University of Northern Iowa

Study Abroad Newsletter

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Upcoming Events!

Know Before You Go (KBYG)

March 26, 2010 from 2:30 –5:30

A mandatory Study Abroad Orientation for all Spring 2010 study abroad participants. The Know Before You Go consists of guest speakers and paperwork finalization. You will receive important information about financial aid, health, and much more.

Important Deadlines and Opportunities

Scholarship Opportunity:

Australian, CEA-Way, ISA Direct, Academic Programs International (API), IFSA– Butler University, and Marshall Scholarships.

Application Deadline: March 15, 2010

http://www.uni.edu/studyabroad/downloads/Scholarships/AffiliateScholarships.pdf

SIT Study Abroad:

This program provides students with Pell Grants opportunities to study abroad. For more information go to http://www.sit.edu/studyabroad/

GLS Study Abroad Scholar Awards:

$1,500 award for students going abroad for a semester during Fall 2010 or Spring 2011.

For more information visit http://www.globalsemesters.com/takischrysanthou.html.

Holiday Highlight!

St. Patrick's Day— This Irish holiday, celebrated on March 17, honors the man himself Saint Patrick. It is both a religious holiday and a chance to celebrate and be merry. People donate to missionaries and go to mass on this day but also gather together in pubs and restaurants. Make sure to wear green or you may get pinched!

PROGRAM OF THE WEEK:

ISC Paris School of Management

Notre Dame de Paris (Our Lady of Paris) — Remember the childhood movie, *The Hunchback of Notre Dame*, well now you can turn your dreams into reality and visit the real life Notre Dame.

SUMMER 2010 LUXURY PRODUCTS MANAGEMENT

Students will cover subjects such as high class fashion, the luxury wine industry, watches and jewelry, and understanding auctions.

This program allows participants to meet with executives of Louis Vuitton, L'Oreal, and Chanel among others to learn about the inner workings of the most successful fashion houses in the world.

It is 3 credits and class work consists of case studies, simulations, group work, and active learning to help students learn and understand the luxury industry.

Deadline: May 15th, 2010

AREA SITES IN PARIS

Louvre Museum — Walk the same hallways as the King of France, in one of the Worlds largest museums, which was formerly a palace.

Palace of Versailles— Versailles can house nearly 5,000 people and is one of the most ornate palaces in the world. Within the structure, there is an amazing hall of mirrors, called the Gallery of Mirrors, and visitors can explore the beautiful French gardens that surround the palace.

Fête de la Musique — This festival provides all of the essentials for a fun time. It is free to the public and visitors can walk the streets of Paris listening to every type of music under the sun.

Exciting Sites To See Abroad

Country: New Zealand
City: Auckland
University: Auckland University of Technology

Country: Australia
City: Newcastle
University: University of Newcastle

Country: South Africa
City: Port Elizabeth
University: Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University

Country: Brazil
City: Brasilia
University: University of Brasilia

Country: Czech Republic
City: Prague
University: Dartmore University

Country: Korea
City: Asian
University: Soonchunhyang University

Last Chance! Summer Programs Still Available!

Capstone in London and Paris
May 10 to May 24
Educational Psychology in Turkey
Two weeks in May
Global Skills in China
June 2 to June 23
Holocaust Studies in Poland
mid May to mid June
Capstone in Costa Rica
May 9 to May 23
Capstone in Russia
mid May to late June
Capstone in London
May 10 to May 25
Psychology in London and Barcelona
May 19 to June 3
Socio-Economic Capstone in Nicaragua
May 11to May 22

Turn Your Summer into an Adventure!

STUDY ABROAD MYTHS

Myth: When I go abroad, I will stick out as being an American.
Fact: Like America, countries around the world are advocating for study abroad and are becoming more receptive to other religions, cultures, and backgrounds. Not only will you be learning about the other cultures, but you will have the chance to teach others about yours. When you take the leap and go abroad; you will find out that a lot of different countries will be represented in your classes, neighborhood, and during your travels.

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