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Please note: All students participating in study abroad programs will be charged a Study Abroad Fee of $140, in addition to the program costs. Students will also be required to purchase Student Travel Insurance ($25 for programs of 2 weeks or less, or $50 per month). Program costs listed below do not include UW tuition, the Study Abroad Fee, or cost of insurance.

CROATIA

ANTH 4104: Archaeological Field School in Croatia
6 credits
The UW Archaeological Field School in Croatia grew out of strong friendships and collaborations with archaeologists from the University of Zagreb, the Croatian Ministry of Culture and the Institute for Anthropological Research - Zagreb. As we came together as friends with wide-ranging research interests, we realized that we could offer an archaeological field school unlike any other in the world. A field school that gives students opportunities to live, learn and excavate at multiple sites spanning over 70,000 years of human history and with diverse theoretical perspectives and methods.

The Croatian Archaeological Field School develops students' abilities to study and understand a wide diversity of other cultures, past and present and ranging from Ice Age hunters-gatherers to a modern, democratic socialist country of the EU. In addition to the study of history and prehistory, the field school immerses students in the culture and ethnicities of modern Croatia.

Physical demands are strenuous, including hiking and working in rugged terrain in hot and often humid conditions.

An introduction to archaeology course (e.g. ANTH 1300) is a required prerequisite. No previous field experience is required or expected.

Cost: $2500 (does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: June 20 – July 17, 2019
Contact: James Ahern (jahern@uwyo.edu)

ITALY

UWYO 4965: Archaeological Field School in Italy
6 credits
The University of Wyoming announces an archaeological excavation and field school in Tuscany, Italy. The project includes excavations of an extensive Roman villa (1st century B.C.E. – 6th century C.E.) and field surveys of an adjacent medieval sites. The project takes place in Montelupo Fiorentino, a historic Tuscan town just ten miles west of Florence. No previous excavation experience is required.

Participants will receive hands-on training in excavation techniques, survey methods, and site mapping using Geographic Information Systems, as well as process and conserve artifacts discovered during excavation. On weekends, staff will lead optional excursions to nearby historical sites and museums, such as Etruscan tombs and the cities of Florence, Pisa, and also the Chianti Region. Accommodations are in a large historic villa located near the center of Montelupo, less than five minutes walking distance from cafes, grocery stores, shopping, and train service directly to Florence and beyond.

Cost: $3600 (does not include RT transportation to the site, tuition, $140 study abroad fee, $75 insurance).

Dates: June 26 – August 3, 2019
Contact: McKenzie Lewis (mcklewis@gmail.com)

For more information or to apply, please contact McKenzie Lewis at mcklewis@gmail.com or at (919)360-1903. See also http://www.villadelvergigno.org/.

LONDON, PARIS, BARCELONA

ARE/ART 3030: History of Architecture
ARE 4050: Modern Engineering Practice
6 credits
Study of Architectural History and Modern Engineering in London, Paris, and Barcelona. This 4-week program is intense and fun! We visit cathedrals, palaces, museums, skyscrapers, and working professionals. Many behind-the-scenes opportunities which tourists miss. Bring your sketchbooks and walking shoes! Participants should expect to walk up to 15 miles each day while seeing the sites of these cities.

Cost: Approx. $3300 (Includes accommodations, in-country transportation, excursions, most breakfasts, some group dinners. Does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: May-June 2019
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AUSTRALIA

AGEC 4980: Australia's Export-Led Agricultural Sector
3 credits

This abroad class combines agriculture and culture in an intensive three-week trip, starting in Brisbane and ending in Sydney. In between we will see whales in Byron Bay and wallabies in the outback. We will hike through a sub-tropical rain forest and see pink galahs flocking in the bush.

Students will expand their understanding of how Australian agriculture operates on the global stage. Talk to cattle station owners, earn how cotton, sugar and macadamia nut farmers look at global commodity markets, and gain new perspectives on agricultural production and world trade.

