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NWC Study Abroad



2014

HONORS SUMMER STUDY ABROAD

Greece

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"I'm excited about providing students with the opportunity to visit a place that has had such an enduring impact on all of us. The ancient Greeks considered their homeland to be the center of the world. In many ways, it still is." -Prof. John Vonder Bruegge

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2014 Honors Summer Study Abroad

Greece

GEN 350 Greece: Antiquity and Modernity

- ◆ Summer 2014 (Tentative May 12-June 2)
- ◆ 4 credits
- ◆ Prerequisite: membership in the NWC Honors program or permission of instructor; acceptance into the program and GEN 316 (2 credits)

*Note: GEN 316 is the pre-trip class for this program (2nd half of spring semester)

- ◆ Fulfills cross-cultural gen-ed requirement
- ◆ All majors welcome!

The foundation of essentially every academic discipline can be traced back to ancient Greece. For this reason, Greek cultural and intellectual influences perpetuate the world of college students today. As participants in this Honors SSA, students will have the opportunity to explore the area that birthed such a rich legacy. In addition, they will discover modern Greece. Being immersed in the area that houses both ancient and modern Greece, students will discover that to be Greek is to live in two different worlds at the same time. Drawing from these experiences, they will be able to gain a new perspective of their own academic field and its roots.

Course Requirements

- ◆ Attend pre-trip class meetings
- ◆ Site Tours and Paper Presentation
- ◆ Journals
- ◆ Group Journal/Video Anthology
- ◆ Reflective Paper

Faculty: Prof. Vonder Bruegge is a faculty member in NWC's Religion Department. He is excited to lead the first SSA to Greece, which also happens to be the first Honors Program SSA.

Passport and Visa: For U.S. citizens, a passport is required for entry into Greece; a visa is not required for tourist stays of less than 90 days. Information on how to obtain a passport is available from the Global Education Center or the State Department web site at <http://travel.state.gov/>.

Location

The program will primarily take place in Athens and the surrounding areas of Nafplio. Students will also be able to visit Delphi and Meteora.

Housing and Meals

While in Greece, students will stay in hotels.

Excursions

This program includes a variety of tours to world heritage sites, including: the Acropolis, Corinth, Mycenae, the Oracle of Delphi, and Meteora.

Program Cost

Approximately \$3900-4400. This price includes four credits (discounted at 1/2 off tuition) and all direct costs (airfare, food, lodging, entrance fees).

Payment Deadline

After determination of the final program fee, on or around April 1, the SSAO will send out billings. Deadline for payment is May 1. Participants will be provided with the *Payment, Cancellation, and Refund Policies* upon acceptance in the program.

*** Information shared in this brochure is subject to change.

Application

Applications are due [February 1, 2014](#).

Application forms are available on MyNWC at:
www.nwciowa.edu/summer-abroad



“It is the mark of an educated mind to be able to entertain a thought without accepting it.”

- the Greek philosopher, Aristotle