

## UWEC Study Abroad Program Rankings for LGBTQIA+ Students

If you are student that identifies as LGBTQIA+, you may have unique questions or concerns of your own regarding study abroad opportunities. The Spartacus World's Gay Travel Index ranked all countries in the world in terms of LGBT travel friendliness. Here are the countries where UW-Eau Claire sends students on study abroad programs.

As described by the Spartacus Gay Travel Index, "We have 14 categories ranging from gay-marriage to death penalty for [LGBTQ individuals]. The countries are colour coded with dark green being the most liberal and gay-friendly countries down to red for the most dangerous countries for [LGBTQ individuals] to visit and live in." The index is divided into positive (green) categories on the left, and negative (red) categories on the right. For further detailed explanation of rankings and for the most up to date list, please visit [www.spartacusworld.com/gaytravelindex.pdf](http://www.spartacusworld.com/gaytravelindex.pdf)

Ranking	Country	Total	Antidiscrimination legislation	Marriage/Civil Partnership	Adoption allowed	Trans Gender Rights	Equal Age of Consent	Religious Influence	HIV Travel Restrictions	Anti-Gay Laws	Homosexuality Illegal	Pride Banned	Locals hostile	Prosecution	Murders	Death Sentences
1	Sweden	10	3	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	France	9	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Germany	9	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	New Zealand	9	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Spain	9	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	United Kingdom	9	3	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0
15	Austria	8	2	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Ireland	8	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	Australia	6	1	2	1	2	1	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	South Africa	6	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	-1	0
34	Argentina	5	1	2	2	2	1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	-1	0
34	Czech Republic	5	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
39	USA	4	2	2	2	0	1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	-1	0
40	Italy	3	1	1	0	1	1	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45	Greece	2	1	1	0	0	1	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45	Taiwan	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
55	Chile	1	1	1	0	1	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0
55	Cuba	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0
55	Japan	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0
55	Mexico	1	1	1	2	0	1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	-2	0
67	China/Hong Kong	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0
67	Costa Rica	0	2	0	0	-1	1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0
67	Thailand	0	2	0	0	-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	-1	0
80	Poland	-1	1	0	0	0	1	-1	0	-1	0	0	-1	0	0	0
94	Peru	-2	1	0	0	1	1	-1	0	-1	0	0	-1	0	-2	0
111	Belize	-4	0	0	0	-1	0	-1	0	-1	0	0	-1	0	0	0
121	Guatemala	-5	0	0	0	-1	1	-1	0	0	0	0	-2	0	-2	0
121	South Korea	-5	0	0	0	0	1	-2	-1	-1	0	0	-1	-1	0	0
143	Ghana	-7	0	0	0	-1	0	-2	0	-1	-1	0	-2	0	0	0