This class is mainly for students in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources, but any student with an interest in visiting agricultural operations in Australia is welcome.

Cost: $3000 (Includes accommodations, ground transportation and some meals. Does not include round-trip airfare, UW tuition and fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: August 1-23, 2019
Contact: Tom Foulke (foulke@uwyo.edu)

ENGLAND

LAW 6915: European Trade and Human Rights: The Brexit Crisis
3 credits

The purpose of the Cambridge Summer Law Institute (CSLI) is to provide students with the opportunity to study law at one of the pre-eminent institutions for international legal studies and bring Cambridge minds and ideas to students in an ideal learning atmosphere. For two weeks, students will explore international legal developments in the European Union (EU) up close (e.g., the Brexit Crisis) and study the impact of these developments on law and policy under the tutelage of leading experts in the field.

The program will take place at historic Sidney Sussex College (where Oliver Cromwell and John Harvard resided) in Cambridge, where students reside, dine and participate in lectures. The program will include short train rides into London to visit the U.K. Parliament and the renowned Inns of Court to observe first-hand the life of Barristers and the practice of law at the Royal Courts of Justice. A unique aspect of the CSLI program is the opportunity it provides for interaction with English judges, lawyers and students in the pubs and dining halls during this tumultuous time in British history.

Enrollment in this class is limited to students enrolled in the College of Law.

Cost: $2500 (does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $25 international travel insurance).

Dates: July 28 – August 11, 2019
Contact: Klint Alexander (klint.alexander@uwyo.edu); Darrell Jackson (darrell.jackson@uwyo.edu)

CHINA

CHIN 2041: Contemporary and Traditional Chinese Culture
3 credits + 9 transfer credits from Harbin Institute of Technology

Spend nine weeks during the summer in China to improve your language skills, learn about traditional culture and explore during academic excursion trips to Beijing, Shanghai, Zhe Jiang and Harbin. Live on campus with Chinese roommates, spend time with a home-stay family, try amazing food, do community service and intern with a local company to get firsthand experience. Earn 12 credits for UW Chinese minor program. Scholarships from both UW and Chinese central government are available to qualified students who enroll in this program.

This program is especially designed for students who have completed two years of Chinese at the college level or have a proficiency equivalent to two years of college level Chinese, as evaluated by the instructor. UW Chinese academic summer abroad program will create an unforgettable life changing experience and provide a new outlook on life.

Cost: $4000.00 (not including RT airfare, $140 study abroad fee, $125 international travel insurance, vaccinations, and UW tuition/fees).

Dates: May 15 – July 19, 2019
Contact: Yan Zhang (yzhang@uwyo.edu)
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NORTHERN IRELAND

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

Conflict Transformation and Social Justice
3 credits

International Summer School on Conflict Transformational and Social Justice Students will travel to Belfast, Northern Ireland to participate in the ‘International Summer School on Conflict Transformation and Social Justice’ hosted by the Mitchell Institute for Global Peace, Security and Justice at Queen’s University, Belfast. The Summer School provides the chance to examine the history of conflicts and processes of social justice not only on the island of Ireland but around the world. There will be exciting opportunities to hear first-hand accounts of the practical dimensions of conducting research in conflict zones and to debate the implications for policy and practice. Students are also given the opportunity to meet with some of Northern Ireland’s decision-makers - key politicians, church and community leaders. There are excursions to archaeological, historical and cultural sites in Belfast and beyond, with the opportunity to sample some traditional ‘craic’ with music and dance evenings.

Credit is earned through direct enrollment at Queens University and transferred back to UW.

Cost: £2600 (approx. $3500 USD) and includes the cost of tuition, field trips, cultural visits, transport and breakfast. Does not include airfare, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance.

