

## S 5098

Senator Paul Simon Study Abroad Program Act of 2022

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Education

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### Committee Activity

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### Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Related Bills

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117 HR 9145	Related bill	Oct 7, 2022: Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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This bill expands access to study abroad for U.S. undergraduate students. It revises the Increase and Diversify Education Abroad for U.S. Students program (commonly known as the IDEAS program) and formally renames the program as the Senator Paul Simon Study Abroad Program.

### **Actions Timeline**

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