



## PROGRAM ITINERARY

► **Tuesday, May 24, 2011**

Departure on an international flight from Dulles.

► **Wednesday, May 25, 2011**

Arrival in Paris where the group is met by a CSA On-Site Coordinator. Coach transfer to Normandy and the city of **Caen**. Tonight toast the start of your program with a **Welcome Dinner**.

Hotel: **Best Western Moderne**, or similar  
[www.bestwestern-moderne-caen.com](http://www.bestwestern-moderne-caen.com)

► **Thursday, May 26, 2011**

Today's visits include the **Bayeux Tapestry Museum**, which houses the famous embroidery documenting William the Conqueror's invasion of England in 1066. Later begin your examination of another invasion, **D-Day**, with visits to the **Landing Museum** at **Arromanches**, and the **Airborne Museum**.

► **Friday, May 27, 2011**

Explore the Normandy D-Day landing beaches including **Omaha Beach**, **Gold Beach**, and the **Pegasus Bridge**. Also visit the **US Military Cemetery** at **Collville-sur-Mer**.

► **Saturday, May 28, 2011**

Depart Caen for Louis XIV's stunning palace at **Versailles**, where the famous treaty officially ending WWI was signed. You have a private guided tour before continuing on to **Paris**, the *City of Light*.

Hotel: **Mercure Porte de Versailles Vaugirard**, or similar.

[www.mercure.com/gb/hotel-1131-mercure-paris-vaugirard-versailles/index.shtm](http://www.mercure.com/gb/hotel-1131-mercure-paris-vaugirard-versailles/index.shtm)

► **Sunday, May 29, 2011**

Today a local guide conducts a full day tour of **Paris**, one of the most beautiful cities in the world! Highlights include the **Champs Elysées** and the **Arc de Triomphe**, **Notre Dame Cathedral**, and the **Basilica of the Sacré Coeur** on **Montmartre**. In the afternoon visit the **Musée de l'Armée** at the **Invalides**.

► **Monday, May 30, 2011**

Enjoy a full free day in **Paris**.

► **Tuesday, May 31, 2011**

Leave Paris this morning for the WWI Battlefields of the **Marne Valley**. Visits include **La Ferté-**



## PROGRAM OVERVIEW

This course is designed to provide students with the opportunity to study the evolution and conclusion of three major conflicts of the 20th century: World Wars I and II and the Cold War. Students will study the political and military aspects of these conflicts, as well as their impact on literature. Students will visit cultural and literary sites relevant to these three wars, including actual battle sites.

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**sous-Jouarre**, the **Royal Engineers Memorial**, the monument at **Chateau Thierry**, and the **National Memorial of the Second Battle of the Marne** at **Butte de Chalmont**. Continue to the capital of the region of **Champagne- Reims**.

Hotel: **Kyriad Reims Centre**, or similar.  
[www.kyriad-reims-centre.fr](http://www.kyriad-reims-centre.fr)

► **Wednesday, June 1, 2011**

Continue your exploration of the WWI conflict with visits to the **Somme American Cemetery**, the **Memorial to the Missing of the Somme**, **Lochnagar Crater**, and the **Ulster Tower Memorial**. Later you have a visit to a local maker of the famous bubbly for which Champagne is so celebrated.

► **Thursday, June 2, 2011**

Visit the Verdun Battlefields including **Fort Vaux** and **Fort Douaumont**, and the **Verdun Memorial Museum**. Continue to the Alsatian city of **Strasbourg**.

Hotel: **Strasbourg Mercure Centre**, or similar.  
<http://www.mercure.com/gb/hotel-1106-mercure-strasbourg-centre/index.shtml>

► **Friday, June 3, 2011**

Today a local guide conducts a walking tour of **Old Strasbourg**; see the famous covered bridges, the **Cathedral**, and the charming district known as the **Petite France**. In the afternoon a speaker explains the contest between France and Germany over **Alsace-Lorraine**.