Dates: June 24 – July 21, 2019
Contact: Nevin Aiken (naiken@uwyo.edu)

JAPAN

JAPN 2070: Conversational Japanese Abroad
4 credits

This is a four week, four credit summer language course in Japan. Through intensive classroom practice and guided interactions with Japanese people, students will develop listening and speaking skills relevant to daily life in Japan. During the final week, the class will travel to various important cultural centers, including Hiroshima, Miyajima and Osaka. Completion of JAPN 1020 required.

This class is open to anyone who has studied Japanese for at least one year at the college level.

Cost: $3600 (Includes airfare, in-country transportation, accommodations, excursions and some meals. Does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 20 – June 14, 2019
Contact: Noah Miles (nmiles1@uwyo.edu)

ECUADOR/GALÁPAGOS

HP 4152: Darwin, Natural History, and Galápagos
4 credits

The Galápagos are truly unique because of (1) their historical and contemporary importance to the development of evolutionary biology, starting with Darwin's visit in 1835 and continuing especially with the classical studies by Drs. Peter and Rosemary Grant and their colleagues on the ecology and evolution of Darwin's finches, (2) the extensive primary and secondary literature that we can draw from including numerous books (e.g., Darwin in Galápagos that follows Darwin's footsteps in the Galápagos and the Pulitzer-Prize winning The Beak of the Finch that chronicles the studies of the Grants and their students), and (3) there is no better place to see such a wide diversity of iconic species up-close in both remarkably pristine (97% of the Galápagos is protected in a National Park) and highly impacted habitats.

To take advantage of the extraordinary opportunities provided by the rich literature, research, and biodiversity, this 4-credit course will combine a seminar during spring 2019 (90-minute meetings each week) with a 2019 summer session expedition to Ecuador and the Galápagos Islands National Park.

A key component of the trip is that Greg Estes will lead us while on the islands. Greg is the co-author of Darwin in Galápagos: Footsteps to a New World, published in 2009 by Princeton University Press; we will use this book while in the Galápagos. Greg has over 35 years’ experience as a researcher and guide on the Galápagos and has consulted on numerous projects about Darwin and the Galápagos.

This class is open to all life/environmental science, and geology students, graduate and undergraduate, with priority registration given to students in the Honors College.

Cost: $6900 (Includes airfare, in-country transportation, accommodations, meals and excursions. Does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 28 – June 9, 2019
Contact: Scott Seville (sseville@uwyo.edu); Craig Benkman (cbenkman@uwyo.edu)
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KENYA

**ZOO 4900: Ecology and Conservation of African Savannas**

3 credits

This course will expose UW students to field practices in wildlife ecology and conservation. This course will provide unique learning opportunities to UW students that are not currently available to students on campus.

Students will gain hands-on experience in a number of field techniques including:

1) mammal trapping (small mammals, mongooses, jackals, genets);
2) bird and bat mist-netting;
3) camera trapping of large carnivores; and,
4) telemetry on radio-collared lions.

Students will learn techniques in collecting and assessing qualitative data through nominal groups and personal interviews. Students will gain an understanding of wildlife values, ideologies, and value orientations that are unique to the culture, economy, and history of central Kenya. Through lectures by Kenyan experts in savanna ecology, African wildlife, and human/wildlife interaction and management, students will gain an understanding of the challenges of conserving and managing wildlife in one of the most ecologically diverse places in the world.

In addition to the practical skills taught in this course, this course would provide a unique, one-of-a-kind experience through which our undergraduates not only are exposed to, but can participate in, ecological field research in an international setting.

This class is for juniors and seniors majority in Wildlife Management or Zoology.

Cost: $4200 approx. (Includes airfare, accommodations, in-country transportation, meals, excursions. Does not include UW tuition, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance.)

