NWU 2025 Faculty-Led Study Abroad Programs

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HHP 4000: Learning Abroad – England, Wales and Scotland June 02 to June 16, 2025

Contact Dr Pettit at pdp@nebrwesleyan.edu, or 402-465-2361 or Weary Center 209. We will travel June 02-16, 2025 spending time in England, Wales, and Scotland. Highlights of the program include: London hop on/Hop off bus, Wimbledon, Marylebone Cricket Club, Chelsea Football tour, Orbits Tower, tour of London 2012 Olympic Arena, guided walking orientation tours of all cities (London, Edinburgh, etc), Thames River Cruise, Westminster & Big Ben, Parliament, Piccadilly Circus, Loch Ness Day tour and University visits to learn about sport, health, history, culture, media/digital experiences, and volunteerism. We are working on a volunteer opportunity for the group. The course can be taken for zero credits or for two credits. If you take the course for two credits it will satisfy your experiential learning-intensive requirement in the archway curriculum. The estimated cost is \$5456. The fee includes all flights, ground transportation, accommodations, all scheduled academic and activities, and 10 meals.

*If you included the deposit deadline, indicate the amount and whether or not it is refundable.

- First deposit of \$500 by December 10, 2024
- Refund of \$500 (100%) through January 31, if you choose not to travel
- Second payment of \$500 made by Friday January 26, 2025
- Will refund \$500 (50%) through March 1, 2025
- Final deposit of approximately \$4486 made by March 25, 2025
- All deposits are due by 500pm in weary room 209 or 226 on the due date
- Payments are refundable for withdrawals due to a price increase

British Theatre Immersion – England May 12-21, 2025

Nebraska Wesleyan University is thrilled to announce a British Theatre Immersion trip for the summer of 2025! This will be a visit to London, England, led by Theatre professor Ryan Kathman, that will include encounters with British theatrical culture, history and industry, including tours and productions at the Globe Theatre, the West End, the Royal Shakespeare Company (during a daytrip to Stratford-upon-Avon), the Old Vic Theatre, the Royal Court Theatre, national museums, as well as masterclasses and Q&As with theatre professionals like Frantic Assembly. It will take place from May 12 through May 21, 2025, and is estimated to cost about \$4,100 for everything. Students who participate in this excursion will have the opportunity to earn NWU credit towards their major, for a thread, or as an independent elective. The first non-refundable deposit deadline is Dec. 6, 2024 (\$500), and we are hoping to find 10 to 20 students who will participate. For more information, please contact Ryan Kathman (rkathman@nebrwesleyan.edu).

Encounter World Religions Week – Canada May 24 to May 30, 2025

Explore and learn about religious diversity in Toronto, Canada. Highlights traveling to a Muslim Mosque to meet an Imam, attending a Hare Krishna worship gathering, visiting a Ganesh Hindu Temple and a Hindu Sabha Temple, learning about and meeting practicing Rastafarians, practicing Daoist Tai Chi, meeting a Jewish Rabbi and visiting a Jewish synagogue, touring Chinatown, visiting two Buddhist temples, having a Sikh meal and attending a Sikh worship service, and touring a Zoroastrian Temple.

Who Can Travel: Any NWU students 19 and older, any major

Cost: \$1600. Registration fee is \$500 per student and flights will be approx. \$600 per student. Lodging costs will be \$300 per student, and an additional recommended \$200 to cover about 8 meals.

Do not let the cost scare you! Dr. Redding will secure additional funding to offset some registration and flights costs once we know how many students will attend.

Earn NWU Credits: Students may choose to get up to 3 general elective credit hours for the trip by enrolling in the summer RELIG-2000/3000 level Selected Topics: Religious Diversity in Canada course, supervised by Dr. Redding. It is NOT required that students take the trip for course credit. The listed cost *does not* include summer tuition costs.

Deadlines: Applications and non-fundable \$250 deposit due January 15, 2025

Final, full amount (including the cost of flights and lodging) due April 30, 2025

Experiencing the Culture of Italy Approx. May 18-June 7

Encounter the culture of Tuscany in Italy! Students in this study abroad class travel to Florence, Italy to study cultural indicators of Florence such as verbal and nonverbal communication, food, transportation, business climate, politics, religious beliefs, and interpersonal relationships. Students will stay in in apartments in Florence. Students read texts, listen/give presentations, view art, attend concerts, experience the culture of Florence through walking, watching, eating, shopping and navigating the city and reflect on these experiences.

Deadline: Application/Deposit of \$2000 is December 9th, 2024 For Rachel Pokora, students can stop by Smith-Curtis 330#, email rpokora@nebrwesleyan.edu, or call 402-465-2391. For Bailey Barnard, students can stop by Lucas 214, email bbarnard@nebrwesleyan.edu, or call 402-465-2529.

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Study Abroad Opportunity! Comparative Healthcare in Peru July 15-24, 2025

Where: Lima, Peru, Cusco, Peru & the Incas (Machu Picchu) What: Explore the diverse Peruvian culture and healthcare systems. Enjoy engaging learning opportunities, including visits to local hospital and community centers, and appreciate the amazing sights of Machu Pichu, Qorikancha: the temple of the Sun, and Sacsayhuaman: Cusco's fortress and home of the Inti Raymi celebration.

Who Can Travel: Sttudents 19 and older, any major **Estimated Cost:** \$3475-\$3675. Roundtrip airfare, all admissions, all meals, in country transportation and insurance are included in the cost.

Feb. 1, 2025: 50% of total program fees
May 1, 2025: remaining balance of program fees
Application & fist deposit deadline: yet to be determined.
Questions or for more information: Dr. Brittney Fritzinger
britzin@nebrwesleyan.edu or Dr. Kristi McGuire
kmcguire@nebrwesleyan.edu

Travels in Identity: Spain May 18-30, 2025

Where: Barcelona, Madrid, Toledo, and Sevilla, Spain What: Explore identity in Spain through many immersive experiences in several cities. In addition to learning from faculty and students in Spain, we will engage in many immersive experiences such as a cooking class, a Flamenco dance workshop and performance, tours of historical sites, and architectural tours. Who Can Travel: Any University student 19 and older, any major Earn NWU Credits: Students who take IDS 2040-01 (8 week course in Spring 2025) and participate in this study abroad trip can earn: 2 credits toward Identity Thread, DEI: Global Diversity, and Experiential Learning-Intensive Credits. Students may participate in study abroad trip to Spain without taking IDS 2040-01 (would not earn academic credit), if desired.

Estimated Cost: \$3700-4100, depending on number of students attending. This cost does not include airfare.

Application and first deposit deadline: Applications and a \$600 non-refundable deposit are due by January 26th, 2025. **Questions or for more information:** Contact Dr. Chelsea

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Study Spanish in Spain May 27 to June 28, 2025

This program includes 5 days in Madrid with a day trip to Segovia, homestay in Salamanca, group activities, and 4 weeks of classes (4 credits). Earn credit for: Experiential Learning: Intensive, Foundational Literacy: Modern Language, Major/Minor. The estimated cost for the program is \$4800, plus round-trip airfare. Early decision: November 27. Application deadline: January 16. Contact Dr. Borzone (mborzone@nebrwesleyan.edu)