► **Saturday, June 4, 2011**

Today's excursion brings you to one of the jewels of Alsace- the castle at **Haut-Koenigsbourg**. A castle guide will conduct a tour of this impressive fortress. Later enjoy a wine-tasting at a local vineyard.

► **Sunday, June 5, 2011**

This morning visit **Fort Schoenenbourg**, part of the famous defenses known as the **Maginot Line**. Named after the French Minister of Defense, André Maginot, the Maginot line was a string of tank obstacles, concrete bunkers, and other defensive fortifications built after WWI. In the afternoon continue to Germany and the city of **Nuremberg**.

Hotel: **Ibis Nuremberg City**, or similar  
[www.accorhotels.com](http://www.accorhotels.com)

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## ► **Monday, June 6, 2011**

Today a local guide will introduce you to this city's most important monuments including the medieval ramparts, nearly 5 kilometers long. Later you have entrances included to the Courtroom in which the **Nuremberg Trials** took place and the **Nazi Party Rally Grounds** and **Documentation Centre**.

## ► **Tuesday, June 7, 2011**

Today is free to discover Nuremberg and its glorious medieval architecture.

## ► **Wednesday, June 8, 2011**

Today leave Germany for the Czech capital of **Prague**. Spared the devastation wreaked upon so many Central European cities, Prague boasts some of the most impressive Medieval and Baroque architecture in Europe. Dinner is included this evening.

Hotel: **Jury's Inn Prague**, or similar  
[www.praguehotels.jurysinn.com](http://www.praguehotels.jurysinn.com)

## ► **Thursday, June 9, 2011**

Begin your discovery of Prague with guided visits to the Jewish sites in the Old Town including the **State Jewish Museum**, the **Ghetto**, and **Cemetery**. Also visit the **Museum of the City of Prague**.

## ► **Friday, June 10, 2011**

Continue your exploration of Prague with a guided visit of the **Castle District** including the **Cathedral**, **Vladislav Hall**, and the **Golden Lane**. This evening enjoy a performance at the **Black Light Theater**.

## ► **Saturday, June 11, 2011**

Today travel to **Cesky Krumlov** where you enjoy a canoe/raft trip on the River Vltava. Visit the Castle at Cesky Krumlov in the afternoon.  
Hotel: **Grand Hotel Zvon**, or similar

## ► **Sunday, June 12, 2011**

This morning travel to Hungary and the exciting city of **Budapest**. Incorporating three previously independent towns, Buda, Obuda, and Pest, Budapest straddles the Danube River, and is one of the most dynamic cities in Central Europe.

Hotel: **Mercure Budapest Centre**, or similar  
[www.mercure.com/gb/hotel-1765-mercure-budapest](http://www.mercure.com/gb/hotel-1765-mercure-budapest)

## ► **Monday, June 13, 2011**

Today a local guide conducts a full day guided tour of Budapest including the **Hungarian National Museum**, **Statue Park**, the **Holocaust Memorial Centre**, and the **House of Terror**.

## ► **Tuesday, June 14, 2011**

Free day in Budapest. This evening enjoy an evening cruise on the **Danube River** with dinner included.

## ► **Wednesday, June 15, 2011**

Travel today to the beautiful city of **Krakow, Poland**.

Hotel: **Hotel Logos**, or similar  
[www.hotel-logos.pl/en/](http://www.hotel-logos.pl/en/)

## ► **Thursday, June 16, 2011**

Today a local guide conducts a city tour which will include the **Pharmacy Under the Eagle Museum**, the **Jewish Quarter** including the **Synagogues**, and **Schindler's Factory**.

## ► **Friday, June 17, 2011**

Today's excursion is to the former Concentration Camp at **Auschwitz**.

## ► **Saturday, June 18, 2011**

Transfer to the German capital of **Berlin**. Dinner is included this evening.