Dates: May 13-31, 2019

Contact: Jake Goheen (jgoheen@uwyo.edu)

NEPAL

**RNEW 4990/5990: Environmental Quality in the Himalayas**

3 credits

This course will take students to the interior of the third pole, the Nepalese Himalayas, to learn about environmental quality. The course will involve students from the University of Wyoming and Tribhuvan University in Kathmandu. The objective will be to experience and observe different aspects of the environment and its associated issues in Kathmandu Valley and high mountain setting as well as get acquainted with some of the key environmental challenges facing Nepal. Scientists from the University of Wyoming, California State University- Fresno, and Tribhuvan University will be instructors and mentors. Enrollees will spend a few days in Kathmandu Valley, known for its historic sites, ancient temples, religious shrines, and captivating villages. While in Kathmandu city, students will be able to encounter locals amidst Durbar Square's monuments or join trekkers in happening Thamel. Course activities in Kathmandu Valley include examination of municipal solid waste composting in Kathmandu city and tour of an exclusively women led waste recovery plant. Lessons learned in the field will closely be reinforced in lectures by some top scientists and practitioners.

Students will then travel to the picturesque town of Pokhara and then trek to Annapurna Conservation Area (ACA), where they will have the rare opportunity to interact with local people including Pun communities and their agricultural practices in Sikha village nestled at the foot of Dhaulagiri and Annapurna. Seven days trek will bring students through interior of temperate broad-leaved rain forest with breathtaking views of the tallest peaks in the world. The route will take students across the beautiful terraces in mountain slopes, world's deepest gorge, and to a holy temple of Muktinath in a hidden kingdom of Mustang to provide insight in man-nature interplay within the matchless beauty of Annapurna range and Kali Gandaki River basin.

The study will conclude with a field tour of deep gorges, magnificent lakes, and stunning view of the Himalayas from Pokhara and presentations by students in Kathmandu.

Prerequisites: junior, senior or graduate standing with 3.0 GPA or above.

Participation in this program requires several days of strenuous hiking while carrying a backpack at high elevations. Application deadline is February 15, 2019.

Estimated cost: $3,500 plus airfare, visa fee, tuition, International Study Abroad fee, and travel insurance. Scholarships are available for qualifying students.

Dates: May 20- June 6, 2019

Contact: Dr. Peter D. Stahl (unclem@uwyo.edu) or Dr. Mohan B. Dangi (mdangi@csufresno.edu)
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AUSTRALIA

ENR 4890/5890: Exploring Queensland’s Human and Physical Landscapes
3 credits

Travel to the Land Down Under on this 19-day field course and gain an understanding of the environmental, economic, political, and sociocultural issues that shape space, place, and society in one of Australia’s most populated and environmentally threatened coastal regions. Focusing on the dynamics of coupled natural and human systems, students will explore and apply a wide range of field techniques—observational, analytic, and interpretive—working with both UW course leaders and local experts. Field experiences will include the urban environs of Brisbane, the Sunshine Coast, and surrounding rural hinterlands, Glass House Mountains, Noosa Biosphere Reserve, Fraser Island, and the Lady Elliot Island Great Barrier Reef Coral Cay.

For more information, go to http://www.uwyo.edu/haub/academics/field-courses/australia/index.html

Open to all undergraduates (of junior standing and above) and graduate students, with no preference for specific student groups or majors.

Cost: $4,500 (Includes accommodations, in-country transportation, excursions. Does not include airfare, meals, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 19 – June 8, 2019
Contact: Jeff Hamerlinck (jeff.hamerlinck@uwyo.edu)

PERU

FCSC 4960: Textiles Field Study in Peru
1-3 credits

This interdisciplinary course is focused on multiple program areas within Family and Consumer Sciences. These include human development, apparel and textiles, and nutrition. It is our aim to focus the activities on socially-responsible practices within these three program areas. Peru offers many opportunities for students to observe international social services, as well as socially responsible and sustainable practices. Students will also be exposed to cultural experiences through visiting iconic destinations.

Family and Consumer majors and minors are encouraged to take this course, but all majors are welcome. This class will be beneficial to anyone with any interest or a related major to human development, apparel and textiles and nutrition.

Cost: $3,500 (Includes airfare from Denver, accommodations, some meals, in-country transportation, excursions. Does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $25 international travel insurance.)

