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FALL SEMESTER IN LONDON

London is an exciting city in which to live and study. Still one of the world's most beautiful capitals, it is rich in art, music, theater and literary history. It is the seat of British government and the world's longest surviving monarchy.

More than 40 theaters provide unrivaled opportunities for students to experience live, professional productions. Four major symphony orchestras and two opera companies reside in London. For followers of contemporary music, London offers an unparalleled range of live rock and ethnic music performances. A wide variety of museums and galleries provide opportunities to view many of the world's artistic masterpieces.

PRIORITY APPLICATION DEADLINE

FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2009

HIGHLIGHTS

- Open to students age 18 and older who have graduated from high school and have completed 12 units of college coursework with a 2.0 grade point average
- Low cost flights, accommodations in either a shared homestay with a British family, or in a shared apartment (see application)
- "Welcome to London" city tour
- A London Transport travel pass giving unlimited use of the buses and underground trains
- Take lower division courses that are transferable for bachelor's degree credit
- A weekly program of subsidized, low cost extra-curricular activities including guided day trips to Oxford, Bath, Brighton, Stonehenge with Salisbury, and Stratford-upon-Avon, five theater/sporting performances and guided walking tours
- Membership in the University of London Student Union; includes access to low-cost cafeteria, student clubs & societies, & sports facilities at a reduced rate
- Support services, medical insurance, travel arrangements and student advisors provided by AIFS

APPROXIMATE COST

\$8,295 - \$9,575. This fee excludes airfare; an optional airfare package is available for \$735(non-tour)/\$895(tour) plus taxes/ fees estimated at approximately \$426(non-tour)/\$330(tour), a \$250 refundable damage deposit, passport fees, meals, personal expenses, textbooks, class registration fees, and anything not specified. There is a \$450 deposit due with your completed application.



WHEN ARE APPLICATIONS DUE?

- Priority Application Deadline: **Friday, 4/10/09**
- Late applications will be accepted on a space available basis until Friday, **June 12, 2009**
- Applications are accepted on a first come, first served basis. Because classes have limited enrollment, students are encouraged to apply early in order to reserve a spot in the classes of their choice. The program may close prior to the published deadline if classes are full

INFORMATIONAL MEETINGS

For further information, please plan to attend one of the following meetings:

Wednesday	April 8, 2009	4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Room 4244, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		
Friday	April 10, 2009	5:00-6:00 p.m.
Room 4244, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		
Tuesday	April 14, 2009	3:30-4:30 p.m.
Room 4228, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		
Friday	April 17, 2009	1:00 - 2:00 p.m.
Room 212, Kathleen Doyle, Petaluma Campus		
Tuesday	April 21, 2009	3:30-4:30 p.m.
Room 4244, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		
Wednesday	April 22, 2009	4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Room 4228, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		
Monday	April 27, 2009	4:00-5:00 p.m.
Room 4244, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		
Thursday	April 30, 2009	4:00-5:00 p.m.
Room 212, Kathleen Doyle, Petaluma Campus		
Thursday	May 7, 2009	3:30-4:30 p.m.
Room 4228, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		
Friday	May 8, 2009	12:00-1:00 p.m.
Room 4228, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		
Tuesday	May 12, 2009	3:30-4:30 p.m.
Room 4244, Doyle Library, Santa Rosa Campus		

LONDON FALL 2009

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Professor Doug Fisher

Doug Fisher has taught English at SRJC for 28 years. During that time he has taught all of the courses he will teach in London and looks forward to giving each of these classes a definite British focus. Mr. Fisher lived and studied in Paris and Germany for two and a half years while he was an undergraduate. He has returned to England three times since then, including a sabbatical trip pertaining to his study of Shakespeare in 2005. He has also revisited Paris and Germany and lived several months in Sicily in 2004. He has a keen sense of how travel has enriched his life and hopes to help students make the most of their time abroad. Mr. Fisher attended Hiram College in Hiram, Ohio, the University of Tuebingen in Germany, and he holds a B.A. in English and a Masters Degree in the Teaching of English from Indiana University.



SRJC CURRICULUM

ENGL 1A: Reading and Composition

3 units (Letter grade only)
(CSU/UC); AA/AS area A- English Composition; CSU Area A2- Written Communication; IGETC Area 4 - 1A- English Composition
Prerequisite: completion of ENGL 100B, ENGL 100, or ESL 100, College Reading and Writing or equivalent, with a grade of C or better

There's little more exciting than being immersed in a new culture. This class is designed to help students record their experiences and impressions of life in London, as well as to explore the implications and significance of their time abroad. In addition to keeping travel journals, students will attend cultural events, read contemporary and historical literature about London, England, and travel, and write essays

examining their experiences and thoughts during the semester.

