

In the Federal Republic of Germany, in Italy and in Belgium, programs of Canadian studies with the same elements as those described above were maintained and in some cases expanded during 1978. In addition, an extensive program of scholarships and academic exchanges involving not only the countries mentioned above but a number of others was carried out by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada on behalf of the Department.

The Department, with the co-operation of the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada and the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, has made it financially possible for 100 students, professors and researchers to study and to research in the People's Republic of China and in the Soviet Union. Along with the provincial governments and the Council of Ministers of Education of Canada, the Department co-ordinated the visit by the Chinese Deputy Minister of Education and his delegation in October 1978.