Dates: TBD
Contact: Erin Irick (eirick@uwyo.edu); Alyssa McElwain (amcelwai@uwyo.edu)

MEXICO

REWM 4XXX/5XXX: Field Experience in Ecosystem Services of Baja California Sur, Mexico
2 credits

Field Experience in Ecosystem Services of Baja California Sur, Mexico Field and experiential-based understanding of 1) ecosystem services in Loreto, Baja, 2) how they relate to ecology, land-use policy, natural resources economics and culture, and 3) comparing the Loreto system to the sage-steppe system in Wyoming. Wyoming students will join and work with an approximately equal number of local students (from La Universidad Autónoma de Baja California Sur (UABCS) – Loreto campus) to promote cross-cultural exchange. Course will require some physical activity (e.g., hiking, digging, stooping, minor lifting).

This class is open to all majors, but has particular interest for all students in natural resources and biology-related majors.

Cost: $3,800 (Includes airfare, in-country transportation, entrance fees, excursions, accommodations and some meals. Does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $25 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 18 – June 1, 2019
Contact: Melanie Murphy (Melanie.murphy@uwyo.edu)
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GERMANY

GERM 3990: German Conversation
GERM 3150: German Culture and History
6 credits

The German Summer Study Abroad will explore major cultural sites through one week stays in Berlin, Karlsruhe, Dresden, and Bremen with additional Saturday trips to places like Straßburg, Heidelberg, Potsdam, and Prague. The program will encompass two courses: a German conversation course and a German culture and history course. The conversation course will heavily incorporate the advantage of being in Germany. The culture and history course and its afternoon cultural outings will be in English. Course registration will be possible only after acceptance into the program.

Students should have taken at least German 1010 (1020 is preferable) or have had at least one year of high school German (2 years are preferable).

Cost: $3000 (Includes accommodations, meals, in-country transportation, excursions and entrance fees; does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Contact: Rebecca Steele (rsteele4@uwyo.edu)

GHANA

HP XXXX: Ghana Culture and Society
3 credits

This is an immersive cultural experience, modeled after the experiences of anthropological fieldwork and Peace Corps service. Led by an Africanist anthropologist and his Ghanaian wife, students will be challenged to live differently for two weeks. From the capital city of Accra, to the rural town of Dodowa, to the slave castle town of Cape Coast, students will get out of their comfort zones in order to participate in forms of eating, greeting, helping, trusting, singing, arguing, traveling, and sleeping that will feel foreign to them but that are part-and-parcel of this ex-British colony. Excursions include a visit the slave castles in Cape Coast, the burial site of famed black civil rights activist, W.E.B. DuBois, and the West African ocean beach.

Cost: $2200 (includes accommodations, in-country transportation, meals, entry fees. Does not include airfare [approx. $1800], UW tuition/fees for 3 credits, vaccinations, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: June 6-18, 2019
Contact: Marcus Watson (drdubois@uwyo.edu)

ISREAL

RELI 4960: International Field Course: Israel and the Middle East
1-6 credits

Introduces students to the religions, history and contemporary dynamics of Judaism, Christianity and Islam—in Israel, with side trips to neighboring states. Visit historic and sacred sites and meet with contemporary leaders in Jerusalem, Galilee, and throughout Israel. Tours and lectures analyze the origins and development of three major religions that arose in the Middle East: Judaism, Christianity and Islam, as well as traditions such as Baha’i and Druze and others (such as LDS) with a presence in Israel. Spend time in Jerusalem, the eternal city, and “non-stop” Tel Aviv.

Experience the peace of the Jewish Sabbath. Schedule permitting, visit an active archaeological site. Travel in Israel provides an outstanding opportunity to understand the basic principles, historical development, political and cultural context, and structure of each religion and to encounter religious festivals and observances. Program will reflect interests of participants to the extent possible. Student, faculty, staff, community all welcome.

