Chemistry majors can and do participate in education abroad programs during their four years at UVa. Fitting in an abroad experience can seem daunting for Chemistry majors, but with careful planning, and in consultation with the Department, you will be able to make it happen.

Previous Chemistry students have found the fall of their third year as the best term to study abroad. The spring of the second year may also be an option for some students. Summer and January term programs are also available. Remember that courses must be pre-approved by the DUP to fulfill CHEM major requirements.

"Chile was the best study abroad experience I could have asked for. I learned about and worked in the fascinating health system of Chile during the week and then traveled to amazing places during the weekend. The knowledge that I gained in Chile has changed the way I view public health and has allowed me to understand that there is no one correct way to do anything in health care. This awareness has been beneficial in a field that constantly changes everyday and I know will keep influencing my life in the health profession for years to come."

-Sarah Elkin, CHEM major