Aug 2</b>		<b>Day 46: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Saturday, Aug 3</b>		<b>Day 47: Classes, Riga</b>					
9:00am-12:00pm	Tour of Eastern European markets	Victoria Hasko				3.0	
<b>Sunday, Aug 4</b>		<b>Day 48: Personal Day, Riga</b>					
<b>WEEK 8: Monday, Aug 5</b>		<b>Day 49: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Tuesday, Aug 6</b>		<b>Day 43: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
11-11:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
12pm-12:50pm	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures, and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
<b>Wednesday, Aug 7</b>		<b>Day 44: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:30am	Russian language and culture seminar, lectures and discussions	Victoria Hasko	0.5				
10:45-12:05pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad				1.33	
12:15pm-1:30pm	Geopolitical lecture and discussion	Justin Conrad				1.25	
<b>Thursday, Aug 8</b>		<b>Day 45: PGO testing</b>					
10am-14:00pm	Post-program PGO and intercultural testing	Victoria Hasko	4.0				
<b>Friday, Aug 9</b>		<b>Day 46: Classes, Riga</b>					
9-9:50am	Student presentations	Victoria Hasko	0.833				
10-10:50am	Student presentations	Victoria Hasko	0.833				

11-11:50am	Program awards	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
12pm-12:50pm	Closing ceremony	Victoria Hasko	0.833			
<b>Saturday, Aug 10</b>	<b>Day 47: Bus tour, Latvia</b>					
9:00am-15:00pm	Bus tour of Eastern Latvia	Justin Conrad				4.0
<b>Sunday, Aug 11</b>	<b>Day 48: Time with host family and free time</b>					
	Students spend time with host families and prepare for departures					
<b>Sunday, Aug 12</b>	<b>Day 48: Departure for the U.S./Arrival to Atlanta</b>					
			Totals:	98.30	14.00	23.06
			<b>Total Contact Hours:</b>	<b>105.30</b>		<b>37.81</b>

*Total Contact Hours = Total Lecture Hours + (Total Field Hours / 2)  
Courses require 12.5 contact hours for each credit hour earned*