Cost: $3100 (includes in-country transportation, accommodations, most meals, entry fees. Does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 22 – June 12, 2019
Contact: Seth Ward (sward@uwyo.edu)
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FRANCE

AGEC 4280: Food and Farm Culture in France
3 credits
A month-long study abroad experience offered in conjunction with the École Supérieure d’Agriculture (ESA) in Angers [pronounced (awn-jay’)], France http://www.groupe-esas.com/accueil-rubrique-anglais-11228.kjsp?RH=GESA. Each year, a group of 5-10 UW students travel to France with a UW faculty member to study European agriculture for one month. All classes and field-trips are taught in English, but students also get to learn and practice basic French one hour each weekday. Students attend classes during regular school hours (to earn 3 upper-division credits through UW), but also participate in numerous field trips to agricultural operations and agri-businesses, where they learn about the French agricultural system and see it in action.

Our primary audience is students with agricultural majors. However, students with interests in economics and food production/science will also be interested. Students who have not had an international experience will find this program an especially good way to get some in-depth international experience.

Cost: $2500 (includes in-country transportation, excursions, accommodations and some meals; does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).
Dates: June 1-30, 2019
Contact: Tom Foulke (foulke@uwyo.edu); Kristi Hansen (Kristi.hansen@uwyo.edu)

JAPAN

HP 2151: Modern Japanese Society and Culture
3 credits
This course introduces students to modern Japanese culture and society. After a day at the Laramie campus; students travel to the campus of Kobe College, in Nishinomiya, Japan. Through observing Japanese culture and people, readings of literary and scholarly texts, and their own research, students will come to understand how the Japanese view themselves.

Field trips take students to nearby Osaka, Nara, Kyoto, Kobe, and Hiroshima. While at Kobe College, students live at Kenwood House, a Kobe College facility. Students will have the opportunity to interact with Kobe College students: They will have a chance to practice their English and provide first-hand information about modern Japan. Students will have a three-day home stay with a Japanese family.

Students in the Honors College have priority enrollment in this class.

Cost: $3200 (includes airfare, in-country transportation, accommodations, excursions, entrance fees and some meals. Does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $25 international travel insurance).
Dates: May 20 – June 7, 2019
Contact: Noah MilEs (nmiles1@uwyo.edu)

JORDAN/ISREAL

UWYO 4000: Olive Tree Initiative: Middle East
3 credits
The Olive Tree Initiative is an award winning student-centered experiential learning initiative that seeks to provide knowledge about the conflict in the Middle East beyond what is available through second-hand information and mainstream media by having students travel to the area to experience and see things first hand.

The cornerstone of the OTI student experience is group travel and on-the-ground exposure to the people, politics and realities of the Middle East. OTI has developed a robust model of Experiential Education that combines an intensive study-abroad trip with extensive pre-trip education. As a result of the OTI experience, students return to campus more educated, more nuanced in their thinking, and empowered with skills to inspire others through education and action. OTI’s trips are unique in that they allow students to actively engage with politicians, community leaders and leading academic experts from all sides of a regional conflict. In addition, students hear from and discuss the perspectives of various non-governmental organizations (NGOs), religious leaders, and victims of the conflict, in order to acquire a comprehensive view of the often difficult reality experienced by people living in the region. Crossing physical and psychological borders daily, students are constantly confronted with diverging impressions, narratives and perspectives. Each night the group gathers to discuss, debate and reflect on the day’s experiences. They gain a holistic understanding of the conflict regions and return home to share their experiences with their communities.

This class is open to all interested students.

