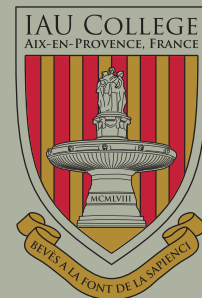




WCU/IAU CO-SPONSORED PROGRAM J-TERM TRAVELING SEMINAR

FRANCE • MOROCCO • GIBRALTAR • SPAIN
JANUARY 6-24, 2013



ACADEMIC OVERVIEW

WCU and IAU College's co-sponsored January Term (J-Term) Traveling Seminar is designed for students interested in an academic and cultural experience in France, Morocco, Gibraltar and Spain. The academic component consists of a series of briefings from leading European academic, literary and political personalities and experts on the European relationship with the Islamic world. Participants will spend 18 nights in 12 cities and will attend daily lectures and meetings with distinguished scholars from WCU and IAU in addition to local guides and experts in the field of politics, French, Spanish, art history, history and culture. Special emphasis will be placed on the importance of North African immigration to Europe and its current socio-cultural implications.

COURSES

STUDENTS CAN CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- **Art History 395:** Classical Islam and the European Renaissance
- **Cross Cultural Studies 395:** Jews, Muslims and Christians in Europe and the Islamic World
- **French 395:** Cultural History of France and the Islamic World
- **History 395:** The Cultural History of Europe and the Islamic World
- **Political Science 395:** European Politics and the Islamic World
- **Spanish 395:** Cultural History of Spain and the Islamic World

SITES VISITED

- **France:** Paris, Aix-en-Provence and Marseille • **Morocco:** Marrakesh, Casablanca and Rabat
- **Gibraltar** • **Spain:** Sevilla, Granada, Toledo, Cordoba and Madrid

PROGRAM FEES

The program fee is \$3,950 and includes:

- Tuition for 3 credits • Lodging in 3 and 4 star hotels • Breakfast each day and 11 dinners
- Entrance fees to all museums and guest lecture venues • Intra-European/African transportation to and from each city • Medical insurance

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						Jan. 5 Depart the U.S. for Paris, France
Jan. 6 Begin in Paris • Paris architecture lecture • Bastille, Hotel de Ville and Notre Dame visits	Jan. 7 Paris • Lectures on French history and immigration • NGO lecture • Latin Quarter	Jan. 8 Paris • National Assembly • Institut du Monde Arabe • Café de la Mosquee	Jan. 9 Paris • American Embassy lecture • Lecture by famous Algerian author Yasmina Kadra	Jan. 10 Aix • Train to Aix-en-Provence • Visit to IAU College and lecture on France and North Africa	Jan. 11 Aix & Marseille • Tour of Marseille and visit to American Consulate • Lecture and reception at IAU College on the EU	Jan. 12 Marrakech • Flight to Marrakech • Walking Medina Tour • Lecture with famous Spanish author in exile, Juan Goytisolo
Jan. 13 Marrakech • Visit to Kutubia Mosque and Minaret • Lecture on Morocco and Spain	Jan. 14 Casablanca (daytrip) • Lecture with famous journalist, Abubakr Jamaï • City tour of the Hassan II Mosque • Depart for Rabat	Jan. 15 Rabat • Tour of Rabat including the Government Palace and Embassy row • Lecture by famous Moroccan author, Abdelilah Hamdouchi	Jan. 16 Algeciras • Daytrip to Tangiers and Hydrofoil to Algeciras • Lecture on the Spanish-Moroccan treaty	Jan. 17 Gibraltar (daytrip) and Sevilla • Depart for Gibraltar • Tour of top of the Rock • Lecture on Gibraltar • Travel to Sevilla	Jan. 18 Sevilla • Tour through Jewish quarter, the Cathedral and Reales Alcázares • Lectures on Spain	Jan. 19 Córdoba (daytrip) and Granada • Depart for Córdoba • Tour to La Mezquita de Córdoba and the Central Cathedral • Depart for Granada
Jan. 20 Granada • Tour of central Cathedral and Palace of the Alhambra and the Generalife • Lecture on Imperialism	Jan. 21 Toledo & Madrid • Depart for Toledo • Tour through Central Cathedral, Jewish temple, San Juan de los Reyes and El Greco museum • Depart for Madrid	Jan. 22 Madrid • Tour of city center and Plaza Mayor • Lectures on Spain in the EU and Spanish civil war	Jan. 23 Madrid • Visit to Prado Museum • Flamenco show • Farewell Dinner	Jan. 24 Conclude in Madrid • Program Conclusion • Depart Madrid according to individual schedules		

ITINERARY SUMMARY

• Paris: 4 nights • Aix-en-Provence: 2 nights • Marseille day trip • Marrakech: 2 nights • Rabat: 2 nights • Casablanca day trip • Algeciras: 1 night
• Gibraltar day trip • Sevilla: 2 nights • Cordoba day trip • Granada: 2 nights • Toledo day trip • Madrid: 3 nights

Total – 18 nights and 12 cities