



# Why Winterline?

Winterline Global Education offers skills-based gap, semester and summer programs for young adults with an adventurous spirit and an interest in the world around them. You'll learn real-world skills to prepare you for college, life and career while traveling the world and exploring your passions.

Are you ready to travel? Gain practical life skills that you didn't get in high school and won't get in college? Develop friendships that will last a lifetime? Then come join us!

Try your hand at authentic Thai cooking. Launch a business. Learn to scuba dive. Build a robot. You will create your own solo trip. And so much more.

## Why are the Programs Called a "Gap" Experience?

The word GAP means "An unfilled space or interval," "a hole between objects." Some people think of a gap year or a gap semester as a holding pattern between one school year and another.

We at Winterline don't agree. We think a gap experience is something else entirely: Something that will move you closer to the person you want to be ... that will give you **skills** that make you more **confident** in yourself ... that will help you understand what's **important** to you ... that will reveal **fundamental truths** about who you are and how you fit in the world.

That's the Winterline Global Education vision. Our programs are about exploration. Observation. Discovery. They're about curiosity and the ability to learn when there's no one to teach you. About unearthing your connection to our planet ... and the vastness within yourself.

Just as important, it's about developing real-world **skills** ... and gaining confidence to deal with whatever you encounter. Because you'll only be the best version of yourself if you can deal with challenges large and small, from a broken ankle to a torn shirt, from cooking a meal to speaking in public.

Through our combination of global travel and skills-based discovery, Winterline helps participants like you become better equipped to make decisions, handle situations, and realize their own potential. And they have an awesome time doing it.

Because self-discovery should be the journey of a lifetime. And now is the time to start.

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