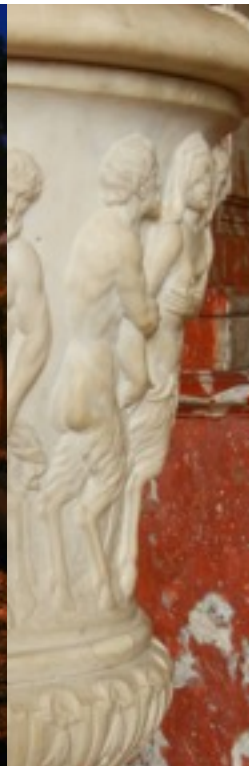


Xavier University Intercession

Seminar in Paris & Brussels
May 13- 27, 2017

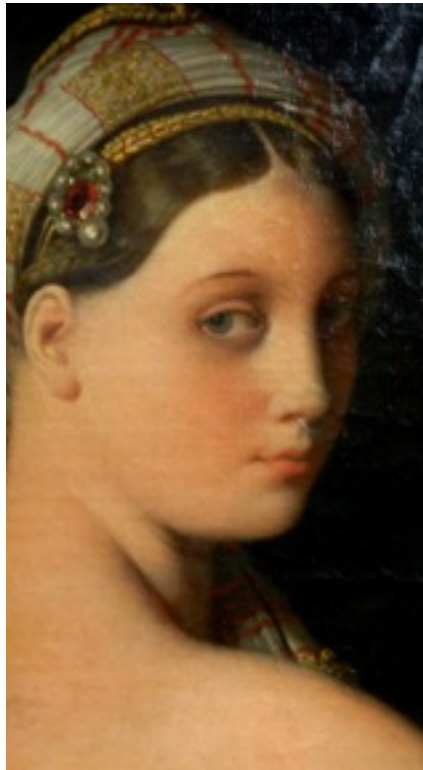


"If you are lucky enough to have lived in Paris as a young man, then wherever you go for the rest of your life, it stays with you, for Paris is a movable feast."- Ernest Hemingway

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This unique program brings together faculty and students from the University of Paris with students from Xavier to discuss relations between the United States and Europe. Topics include Economic Policy, Environmental Issues, Church – State relations, Federalism, International Relations, and International Law.

The seminar will meet each day from May 13-23 at St. John's University where we are staying from 9am- noon. After the seminar, there will be a chance to study the art and architecture of Paris with on sight visits led by Prof. Erikson. A weekend trip to Versailles has also been scheduled.



From May 24-27, we will travel to Brussels to meet with US Representatives from NATO and the EU.

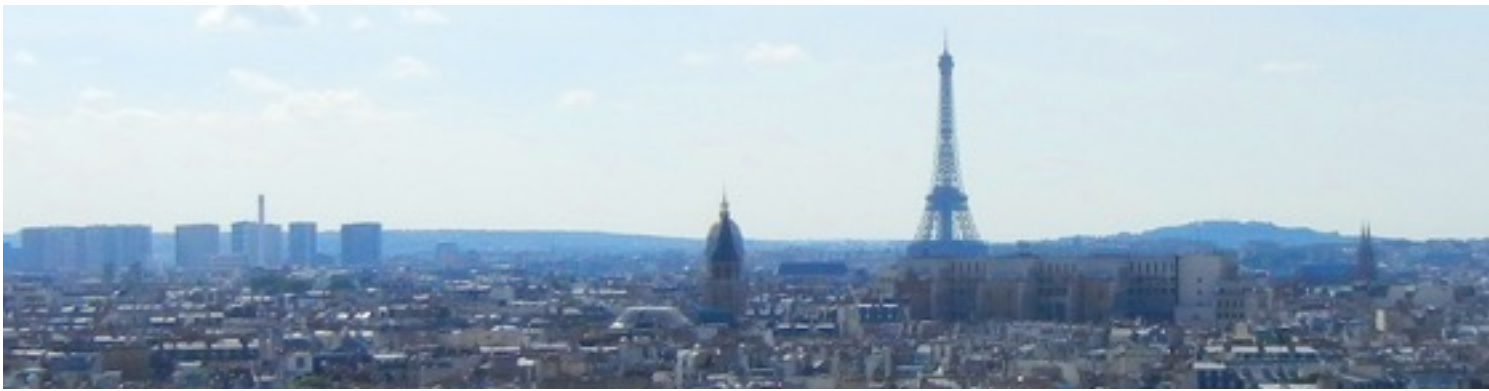
Students who successfully complete the course will receive three credits in either philosophy or political science as well as three credits in Fine Arts.

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Saturday 13 May

Depart for Paris from Cincinnati (CVG)
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Chicago 400P 420P
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Paris 555P 910A+1

Sunday 14 May

Arrival in Paris, CDG 9:00am
Transfer to Dormitory in St. Germaine des
Pres, check in Orientation,
Neighborhood Walk, Dinner (served
between 6:45 pm-8:45pm)

Monday 15 May

Breakfast (served daily between 6:45am
– 8:45am)
Depart for University 8:45am
Introduction 9am-noon
L'universalisme occidental ("Western
Universalism")
Professors Chantal Delsol and Antoine
Assaf
Lunch with students and faculty from the
University of Paris: noon-1:30pm
Meeting at US Embassy 2-3pm:
debriefing with State Department
officials; career opportunities in the
foreign service
Visit: Arc de Triomphe and Champs-
Élysées, 3-5pm
Dinner: 6:45 pm-8:45pm

