



SUMMER ABROAD PROGRAMS DESCRIPTION

The University of Miami School of Law Summer Abroad Program is unique in comprising two sessions, each consisting of three segments creating in total a 55 to 58 day exciting summer abroad experience of formal learning and significant travel.

Only our Summer Abroad Program offers students the opportunity to experience so much of Europe while providing students an opportunity to choose two courses, each of three credits, from a combined offering of eight different courses. Teaching in our segment sessions will occur in Athens, Mykonos, Corfu, Rome, Fuengirola, Granada, Seville, Lisbon, Madrid, Barcelona and London.

During Session 1 each of the three segments takes the student to extremely exciting locations. The *LEAP* (*L*ondon/*E*nglish Countryside/*A*msterdam/*P*aris) segment based in London commences with a 3-day weekend excursion to the English Countryside with visits to Warwick Castle, Stratford, Oxford, Bath and Stonehenge. Next is a 4-day weekend trip to Paris (guided sightseeing tours including Versailles, the Arc de Triomphe and the Eiffel Tower as well as a mandatory tour of Legal Paris). Our final excursion is a 4-day weekend trip to Amsterdam. The Tour de España segment, conducts classes in Fuengirola on the Costa del Sol, Granada, Seville, Lisbon and concludes in Madrid (visit to Parliament) with in between visits to Gibraltar, Marbella, Cordoba, Cascais, Sintra, and Toledo. The Greece & Italy segment, starting in Athens and concluding in Rome, includes a 4-Day Aegean & Turkey Cruise, and visits to Delphi, Olympia, Corfu, Bari, Sorrento, Isle of Capri, and Pompeii.

During Session 2, in the London segment students will visit the Middle Temple Inn & Luncheon, take a boat cruise on the River Thames and visit Parliament, while in the Barcelona segment students will visit with the Cuatrecasas law firm. Three-day weekends are provided in the London and Barcelona segments during Session 2 to accommodate self-directed student travel. In the Italy & Greece segment, starting in Rome and concluding in Athens, visits Pompeii, Isle of Capri, Sorrento, Bari, Corfu, Olympia, Delphi and a 4-Day Aegean & Turkey Cruise.

Course materials assigned for all courses are provided by the Summer Abroad Programs. During Session 2, in both London and Barcelona where students will reside in the university residential apartments, computer cluster designated facilities including internet access is provided as well.

Finally, no classes or field trips are scheduled for an eight-day break period from Saturday, July 5, through Saturday, July 12, so that students may take advantage of the Italy Optional Trip presented by Contiki Holidays, the world's largest travel company for 18 to 35 year olds, or visit countries on their own. The Italy Optional Trips commencing in Venice or Rome, visits Assisi, Cinque Terre, Florence, Lake Como, Milan, Monaco, Nice, Pisa, Rome, San Gimignano, Siena, Venice, and Verona in between. When included travel is combined with an Italy Optional Trip or self-directed travel during the break period, every student will have truly experienced the sight, sounds, and smells of Europe.

