

# DEAF ABROAD RESOURCES

*Need a hand?*



## STUDENTS

Programs, apps & vlogs, Oh my!

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## ADVISORS

We've got some advice for you!

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## PROVIDERS

Resources, Resources,  
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# STUDENT RESOURCES

## Helpful Articles

- 1 Why being Deaf shouldn't be used as an excuse to avoid traveling
- 2 Meaningful Travel Tips and Tales: Traveling with a Disability
- 3 Must-know airline info: Tips for travelers with disabilities
- 4 Ripple Effects 3.6: In Context: a Deafness Studies Fulbright Experience to Italy
- 5 10 Expert Travel Tips for Those With Hearing Loss
- 6 TSA Procedures



Learn International Sign Languages!



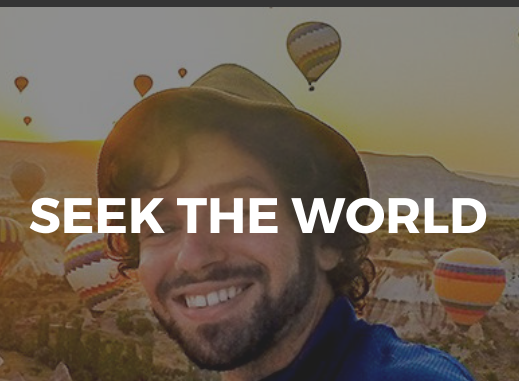
## Deaf-friendly Programs



## f Groups

- Deaf World
- ASL That!
- Solo Deaf Travelers
- NAD

## FAMOUS DEAF TRAVELERS



SEEK THE WORLD



DEAFINITLY WANDERLUST



NOMADIC DEAF

# COMMUNICATION ABROAD

## VIDEO RELAY SERVICES



Allows for outgoing calls from abroad. Be sure to notify Zvrs in advance.



Convo Mobile

### CONVO PASSPORT

Make calls & receive calls from abroad

### CONVO ESPAÑOL

Now offers services in Spanish.




Type what you want to say and the operator relays the message to the person you called and then types their response back to you.

## MESSENGER APPS




# APP-CESS ABROAD

**FREE**




**Tap Tap** 4.2  
David Vondracek  
★☆☆☆ 1.8, 5 Ratings  
\$2.99




**FREE**






**Make It Big** 4.5  
Show large text on your screen  
An Trinh  
★★★★☆ 4.9, 95 Ratings  
Free

**App MyEar** 4.2  
Tired of lipreading?  
Brandon Isobe  
★★★★☆ 4.2, 54 Ratings  
\$9.99



**FREE**

Humanware™







EDIUS




**WEARABLE TECH** ★




\*DB


SOUND ALERT




**FREE**





**FREE**



Signily







\*DB = Deafblind

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# STUDY ABROAD

## ADVISORS

### STEPS & ADVICE

- Study abroad advisors must become advocates for their deaf and hard of hearing students.
- Embrace a culture of “yes”
- Seek programs that will work for their deaf and hard of hearing students
- Push program providers that they partner with to provide and pay for accommodations for students with disabilities.
- Setup funds at their universities for accommodations
- Build-in accommodations budgets into faculty-led programs
- Make it clear that they will only partner with program providers who are willing to make all programs accessible

### LINKS

[Sending a Deaf Student Abroad](#)

[Supporting Your Students](#)

[Traveling with Disabilities](#)

[Accommodations](#)

[NAFSA Resources](#)

[Research Support and International Affairs - Gallaudet](#)



[Assessment Guidelines](#)



[Access Information Form](#)



# PROGRAM PROVIDORS

## TIPSHEETS



## INTERPRETERS



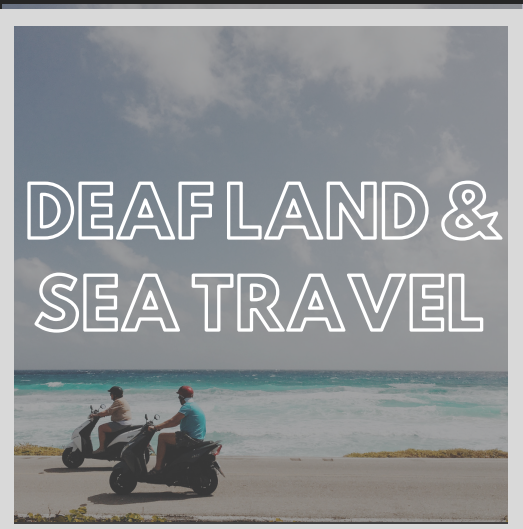
Hiring

Reduce Cost

Contract Development



# DEAF TRAVEL AGENCIES





# GLOBAL DEAF ORGS.



## DISCOVERING DEAF WORLDS

DDW provides organizational management training to Deaf advocacy organizations in developing countries. All projects aim to improve standards of Deaf education, communication accessibility, employment opportunities and human rights.



### International Deaf Advocacy Network



View DDW's International Deaf Advocacy Network

## WORLD FEDERATION OF THE DEAF



The World Federation of the Deaf is an international non-profit and non-governmental organisation of deaf associations from 133 countries. In addition to this, its membership includes Associate Members, International Members and Individual Members as well as two categories of Youth Members. The WFD has 8 Regional Secretariats and one Co-operating Member. It's legal seat is in Helsinki, Finland where the WFD Secretariat operates.



## WORLD FEDERATION OF THE DEAFBLIND



WFDB was established in 2001 and consists today of 75 national and associated member organizations from 62 different countries from all corners of the world. Relationships have been established with The World Blind Union (WBU), The World Federation of the Deaf (WFD), Deafblind International (DbI) and The World Association of Sign Language Interpreters (WASLI).

### RESOURCES ON:

Equipments for persons with deafblindness

Deafblind organisations

Other links of interest

International Disability organisations



## World Association of Sign Language Interpreters

The aim of WASLI is to advance the profession of sign language interpreting world wide.

Presentations

Definition of  
International Sign

Role of the  
Interpreter

Board

Regional  
Representatives

Organizational  
Partners



# RID

## Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc.

The Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc. (RID), a national membership organization, plays a leading role in advocating for excellence in the delivery of interpretation and transliteration services between people who use sign language and people who use spoken language. In collaboration with the Deaf community, RID supports our members and encourages the growth of the profession through the establishment of a national standard for qualified sign language interpreters and transliterators, ongoing professional development and adherence to a code of professional conduct.

Find qualified  
& certified  
interpreters  
here

# MORE ORGANIZATIONS





**ARE WE MISSING  
SOMETHING?**

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