

Study Abroad Program Clemson in Paris-Normandy Revisiting D-Day: Maymester 2010

Name of Faculty Director: Eric Touya and Lance Young. Program Dates: May 10-22, 2010.
Courses Offered: IS 210/614, FR 398, HIST 193/384/499

Brief Description: The aim of the course is to revisit the journey of the American soldiers during WWII in Normandy, Paris and Northern France. Through this journey, the students of Clemson University will analyze and reflect on the meaning and purpose of the GIs' actions and experiences, on the current place and role of the United States in the world. The students are invited to explore the topics and address these questions from a broad range of perspectives: International relations, Political Science, Sociology, Urban Design, History, Art, Culture, Literature, Economics, Business, Architecture, Cross-Cultural Studies, Secondary Education, Communication Studies, Philosophy, Religion, Food studies, ROTC and others.



Days 2-3: Guided Tour of Paris (link 1), City Hall, Opera District, Place de la Concorde, Champs-Elysees, Arc de Triomphe, Les Invalides. Visit of the Louvre museum and Notre Dame Cathedral.



Days 4-7: Guided tours and visits of Normandy: Rouen, Etretat, Honfleur. Visit of the D-Day Beaches of Normandy, the Caen Memorial, and the American cemetery at Colleville-sur-Mer. Guided tour of St. Malo and of the Mont St. Michel.

Day 8: Visit of Chartres and Paris; **Day 9:** return to the United States.

For more information about the course and program, contact Prof. Eric Touya (etouya@clemson.edu), Col. (ret) Lance Young (lsyoung@clemson.edu), or Teresa E. Wise (twise@clemson.edu).

Paris: Link 1:

<http://www.hotel-rotary.fr/en/plans%20photos/plan-de-paris-monuments.jpg>

<http://www.parisattitude.com/monuments/>

http://www.paris.fr/portail/english/Portal.lut?page_id=8118

Rouen: Link 2:

<http://www.zeblog.com/blog/uploads/d/dragonboat/Rouen.jpg>

Honfleur: Link 3:

http://www.carte-postale.com/postcards/honfleur_eng/index.html

Caen Memorial: Link 4:

http://www.memorial-caen.fr/fr/circuit_tour/index.php?lang=EN

Normandy American cemetery: Link 5:

<http://www.abmc.gov/cemeteries/cemeteries/no.php>