

## UCSD's International Center to host "Quest International '96"

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Representatives from approximately 50 international study programs will meet with students, faculty, and community members Oct. 25 when the International Center at the University of California, San Diego presents "Quest International '96."

In its 11th year, the annual study-abroad fair will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on the university's Library Walk, a major campus pedestrian thoroughfare.

The theme of this year's quest is "Branch Out -- Go International," and its purpose is to increase awareness of international opportunities in general, as well as to provide students and community members with specific information about the many study, work, travel, and internship programs available.

UCSD's Quest International is one of 13 study-abroad fairs being held this fall on campuses throughout California. More than 1,000 are expected to attend the International Center's event here.

Joan Adamo, UCSD's Quest International '96 coordinator, says more than 500 UCSD students took part in international programs in 1995-96, many of them receiving their information about the variety of overseas options at the Quest fair.

Exhibitors represent a wide range of study-abroad programs sponsored by United States and foreign universities, including Boston University, Butler University, the Institute of European Studies & Asian Studies, the American College in London, Semester at Sea, and the American Institute for Foreign Study.

Intensive language and special internship programs will be represented, along with opportunities for paid and volunteer overseas work programs. The UC Education Abroad Program (EAP) will be among the exhibitors.

In addition to the exhibits, the International Center will hold an International Cafe luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., sponsored by Council Travel. The cafe's \$2.50 luncheon is a regular Friday feature of the International Center, sponsored each week by a different campus or community organization or business. The public is invited.

Participation in Quest International '96 is free and open to the public. For further information, call Quest coordinator Joan Adamo at 619/534-1123.

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