Tuesday 16 May

Breakfast 6:45am – 8:45am
Depart for University 8:45am
9-noon: Centralisme et fédéralisme : les
organisations politiques (Centralism and
Federalism: The political organizations),
Prof. Gaëlle Demelemestre
Lunch with students and faculty from the
University of Paris: noon-2pm
2pm – 5pm Architectural Visit: Notre Dame
Cathedral, Hotel de Ville, the Marais,
Place des Vosges
Dinner 6:45 pm-8:45pm

Wednesday 17 May

Breakfast served daily between 6:45am –
8:45am
Depart for University 8:15am
9-noon: Ecologie et développement
durable (Ecology and Sustainable
Development)
Professor Bertrand Alliot
Lunch with students and faculty from the
University of Paris: noon-2pm
Musée D'orsay, Guided Visit with Prof.
Erikson 2:15pm-3:45pm
Dinner 6:45 pm-8:45pm

Thursday 18 May

Breakfast 6:45am – 8:45am
Depart for University 8:45am
9-noon: Culture and education -- Professor
Catherine Mayaux
Noon-2pm: Lunch with students and faculty
from the University of Paris
2:15pm-3:45pm Guided visit to Invalides
(4-6pm optional visit to Rodin Museum, with
Prof. Erikson)
Dinner: 6:45 pm-8:45pm

Friday 19 May

Breakfast 6:45am – 8:45am
Depart for University 8:45am
9-noon: Politiques commerciales et
protectionnisme (Politics, Commercialism,
and Protectionism), Professor Françoise
Nicolas
FREE AFTERNOON (optional visit to
Orangerie with Prof. Erikson)
Dinner 6:45 pm-8:45pm

Saturday 20 May

Breakfast 6:45am – 8:45am
Visit and tour of the Louvre Museum with
Prof. Erikson, 11:30am -3pm
FREE AFTERNOON (optional boat ride on
the Seine River)
Dinner with Prof. Terence Marshall 6:45pm
followed by Lecture/Discussion with
Professor Terence Marshall 7:30-8:30pm.
Topic: The French and American
Revolutions

Sunday 21 May

Breakfast 6:45am – 8:45am
Depart for Versailles, 9am. Visit Chateau
and Gardens 10am – 2pm.
Dinner with Prof. Edith Taieb at authentic
French Restaurant 7pm. Prof. Taieb will
introduce you to French Cuisine.

Monday 22 May

Breakfast 6:45am – 8:45am
Depart for University 8:45am
9-noon: Regards croisés (ce que chaque
pays pense de l'autre), National
misperceptions: France and America,
Professor Philippe Mahrer
FREE AFTERNOON
Picnic Dinner in St Germaine des Pres
Gardens 5-6pm
Depart for Opera Garnier 6:30pm
Evening at the Ballet, 7:30pm – 9:45pm

Tuesday 23 May

Breakfast (6:45am – 8:45am)
Depart for University 8:45am
9-noon: Etats-Unis d'Amérique, Etats-
Unis d'Europe, (United States of
America, United States of Europe),
Professor Joanna Nowicki
FREE AFTERNOON (Optional visit to
Montmartre and Sacre Cour with
Professor Erikson)
Dinner 6:45 pm-8:45pm



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Wednesday 24 May

Breakfast served daily between 6:45am – 8:45am

Depart for University 8:15am

9-noon: Libéralisme et laïcité (Liberalism and Secularism)

Professors Laurent Godmer, David Smadja

2-5pm: Guided visit and discussion of French Social Welfare System with Prof. Brian Schiff, American University of Paris;

Dinner (6:45 pm-8:45pm)

Thursday 25 May

Breakfast 6:45am – 8:45am

Bus ride to Brussels 9:15am

Arrive in Brussels 11:45am

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch in Brussels

14:00 -14:30 Ice breaker and presentation of participants

14:30 - 15:30 Presentation of WYA in Europe – through the 'Sophia Project'

15:30 - 16:00 Coffee break

16:00 - 17:30 Decision making process at the EU institutions, Speech and Q&A, Francois Jacob, WYA E Director

18:00 – 19 :00 French fries at the famous 'Maison Antoine', place Jourdan

19:00 – 21:00 FREE TIME

Dinner: 6:45 pm-8:45pm

Friday 26 May

European Institutions and Conference Day, European Commission and Parliament

08:30- 9:30 Breakfast and Debriefing

09:30-10:00 The group goes to the European Commission

10:00 Gathering in front of European Commission (dress code smart, IDs needed)

10.15 - 12.00 Panel Discussion in the European Commission (speakers and venue to be confirmed): 'Human Dignity: foundation of the European Rights System'. Guests: Mr. Jakob Cornides (EU Commission, Lawyer)), Prof. Von Geusau (European Phoenix Institute, Vienna), François Jacob (Director, WYA Europe)

12:15-13.30 Lunch

13.30 – 14.00 Walk to the European Parliament (dress code smart, IDs needed)

14:00 -16:00 European Parliament Presentations and Tour

16:00 -18:30 Visit Museum of Fine Arts with Prof. Erikson

18:30- 21:00 Party with WYA members (open to registered guests)

Saturday 27 May

7:30- 8:00am Breakfast

Transfer to Brussels Airport 8:15 am

Depart Brussels for Cincinnati 11:05am