Hotel: **Domus Berlin**, or similar  
[www.hotel-domus-berlin.de](http://www.hotel-domus-berlin.de)

## ► **Sunday, June 19, 2011**

Once the capital of the German Reich, and later a divided city, Berlin is once again the capital of Germany. Today's guided tour includes the **Reichstag**, **Potsdamer Platz**, the **Berlin Wall** and the **Check Point Charlie Museum**.

## ► **Monday, June 20, 2011**

Today's visits include the **Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church**, the **German Resistance Memorial Centre**, and the **German-Russian Museum**.

## ► **Tuesday, June 21, 2011**

**Potsdam** was the second capital of the German empire until the end of the First World War. Today visit the city and the splendid **Rococo Palace** built by Frederick the Great, **Sanssouci**, as well as **Cecilienhof Palace** which hosted the Potsdam conference at which the allied powers decided the fate of post-war Germany.

## ► **Wednesday, June 22, 2011**

Today enjoy a full day's excursion to **Leipzig**. Visits include the **Stasi Bunker Museum**.

## ► **Thursday, June 23, 2011**

Continue your discovery of Berlin with visits to the **Wannsee Conference Centre**, and the **Soviet War Memorial** at **Treptower Park**.

## ► **Friday, June 24, 2011**

Free day in Berlin. This evening enjoy a special **Farewell Dinner**.

## ► **Saturday, June 25, 2011**

Transfer to the airport for your return flight home.



## PROGRAM COSTS

### PROGRAM FEE:

Price based on 20 participants: \$6,632

Price based on 25 participants: \$6,272

Single supplement: \$1,495

### *Program fee includes:*

- Round trip transatlantic airfare on regularly scheduled flights
- All programming as listed above
- Services of a CSA On-Site Coordinator
- Local guides when needed
- Accommodation in superior tourist class hotel
- Breakfast daily, other meals as listed above
- All transportation as listed above
- Accident and sickness insurance
- Liability insurance

### *Program fee does not include:*

- Passport and visa fees when applicable
- Drinks with lunch and dinner
- Additional meals
- Personal expenses including laundry, mini-bar charges and telephone calls
- Any other item not listed above

*Please note that all specialized visits are subject to confirmation and may be changed.*

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***Non refundable \$250 deposit due by February 1, 2011***

***Final balance due by February 24, 2011***

## FACULTY LEADERS

### ***Dr. Daniel Lang***

**Dr. Daniel Lang** is professor of political science with a Ph.D. in Foreign Affairs from the University of Virginia. He teaches courses on American foreign policy, international conflict, and understanding politics through literature. A recipient of Lynchburg College's two highest awards for teaching faculty, the Shirley Rosser Teaching Award and the James Huston Scholarship Award, Dr. Lang is a model teacher/scholar in the liberal arts tradition. He has lived and traveled abroad extensively. He taught for a semester at the University of Freiburg in Germany while on sabbatical leave. His most recent book is an edited volume of readings entitled War, Peace, and Empire.

### ***Dr. David Lipani***

**Dr. David Lipani** is professor of English with graduate degrees from Bowling Green State University. His expertise is in contemporary and especially multicultural literatures. He has been a member of the Lynchburg College graduate and undergraduate faculty since 1976, during which time he has participated in more than a dozen study abroad programs while traveling with students to Great Britain, Ireland, Italy, Vietnam, Australia, New Zealand, Spain, Turkey, and Greece. He continues to be an avid supporter of overseas travel and study because he understands how priceless such experience is with respect to one's maturation, global outlook, and even, in practical terms, marketability. He is the recipient of the 1999-00 Shirley Rosser Award for Excellence in Teaching at Lynchburg College.

