Why should CBS students go abroad?
I think CBS students should go abroad because it will expand their horizons. Many times, CBS students get stuck in a bubble due to the strenuous course loads. Studying abroad will allow you to grow as a person because it gives you more freedom. Also, it will put you out of your comfort zone. Being outside the comfort zone is where you and other people around you will see the most growth.

What did you learn or gain from your time abroad?
One of the biggest things I gained from studying abroad was confidence. I backpacked alone for two weeks and I had to meet a lot of new people and play things by ear.

What was your most memorable experience?
Watching the sunset over the skyline of Florence in Michelangelo’s Garden.

Student Scoop
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Advice to other students looking to study abroad:
Don’t be afraid to explore whether it is alone or with a group. I had some of the best experiences of my life when I was doing my solo backpacking trip around the Mediterranean. Don’t underestimate yourself.