Brazil, one of the most cosmopolitan countries in South America, is known for its beautiful beaches, the Rainforest and Carnival. FAU’s exchange programs are located in Florianópolis and Belo Horizonte. Florianópolis is the capital of Santa Catarina and home to approximately 407,000 people. It is a modern city, with more than 100 beautiful beaches and a strong economy based on commerce and tourism. Belo Horizonte is the 1st planned city in Brazil and is the capital of Minas Gerais. It has approximately 2.2 million people. Visitors can enjoy the hospitality of the Belozontinos, tasty Mineiro cuisine, beautiful parks and squares, architecture, and museums.

Courses: All courses are taught in Portuguese. Students participating in these programs must be able to take courses in the native language. An intensive one-month Portuguese course is available prior to the start of each term for those students needing to improve or hone their language skills. There is an additional fee for this course.

Eligibility: 2.50 GPA or higher. Students must be declared College of Business majors or minors and meet the pre-requisites for the courses offered.

Program Fee: FAU tuition (in-state/out-of-state rates apply), $150 FAU application fee, and CISI insurance ($36 per month). These fees are paid directly to FAU.

Program Fee Does Not Include: Airfare, room and board, books, local transportation, and spending money. These fees are paid in Brazil and are estimated at 1,500 Reais per month. Exchange rates fluctuate daily, visit www.oanda.com for the latest exchange rate.

Institutions: Universidad do Sul de Santa Catarina (UNISUL)
Located in Florianópolis and Tubarao, Brazil. For additional information on this location, visit http://www.unisul.br/assin/international-students.html

Program Dates: Fall/Second Semester - July to December, 2011
Spring/First Semester - February to July, 2012

Application Deadlines: Fall semester, May 25; Spring semester, November 30

Universidad Federal de Minas Gerais (UFMG)
Located in Belo Horizonte, Brazil. For more information on this location, visit http://www.ufmg.br/dri/english/exchange-programs/foreign-student/

Program Dates: Fall/Second Semester - August to December, 2011
Spring/First Semester - February to July, 2012

Application Deadlines: Fall semester, April 1; Spring semester, October 1

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