Denmark: Entrepreneurship and Creativity

May 13 - 27, 2018

The Course: GLS-120 Education Experience Abroad (3 credits)

On this experience you will work, learn and travel with Kirkwood and Zealand Institute of Business and Technology (ZIBAT) students. Coursework and excursions will focus on topics like: how to start up a new company, trend analysis, cultural differences and communication styles. Pre-departure preparation begins in the spring before you travel to Denmark in May where you will explore comparative differences between the United States, Denmark and the entire European community, with emphasis in entrepreneurship, creativity and innovation.

The Destination: Roskilde and Copenhagen, Denmark

Welcome to Denmark - the happiest place on Earth! This Scandinavian country– located just north of Germany – is your destination for study abroad. Denmark features beautiful landscapes, eco-friendly cities, while still maintaining medieval Viking charm. Once the seat of Viking raiders, Denmark has evolved into a modern, prosperous nation. It's a modern market economy with up-to-date, small-scale and corporate industry, extensive government welfare measures, comfortable living standards, a stable currency and a high dependence on foreign trade. The Danes have a very ordered but happy lifestyle. To them, life is meant to be lived not spent in an office. In this program you will spend time in the cool harbor town of Roskilde and in Denmark's largest city and cultural hub, Copenhagen, known for spectacular architecture, vibrant city life and friendly locals.

The Experience Highlights:

- Work in multicultural teams with students from Zealand Institute on a global business project
 - Visiting local business such as:
 - o Peter Beier Chocolate factory
 - Carlsberg Brewery
 - Vestergaard Aircraft Services
- Cultural excursions:
 - o Roskilde Cathedral
 - o Rosenborg Castle
 - Kronborg Castle
 - o Viking Ship Museum
 - o Tivoli Gardens

"Do everything in your power to study abroad; it is worth every single penny." – *Kirkwood student, 2017 program*



Estimated Program Fee: \$3,950 \$1,000 Global Advantage Scholarship available!

Includes: Airfare Housing Some Meals Health Insurance Many Cultural Excursions Most In-Country Transit

Does not include: Tuition: 3 summer credits Passport Fee Personal Expenses

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Tentative Program Itinerary:

- Sunday, May 13th (Day 1): Depart USA (overnight flight)
- Monday, May 14th (Day 2): Arrive Roskilde, Check into hostel, Short walking tour, dinner
- Tuesday, May 15th Saturday May 19th (Days 3-7)
 Project Work with Danish students, company visits and cultural excursions
- Saturday, May 19th (Day 8): Transition to Copenhagen hostel, City Tour

Sunday, May 20 – Saturday, May 26th (Days 9-13):

- Cultural Excursions to: Tivoli Gardens
- Central Copenhagen
- Peter Beier Chocolate Factory
- Rosenborg Castle
- Land of Legend Lejre (Danish cultural village)
- Royal Family Residence
- Possible excursion to Sweden
- Sunday, May 27th (Day 14): Return to USA



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