ENGL 2: Introduction to the Novel

3 units, (Letter grade or CR/NC Option)
(CSU/UC); AA/AS area E - Humanities; CSU area C2 - Humanities; IGETC area 3B - Humanities
Prerequisite: ENGL 1A, Reading and Composition, or higher English course, or equivalent, with a grade of C or better

In addition to examining the novel as a literary form, students in this class will use the novels they read to deepen their understanding of English history and culture. The novels will be chosen for their diversity of styles and English settings. We will visit the settings for many of these novels, as well as take advantage of museum exhibits, lectures, and other events that will increase them l students' understanding of the places and times in which the novels are set.

ENGL 27: Introduction to Shakespeare

3 units, (Letter grade or CR/NC Option)
(CSU/UC); AA/AS elective; CSU area C2 - Humanities; IGETC area 3B - Humanities
Prerequisite: ENGL 1A, Reading and Composition, or higher English Course, or equivalent, with a grade of C or better

What better place to study Shakespeare than London, where many of his plays were written and first performed? The specific plays this course will cover will be influenced by the plays in production at The Royal Shakespeare Company in Stratford-Upon-Avon and London theatres, including the reconstructed Globe Theatre where we can become "groundlings" and view plays as Shakespeare's audiences did 400 years ago. In addition to attending performances and studying individual plays, students will learn about Elizabethan theatre, and take a field trip to Stratford-Upon-Avon to view Shakespeare's birthplace, the cottage where he courted his wife, the site of his home, and the church where he was both married and buried.

SOCS 48.11: British Life and Culture

3 units (Letter grade or CR/NC Option)
(CSU/UC)*; AA/AS elective
Recommended: Eligibility for ENGL 100 or ESL 100, College Reading and Writing

This course is designed to introduce students to Great Britain with a broad overview of British culture and civilization through a combination of lectures by local experts and organized field

trips. The course takes a social, historical and cultural approach to contemporary British society and examines traditions and institutions to help understand the British way of life in the 21st century. Topics may include the history of the Royal Family, the European Union, the British theatre, education, and the arts. Field trips may include Shakespeare's Globe Theatre, the British Museum, the Tate Modern Museum, the Houses of Parliament, the Inns of Court, and Evensong at St. Paul's Cathedral. This course is required for all London Semester students whose AIFS applications are processed through Santa Rosa Junior College.

* The University of California will accept SRJC courses numbered 1-49. However, students should not count credit earned for special topics (48) or independent studies (49) towards the 60 units required for admission. The UC campus will evaluate these courses after admission.

ADDITIONAL COURSES

College of San Mateo

Paul Stegner, Instructor

PSYCH 100 General Psychology
PSYCH 410 Abnormal Psychology
SOC 340 Human Sexuality

Cosumnes River College

Melissa Levy, Instructor

GEOG 300 Physical Geography: Exploring Earth's Environmental System
GEOG 310 Human Geography: Exploring Earth's Cultural Landscapes
GEOL 305 Earth Science

Diablo Valley College

Connie Anderson, Instructor

SPCH 120 Fundamentals of Speech
SPCH 121 Persuasion and Critical Thinking
SPCH 148 Performance of Literature

SCHOLARSHIP/FINANCIAL AID

Scholarships

All grants and financial assistance, including the Ruth Parlé Craig Study Abroad Scholarship (\$1,000), the Ava and Sam Guerrera Study Abroad Scholarship (\$2,000), the AIFS Scholarship (\$500).

Applications for these scholarships can be obtained by calling (707) 527-4441, dropping by Room 1330 Bailey Hall on the SRJC campus, or by downloading a writable pdf application form from the SRJC Study Abroad website at: www.santarosa.edu/sa

London students may also apply for the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship which offers a competition for awards for study abroad for students who are receiving federal Pell Grant funding at a two-year or four-year college or university. Award amounts vary, but can range up to \$5,000. To apply for the on-line Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship, visit the following website: <http://www.iie.org//programs/gilman>.

Funds awarded for scholarships at SRJC are contingent on the availability of revenue from scholarship sources.

Financial Aid

For further information about financial aid, please contact the Santa Rosa Junior College Financial Aid office at (707) 527-4471 or visit their web site at <http://www.santarosa.edu/finaid/>.

UNIT REQUIREMENTS

Students are required to enroll in and complete at least 12 units of coursework, including the British Life and Culture course from their home school.

INFORMATION

For further information about the program, prospective students should contact:

Study Abroad Program
Santa Rosa Junior College
1330 Bailey Hall
Santa Rosa, CA 95401
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The Sonoma County Junior College District is committed to providing equal opportunities for all students, employees and applicants regardless of ethnicity/race, color, sex, age, religion, marital status, sexual orientation, disability, national origin, medical conditions, status as a Vietnam-era veteran, or political or organizational affiliation. The lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in the college's vocational education programs. In addition, the district is committed to overcoming sex discrimination and stereotyping in vocational education programs.

Santa Rosa Junior College is an open access college.

Persons with disabilities may call (707) 527-4581 to request this information in an alternate format.



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