Since 1983 **FOSTER INTERNATIONAL** served as home for students and visiting scholars & artists from **over 50 countries**:
Angola, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Brazil, Burma, Canada, China, Columbia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Denmark, Egypt, England, France, Germany, Ghana, Guatemala, Haiti, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Iran, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Lithuania, Malaysia, Mexico, Mongolia, Netherlands, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Peru, Poland, Qatar, Romania, Russia, Singapore, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Taiwan, Thailand, United Arab Emirates, U.S.A., Vietnam, Zimbabwe

7 Reasons to Live in FIN

• Make friends with a unique mix of U.S. and international students from a wide variety of cultural backgrounds and academic interests.
• Learn about other countries and cultures while living in one of IU’s most diverse residence halls.
• Join a community that has been growing and developing for 30 years.
• Take advantage of FIN’s floor lounges, computer lab, kitchen, and other on-site facilities.
• Travel and enjoy overnight trips, educational events, cultural celebrations and other types of learning and recreational activities.
• Interact with artists, researchers and special guests from all over the world representing many different art forms, research interests, and professions.
• Grow as a global citizen and be part of a genuine residential community experience.

“Students living in FIN have the opportunity to break out of their comfort zones by interacting and learning to appreciate other people from different cultures besides their own. FIN is a great place in bringing together people from different nationalities and forming a community of global citizens…”
— Arjun

“Being part of the Foster International community has taught me indispensable lessons through the diversity of the community…living here has helped me understand myself and others at a new level…” — Stanley

**HOW TO APPLY**

Space in FIN is limited. Please apply for housing as early as possible after you are accepted to IU. We encourage domestic and international students to list FIN as a top preference when applying for housing through the Residential Programs and Services website. If you have questions about life in FIN or your housing application, please contact us.

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FIN ACTIVITY FEE

Students pay a $100 activity fee each semester. These funds help support community events, recreational and social activities, in- and out-of-state overnight trips, and visits by international artists and scholars.

WHO WE ARE

Foster International Living-Learning Center (or FIN) was established in 1983 and is the second oldest LLC on the IUB campus. FIN is a home to thousands of U.S. and international students. Every year we house a diverse group of students from around the globe. FIN’s mission is to provide a unique learning environment that challenges our students to learn about and appreciate the richness of cultural diversity, global issues, and communication.

FIN RESIDENTIAL LEARNING COURSE

All incoming students must successfully complete FIN Q100, a 1-credit, 7-week community development course taught by Peer Instructors. FIN Q100 offers a unique opportunity for residents to get to know each other and to discuss important cultural and global issues.

MISSION STATEMENT

Foster International Living-Learning Center (FIN) is a community designed to bring students from diverse backgrounds and academic interests together in a setting that promotes intercultural understanding and communication.