Program Highlights

- Follow Martin Heidegger’s writings along the Danube and visit his hut in the Black Forest
- Visit Mauthausen concentration camp, marking one of the 20th Century’s darkest times
- Travel to the most influential cities in Hungary, Austria, and Germany, all within ten days

Application Deadline: February 15, 2014

Course Offered:

HUM581 Special Topics: Heidegger’s Ister: Art, Technology, and War (1 credit)
Dr. Craig Condella
Fulfills a free elective within the Humanities PhD program
**Academic Focus**

Following the path of the documentary film *The Ister*, students will visit sites along the Danube that formed the backdrop for many of the significant socio-political events of the 20th Century. This course will explore the forces that influenced Martin Heidegger's writing and further demonstrate the resounding impact which World War II and the Holocaust would have on Europe in the second half of the 20th Century. In short, students will receive firsthand experience of the conditions which shaped continental philosophy over the last century, including the roles which technology, art, and politics played.

**Course Expectations**

Students must attend the day-long workshop, intended to cover the travel itinerary and its relation to the assigned readings. Students are to read the assigned texts before departure. Pre-departure orientations and meetings are mandatory.

**Accommodations**

**Lodging**: Participants will share double occupancy rooms with private bathrooms in tourist class hotels.

**Meals**: The program fee includes breakfast at the hotel and 2-3 group meals. Participants will need to purchase lunch and dinner on most days.

**Eligibility Requirements**

- Open to students in the PhD Humanities program
- Availability of academic credits to fulfill degree requirements
- Good disciplinary, financial and academic standing

**How to Apply**

Complete online application and submit all required supplemental materials to the Office of International Programs by the application deadline. Applications will not be reviewed until all application materials are received.

Detailed application instructions available at: [http://www.salve.edu/academics/internationalPrograms/studyAbroad/shortTermPrograms.aspx](http://www.salve.edu/academics/internationalPrograms/studyAbroad/shortTermPrograms.aspx).

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**Program Fee** $3900 *tentative*

Included in this fee:
- Round trip airfare on group flight departing Boston
- 1 credit Salve Regina tuition
- Airport & ground transportation in and around Eastern Europe
- Accommodations in Eastern Europe
- Daily breakfast in Eastern Europe + 2-3 group meals
- Official excursions and entrance fees
- International travel insurance

Not Included in this fee:
- Transportation to and from Boston for group flight
- Passport fee ($135) - if applicable
- Student visa - if applicable
- Lunch and dinner on most days.
- Course textbooks - if applicable
- Personal expenses (recreation, tips, laundry, snacks, other personal items/services)
- Personal travel in free time/vacations

**Payment Schedule**

$1200 Deposit due by Friday, March 7, 2014

Your deposit holds your space in the program. Please be aware that there is a withdrawal and refund policy outlined in your Participation Agreement.

Final Payment due by Friday, May 2, 2014

The Business Office will generate an invoice for the remainder of the program fee in April.

**Financial Aid**

Consult with your Financial Aid Counselor. Generally, only parent plus loans are applicable to short-term study abroad programs.

**Scholarships**

Salve Regina study abroad scholarships are reserved for full-time semester and year-long programs. Research your non-Salve Regina scholarship options at: [http://www.salve.edu/academics/internationalPrograms/studyAbroad/StudyAbroadScholarships.aspx](http://www.salve.edu/academics/internationalPrograms/studyAbroad/StudyAbroadScholarships.aspx).