Cost: $6000 (Program fee is paid directly to the Olive Tree Initiative and includes airfare [New York – Amman; Jerusalem – New York], all in-country transportation, all excursions, all accommodations, all meals. Does not include $140 study abroad fee).
Dates: July 21 – August 9, 2019
Contact: Nevin Aiken (naiken@uwyo.edu)
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ENGLAND/ITALY

HP 4153: Shakespeare in England and Italy
3 credits

The class considers the language and themes of Shakespeare and helps students understand how he sets up stories, conflicts, and relationships that continue to speak to us powerfully. One of Shakespeare’s themes is performance: what does it mean to put on a performance, to perform for each other, to play a role, to understand life itself as a kind of theatre. And of course Shakespeare wrote for his plays to be performed. Accordingly, we will explore how performing the plays helps us understand and bring to life deeply embedded aspects of Shakespeare’s scripts. In the process, we will consider how specific decisions that directors, actors, and designers make in performance help shape the meaning of Shakespeare’s plays today.

Another major Shakespearean cluster of themes is travel, exploration, and cross-cultural encounter. Shakespeare expressed his interest in cross-cultural encounters partly by setting so many of his plays in Italy. We ourselves will be engaging in cross-cultural encounter by going from the United States to England to Italy. We will study this process in Shakespeare’s plays and in our own lives: why do people travel? What do they see in the new places they encounter? How does the experience of a new city or country help you understand your own city or country differently? How does it help you understand yourself differently?

As part of our course, you will read and watch seven or eight Shakespeare plays; you will do some short supplemental readings; you will write responses and analyses on what you see and read; and you will do a final design portfolio and a final paper.

Priority enrollment in this class goes to students in the Honors College.

Cost (Approximate and subject to change): $3500 (does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 9 – June 9, 2019
Contact: Peter Parolin (parolin@uwyo.edu)

SPAIN

SPAN 3070: Intensive Spanish Abroad (3 credits)
SPAN 4600: The Origins of Spanish (3 credits)
SPAN 4200: Intro to Research (3 credits)

Visit Spain and learn about how the Spanish language was born, mixed with other languages, and expanded to America, all while you share life with a Spanish family.

Through the study of linguistic communication and competence daily, students will be more able to integrate in the local culture, which will be enhanced by staying with a family. Furthermore, participants will be learning about the three cultures that coexisted in early Spain, their languages. They will also learn how languages mixed and why some have disappeared while other have not. Participants will also learn about the role of language to build an imperium.

Both undergraduate and graduate credit are available.

Prerequisites: Completion of at least 2 years of Spanish.

Cost: $3000 (approximate) Includes in-country transportation, excursions, some meals, accommodations. Does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 insurance.

Dates: June 12 – July 13, 2019
Contact: Irene Checa-Garcia (Irene.checa@uwyo.edu)
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FINLAND

EDCI 5070 / EDST 2475 / POLS 4875/5875 / INST 4990/5990: Topics in Comparative Education Policy
3 credits

Finland is widely recognized as having a high achieving educational system. Its students consistently rank near the top international comparisons, certainly above those from the United States. How does the Finnish educational model work in contrast to the American one? To what extent are these differences ones of values or broader social structures, rather than what happens in classrooms? What elements of the Finnish system should the US seek to adopt?

After a week of class in Wyoming reading and talking about these questions, we will travel to Finland for 8 days. While there we will tour elementary and high schools, talk with educators, and visit a nature educational program. We will also set aside time to learn about Finnish culture and history, including a tour of Helsinki, time in the Finnish National Museum, a visit to the famous Market Square, and a stroll through the Suomenlinna Fortress (A UNESCO World Heritage site). This course is ideal for students majoring in education, political science, and global and area studies.

The course will be led by Dr. Brent Pickett, professor of political science, and Dr. Oksana Wasilik, academic professional lecturer at UW-Casper.

