

SUMMER IN IRELAND



GLOBAL SALVE SHORT-TERM PROGRAM

Information Session: Thursday September 21st, 2023 5:00PM to 6:00PM in O'Hare 160!

Apply by December 1, 2023. May 26, 2024– June 9, 2024 Program Min: 14 Max: 30

Faculty Leaders: Dr. Michelle McCarthy and Dr. Debra Cherubini

Courses Offered (Students enroll in spring semester)

NUR475IE Public Health IRE(3 credits, Taken during spring term)

Fulfills Public Health requirement for Nursing and Health Care Administration majors or a free elective for all other majors.

All course fulfillments are subject to approval by an advisor.

Sample Program Highlights

- Live in and explore the great Irish city of Limerick
- Visit a wide array of health organizations throughout the region
- Tour King John's castle and other historical sites
- Join in a medieval style banquet at Bunratty Castle & Folk Park
- Stroll the Cliffs of Moher
- Explore contemporary social issues related to the Brexit Vote
- Further your understanding of the Mercy mission at Mercy House during an overnight excursion to Dublin



Academic Focus

This program offers an opportunity for students to compare public health education, policies, and delivery of health care within Ireland and the United States. Epidemiological principles will be utilized in discussing global health issues, environmental health, infectious disease, and health disparities within populations both in the US and abroad. Concepts of vulnerability to natural and man-made disasters, and the challenges of prevention and health care advocacy for the preparedness of all will be explored within the context of social justice. Community disaster preparation and management will be discussed while focusing on public health emergencies such as past conflict resolutions during the “Troubles” in Ireland as well as the Great Famine will be explored with current events in the world today. Local, regional, national, and international preparedness will be evaluated with an emphasis on the effects within the local community. Working with Mary Immaculate College, students will participate in lectures and tours that will explore Irish culture and many facets of the Irish healthcare system.

Course Expectations

Students will register for NUR475 in the spring term and will begin the course in January with a weekly 50 min didactic course on Public Health and conclude the course in Ireland late May to early June. The overseas program is required to complete the courses; thus all students registered for the course must be fully accepted to the program.

Accommodations/Meals

Lodging and on site logistics will be arranged by Mary Immaculate College. All accommodations are included in the program fee. Students will reside in centrally located dorm style residences. Students share a room with 1-2 people within a dorm as well as shared living space and kitchen facilities. Linens and towels will be provided.

Eligibility Requirements

- Sophomore or Junior status.
- Availability of academic credits to fulfill degree requirements.
- Good disciplinary, financial and academic standing.
- Participation in mandatory pre-departure orientation sessions.

How to Apply

Complete online short-term application and submit all required supplemental materials by the application deadline. Application opens October 1. Visit [ViaTRM](#), our online program search and application tool to begin the application and view program updates.



King John's Castle, Limerick

Course/Program Fee: Approx. \$3800-\$4800 Confirmed Nov.

Round trip airfare on group flight departing Boston
3 credits Salve Regina tuition (taken as part of spring semester)
Airport transfers & ground transportation in Ireland
Accommodations in Ireland
Some 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
Course textbooks - if applicable
Most meals while in Ireland. Kitchen facilities available.
Personal expenses (recreation, tips, laundry, snacks, other personal items/services)
Personal travel in free time/vacations

Flight

Participants will be booked onto the group flight unless they notify the CGEF in writing that they will make their own arrangements. To do so, email studyabroad@salve.edu by Feb 1 2024. A refund for the flight (amount TBD) will be issued. The CGEF is unable to book seats for participants on flights other than the round-trip group flight. Participants making their own flight arrangements will need to meet the group at the designated time and airport location so that they can join the group shuttle. No flights should be booked until programs are confirmed and meeting times and locations are officially communicated to participants.

Payment Schedule

\$1200 **Deposit** due by **Dec 20, 2023**. 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 5, 2024**. 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/study-abroad/study-abroad-scholarships>

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