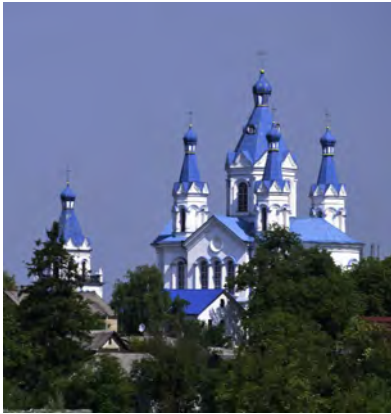


UKRAINE

A GVSU FACULTY LED PROGRAM



ANTHROPOLOGY IN UKRAINE

SUMMER SEMESTER 2012
OPEN TO ALL MAJORS

TELL ME ABOUT THIS PROGRAM

The study abroad program in Ukraine is designed to educate students about the relationship between the environment and human beings. The courses will focus on how human activity has been shaped by the environment, as well as how humans have re-shaped the environment. Ukraine is a place where human and environmental interaction has experienced dramatic change several times throughout history, from the first farmers in the region to the 1986 tragedy at the Chernobyl nuclear power station. Courses in the program will highlight the crucial parameters of our interaction with nature, which shape both our biological and social development. The “Culture and Environment” course (part of the Man and Environment theme requirement) will be devoted to the study of human impacts, variability of experience in different environments, and environmental determinants of human cultures.

WHEN CAN I GO?

Approximate program dates are July 12, 2012–August 18, 2012.

WHERE WILL I LIVE?

Program participants will live in hotels.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE?

This program is open to all majors. A minimum GPA of 2.5 is required. A complete application must be submitted by **February 1, 2012**.

WHAT CREDITS WILL I RECEIVE?

Students will register for a total of 6-9 credits:

ANT: 340: Culture and Environment (fulfills course within Theme 11 and World Perspectives GenEd)
Three credits

AND

ANT 308: Field Experience Abroad
Three—six credits

HOW MUCH DOES THIS PROGRAM COST?

The approximate fee for this program is \$5,000*.

Program Fee Includes:

- Round-trip transportation from Grand Rapids
- Housing
- All meals
- Field trips
- All ground transportation

Additional Costs:

- GVSU Tuition (6 credits- \$2,592)
- Personal expenses (\$200)
- Passport/photos (\$140)
- ISIC Card (\$28)

*Fee subject to adjustments based on actual exchange rates and international airfare.

FINANCIAL AID

All students considering study abroad should have their financial aid reevaluated regardless of whether they are currently receiving federal aid. Additional need-based study abroad grants are also available to eligible students. Early application for financial aid is strongly recommended.

GRANTS

GVSU offers grants to be used specifically for faculty-led programs. These grants, which are approximately \$500, are based on financial need only-academic or other criteria are not taken into consideration. All degree-seeking students accepted into a GVSU faculty-led program are automatically considered for the grant if they have a current FAFSA on file in the Financial Aid Office. No application required.

HOW DO I APPLY?

To apply for this program, log on to www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad to begin your online application. Completed applications must be submitted by **February 1, 2012**.

WHO CAN TELL ME MORE?

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*All program information including courses, duration of program, dates, and other logistics are subject to change.