Cost: $2800 (Includes in-country transportation, accommodations, entry fees, some meals; does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees; $140 study abroad fee; $25 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 24 – June 2, 2019
Contact: Brent Pickett (bpick@uwyo.edu); Oksana Wasilik (oksana@uwyo.edu)

AUSTRALIA

HP 4152: Walkabout Down Under
3 credits

In this exciting new opportunity, students will develop an awareness of Australian landscapes and ways of being through direct experience. The sights, sounds, smells, tastes, and feel of being in Australia will augment readings, online presentations, and interactions with a wide variety of people in different settings. The group will become more mindful of relating to the landscape, bird and other animal sounds, the stars of the southern night sky, and dreaming through experiences with city life in Sydney, Darwin, and Katherine, the annual Barunga Festival, and a direct outback immersion with Australia's Aboriginal people. The group will learn about Aboriginal Dreaming, Creation Story, and Spiritual Law from visiting sacred rock art sites and listening to stories and songs with Wardaman elder Bill Harney, one of Australia’s national treasures. We will camp on traditional land and celebrate a showcase of the very best of remote Australian Indigenous community life: music, sport and culture.

Course instructor Paul Taylor will draw on his over forty years of living, working, and visiting in the Northern Territory to guide and enrich the entire course.

Priority enrollment is for students within the Honors College.

Cost: $5000 (Includes airfare, most meals, in-country transportation. Does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance, Australian Electronic Travel Authorization (ETA) $20).

Dates: June 3-18, 2019
Contact: Paul Taylor (pauldidj@uwyo.edu)
ENGLAND/FRANCE

HP 4152: War!
3 credits
This study abroad course engages broadly in the topic of war. Students will visit key locations of WWI and WWII in England and France, and consider contemporary issues related to these global wars. Most of the required readings will focus on World War I, and students will select additional materials according to their interests. This course considers multiple domains and perspectives:

• Literature & Memoirs
• Medicine, Nursing & Health Care
• Rehabilitation, Disability & Veterans
• Socio-cultural Representations, Effects, and Responses to War

Students within the Honors College have priority registration for this class.

Cost: $3500 (Includes airfare, accommodations, in-country travel, excursions, some meals. Does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 20 – June 10, 2019
Contact: Donal Skinner (dcs@uwyo.edu)

ENGLAND/GERMANY

Worlds of Wonder: Beauty, Power, and Meaning in Urban Culture and the Modern Museum
6 credits
Museums display the world's treasures but also tell stories of plundering, power, and resistance. Oxford, London and Berlin boast museums that are among the oldest, richest, and most popular in the world. These cities are also at the center of contemporary art production, as seen in galleries, auction houses and vibrant street art communities. This class examines the history and practice of museums, investigating how the collection, interpretation, and display of objects has come to hold such fascination and influence in the modern world. It also investigates how artists engage, interact with, and challenge established cultural institutions, adding new voices and challenging dominant cultural narratives. Site visits will include major museums, galleries, auction houses, artists' studios, and street art sites.

Priority registration will be given to Honors students. The course will also fulfill upper-division requirements for History, Art and Art History, and Museum Studies students but all students are welcome and encouraged to apply.

Cost: $3200 (Includes accommodations, in-country transport, transfer from London to Berlin, all entrance fees and excursions, some meals. Does not include airfare, UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: May 19 – June 7, 2019
Contact: Isadora Helfgott (ihelfgot@uwyo.edu); Brandon Gellis (bgellis@uwyo.edu)

SCOTLAND

HP 4156: Scottish Rural Spaces: From Ancient Fields and Forests to Modern Food Systems
6 credits
Students will be introduced to ancient and modern Scotland through extensive travel in the Borderlands, Highlands, Aberdeenshire, and Fife. You will talk with a range of experts from archivist to livestock geneticists on topics ranging from the design of Sir Walter Scott's gardens to the prevention of food system crimes. You will be exposed to the food, music, textiles and culture of Scotland then and now. The course is scheduled to conclude at the Royal Highland Show, a celebration of Scottish food, agriculture, and heritage.

All students are welcome, with priority registration given to those in the Honors College.

Cost: Approx. $4000 (Includes airfare, accommodations, in-country transportation, some meals, excursions. Does not include UW tuition/fees, $140 study abroad fee, $50 international travel insurance).

Dates: June 1-24, 2019
Contact: Mariah Ehmke (mariah.ehmke@uwyo.edu)