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London

Short-term Faculty-led Study Away Program • 2nd Block Spring • May 19 - June 2, 2013

Course Name: **Criminal Justice Across the Pond - London 2013**

Course Number: **CRM 420**
(Prerequisites: CRM 210, CRM 320, and permission of Instructor)

Credit Hours: **3** undergraduate

Course Overview & Objectives:

This course will offer a comparative and historical study of the origins of law, crime rates, and the structure and operation of the criminal justice system in England. Included is the study of criminal and juvenile law, police, courts and the corrections system.

The travel component of this program will allow students to observe first-hand the workings of the English criminal justice system. Students will also be exposed to cultural values that differentiate our criminal justice systems (e.g., views on gun possession by the public and the police).

Program Fee: **\$3,000**

Program Fee Includes: Round-trip airfare, land transportation in England, admission, supplies, lodging, some meals, Study Away student fee and basic medical insurance.

Program Fee Excludes: Passport, ground transportation in Springfield, meals not provided per itinerary, incidentals/misc. personal expenses, and souvenirs. \$601.44 MSU tuition for 3 hours of undergraduate credit. Both Missouri residents and non-residents pay the Mo. resident per-credit-hour tuition rate, per University policy.

Applications are due by February 1, 2013.

A **nonrefundable deposit of \$450 will be billed to your student account.** Please see Application & Payment Procedures for MSU and Visiting Students on reverse.

Scholarship Eligibility & Financial Aid

Study Away scholarship funds in variable amounts up to \$2,000 are available to students studying abroad during winter intersession 2013, spring 2013, and summer 2013 terms. The scholarship is need-based for full-time, degree-seeking students with a minimum 3.0 GPA applying for an approved Study Away program. This may be a semester, summer, or short-term faculty led program offered during the terms listed above. Students must complete the application by February 19, 2013 to apply funds to this program.

Application Due:

February 1, 2013

Pre-travel Class Meetings

See back of this sheet.

Depart Springfield for London:

May 19, 2013

Depart London for Springfield:

June 2, 2013

Interested in going?

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Course Schedule & Itinerary

The course will consist of ten (10) hours of classroom contact prior to departure (as outlined below), and approximately 30-40 hours of supervised educational and cultural activities while in London.

PRE-TRAVEL CLASS MEETINGS

March 19, 2013: Course introduction and comparative criminal justice.

March 26, 2013: English cultural heritage, government, and criminal law.

April 2, 2013: Policing in England. Exam 1, 50 points.

April 9, 2013: The English Judicial System. Exam 2, 50 points.

April 16, 2013: The English Correctional System. Exam 3, 50 points.

April 23, 2013: Dealing with Terrorism and Juvenile Justice in England. Exam 4, 50 points.

April 30, 2013: Perspectives of experienced Study Away students. Exam 5, 50 points.

May 7, 2013: Perspectives of experienced Study Away students.

STUDY TOUR

Course itinerary is subject to change.

May 19, 2013: Evening departure for London from Springfield.

May 20, 2013: Arrive at London Heathrow around noon, transport by coach to Windsor for walking tour, return to hotel for Welcome Dinner.

May 21, 2013: Day trip by coach to Oxford University, Stratford, and Warwick Castle.

May 22, 2013: Legal Studies Walk, then a free afternoon.

May 23, 2013: Visit the Supreme Court and Magistrate's Court.

May 24-26, 2013: Free weekend.

May 27, 2013: Visit HM Prison Pentonville.

May 28, 2013: Visit HM Prison Wormwood Scrubs.

May 29, 2013: Visit Crown Court, free afternoon, Jack the Ripper Tour.

May 30, 2013: Visit New Scotland Yard.

May 31, 2013: Day trip by coach to Cambridge University.

June 1, 2013: Free day, Medieval Banquet 7 p.m.

June 2, 2013: Transport by coach to Heathrow around noon for return flight, arrive in Springfield around 8 p.m.

Course Credit & Requirements

Students must fulfill the following academic requirements:

- Attend scheduled meetings before, during, and after the trip.
- Attend all lectures, presentations, and relevant educational excursions provided during the trip.
- Participate fully in assigned activities.
- Participate in a post-trip focus group to share feelings about the trip, discuss strengths/weaknesses, improvements for future trips, etc.
- Maintain a daily reflection journal during the trip

Assessment of Learning

Grades will be assigned based on five pre-trip exams along with a required journal. The exams will be fifty (50) points each. The journal will serve as a reflection exercise, with entries required for each of the ten week days during the trip. Each of the ten journal entries will be worth twenty-five (25) points and must be submitted electronically the following day (e.g., on Tuesday for Monday activities). A total of five hundred (500) points will be available in the course.

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| • Journal Entries | 50% |
| • Exams | 50% |

Required Text: *Criminal Justice in England and the United States*, 2nd edition Hirschel, Wakefield, and Sasse (2008). ISBN: 978-0-7637-4112-9

Application & Payment Procedures

Missouri State University students and others who are approved by a Program Director may apply. Instructions are included on the program application.

MSU Students: A non-refundable deposit of **\$450** will be billed to your University account upon application (deadline Feb. 1, 2013). You will receive a second billing on March 1, 2013 and a final billing on April 1, 2013, for the balance of the program fee (\$2,550). MSU course tuition (\$601.44) will be billed to your University account and is due according to the university payment plan.

Visiting Students: A non-refundable deposit of **\$450** (check or money order) must accompany your application (deadline Feb. 1, 2013). A check or money order for the **balance of the program fee (\$2,550) will be due by April 1, 2013**. MSU course tuition (\$601.44) will be billed to your University account and is due according to the University payment plan.

IN ORDER TO ENSURE PARTICIPATION IN THIS STUDY AWAY PROGRAM, THE ENTIRE AMOUNT OF THE PROGRAM FEE MUST BE RECEIVED BY MAY 10, 2013. PAYMENT CAN BE MADE ONLINE OR AT THE BURSAR'S OFFICE.

Estimated program fees are based on rates in effect on the publication date of this flyer and may be subject to change. Program participants agree to a potential increase of up to 10% if rates increase before or during travel.

Cancellation & Refund Policies

- Students who withdraw prior to April 8, 2013 will receive a refund of fees paid, less the \$450 deposit and any non-refundable purchases made on his/her behalf.
- If a student is forced to withdraw after April 8, 2013 or a bona fide medical reason, s/he will receive a refund of fees paid, less the \$450 deposit and expenses. A certificate of incapacitating illness or injury from a licensed physician is required.
- Students withdrawing voluntarily after April 8, 2013, or withdrawing due to medical reasons not protected under the fees refund policy, receive no refund.
- Once the program has started, no refunds will be issued under any circumstances.
- All notifications of withdrawal must be made in writing and sent to the Program Director and Director of Study Away Programs at the Study Away Office, Jim D. Morris Center, Suite 403. Non-payment of fees does not guarantee automatic withdrawal.
- This program will be cancelled if enrollment is fewer than 13 participants. In this event, MSU students will receive a full refund.



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