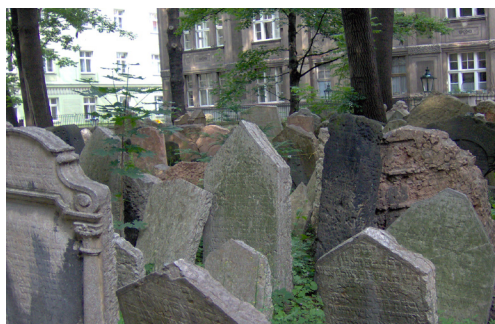
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# TERMS AND CONDITIONS

## Accident & Sickness Insurance

CSA includes full medical and accident insurance for every program participant. This coverage includes:

- \$50,000 Accident & Sickness Medical Expense (\$100.00 deductible)
- \$50,000 Emergency Medical Evacuation
- \$25,000 Accidental Death & Dismemberment
- \$10,000 Repatriation of Remains
- Bedside visitation by friend or relative – economy class airfare
- An international assistance center which is available to help 24•hours a day

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**Cultural Studies Abroad** reserves the right to refuse service and /or terminate the participation of any program participant whose health or mental condition or physical infirmity impedes the operation of the program, or whose conduct is discourteous to others or incompatible with the best interests of the group. In case of removal, participant shall have no claim for refund of any kind for any portion of the program, used or unused.

**Accommodations:** Often, quoted hotels are not confirmed until the entire group has made the initial deposit. CSA reserves the right to change hotels, if necessary, within the same category. Changes in hotels do not warrant cancellation by participant without penalty. All rates are based on double occupancy unless otherwise specified.

A limited number of single rooms will be available at a supplemental charge due at the time of final payment

**Alterations to Published Itinerary:** CSA reserves the right to alter, modify, or withdraw the itinerary of any program if air schedules and/or events beyond its control deem it necessary. Itinerary changes made by contractors abroad are beyond the control of CSA and should changes be made, the participant and CSA are bound accordingly.

**Itinerary Deviations:** Extensions after the program must be requested in writing to Cultural Studies Abroad as soon as possible but no later than 90 days prior to departure. A \$50.00 per person deviation fee will apply plus any supplemental airfare. Cultural Studies Abroad assumes no liability or responsibility for any participants deviating from the group program. Participants arriving and departing independently are responsible for their own transfers.

**Not included in the cost of the program:** Visa fees not specifically mentioned; passport and photos; items of a personal nature, such as laundry, telephone calls, beverages or items not covered in included meals; meals not included, optional excursions, excess baggage charges, luggage handling in U.S. at beginning and end of the program; expenses due to flight delays or other irregularities.

**Program Price:** Program prices are based on rates of exchange, land, and air tariffs as of the date of initial deposit and are subject to adjustment due to circumstances beyond the control of CSA, including lack of participation. Any adjustment to the price for these reasons is not grounds for withdrawal with full refund.

**Air Transportation:** Departures from the U.S. are on recognized scheduled air carriers utilizing special group fares. The specific airline, fare used, and itinerary is at the discretion of CSA and is not confirmed until the minimum group size has been met. Airline and schedules are subject to change at all times.

**Cancellation:** Cancellations will only be accepted in writing via email, or mail addressed to Cultural Studies Abroad, 1401 Jones Street, Suite 205, San Francisco, CA, 94109. The date the cancellation is received by CSA shall determine the cancellation date.

**Standard Cancellation Fees:** the standard cancellation fees apply as follows:

- Up to 90 days prior to departure, \$100.00 per person
- Between 90 and 61 days prior to departure, \$250.00 per person
- Between 60 and 31 days, 50% of the program price
- Between 30 days and day of departure, 100% of program price





**Signature (required)** \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date: (MM/DD/YY) \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Passport Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you smoke?      Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any medical condition(s), allergies, or any additional information which may help us help you in the event of an emergency:

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**Payment:** All programs require a per person deposit of **\$250.00** which must be accompanied by individually signed CSA enrollment/waiver forms. Deposit is due **February 1, 2011**. Final balance will be due **February 24, 2011**.

\_\_\_\_\_ **I have read the accompanying Terms & Conditions and agree to abide by their contents (initial).**