## Summer Study Abroad



# Liverpool & the Arts

The School of Creative & Performing Arts at Liverpool Hope University is pleased to offer this opportunity to explore the vibrant city of Liverpool through the arts.

Dates and cost:

18th May - 9th June 2024, £2,800\*, 3 USA academic credits.

\*The higher price takes account of the cost of art materials.

## Course theme: Liverpool & the Arts

This exciting, creative course invites students to explore ideas of the city and how we respond through the arts. Engaging with a range of arts practices - Visual Arts, Film, Music, Dance and Drama, students will participate in the vibrant, creative environment of Hope University's Creative Campus located near Liverpool City Centre. This Creative Campus has been formally recognised as a hub of Creative International Excellence.

Students will work with staff who are both practising artists and academics. The city will become a playground for creative expression. Artistic collaborations between students and art forms, and possibilities for solo projects, will accumulate in a performance/exhibition/showing of the work on the Creative Campus, which houses a professional theatre/gallery/art & dance studios. Collectively, we will

create as many different ways of mapping the city as possible experimenting with the richness of the Visual Arts, Film, Music, Dance and Drama.

This course is dependent on viable numbers.

## Liverpool

Liverpool is a city like no other. From world-famous architecture and magnificent museums, to music legends revolutionising popular culture, Liverpool has always been a hub of creativity. Through spectacular festivals, dramatic sporting attractions and unique art, the city continues to be a gateway for UK culture, attracting millions of visitors every year.

## **Summer Study Abroad program**

Designed to meet the needs of students majoring in a variety of subjects, the program will be based at Liverpool Hope University's Creative Campus. Students will undertake visits and have discussions concerning a city's architecture, cultural fabric, human activity, Beatles Quarter, urban/rural landscapes, galleries, museums, port cities, global and cultural influences, etc. Students will communicate their engagement with the city, through the endless possibilities the creative arts give us. The only prerequisite for the course is to be curious about a city and use the arts to communicate those thoughts while working with some of the best academics/artists in the UK.



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T: +44 (0)151 291 3295 E: globalcentre@hope.ac.uk www.hope.ac.uk All Summer Study Abroad courses are made up of 4 components:

- Morning academic classes/ workshops
- 2. Afternoon cultural activities, some specific to each theme.
- 3. Evening social activities for all Summer Study Abroad students.
- 4. Weekend trips for Summer Study Abroad students.

(There may be a small cost for local transport for some of these activities.)

#### Academic classes

You will be taught by Liverpool Hope University faculty members, including senior professors and heads of subject. All our academics are experts in their disciplines and publish research in international journals.

Cultural activities (examples of activities and trips)

- The Beatles Quarter
- The Slavery Museum
- Museum of Liverpool
- Walker Art Gallery

## Social activities (examples of activities and visits)

- Welcome dinner
- Sports activities
- · Iconic film screening
- Games night
- Traditional Pub quiz
- Park walk

## Living and studying at the Creative Campus

At the Creative Campus we have a range of facilitates available to Summer Study Abroad students.

#### Accommodation

Students will have a single room at the Creative Campus or our Aigburth Park campus, staying in a flat with other Summer Study Abroad students or home students. Each flat has a shared kitchen where students can cook evening meals. Our halls of residence each have a communal common room with a TV, couches and chairs for students to work together or sit round and relax. A free shuttle bus will take students between our campuses if necessary.

### Café 1844

Summer Study Abroad students will have breakfast provided in our Creative Campus café, Monday to Friday before morning classes. A cooked lunch is also included in the cost, Monday to Friday. Students can cook in the evening or get a take-away meal delivered.

#### **Sheppard-Worlock Library**

Summer Study Abroad students will have access to a wide range of study environments, library and resources relevant to the course as well as technical workshops and creative spaces.



### Cost

3 week cost: £2,800

The cost includes:

- Airport pick-up and dropoff, Manchester Airport to University accommodation
- Single room on campus
- Breakfast and lunch (Mondays to Fridays)
- Pizza party
- Transport and any entrance fees for cultural and social visits included in the programme
- Project week, working in collaboration with a dedicated member of staff on group or solo projects
- Assessed Performance/ Exhibition with public viewing
- Formal record of grades and credits achieved

Optional weekend trip to London cost: £460

The cost includes:

- Train travel to London
- 2 nights hostel accommodation in central London with breakfast
- London sight-seeing bus
- Students will be accompanied to London by Hope staff who will be on hand for advice and guidance on activities, places of interest, etc.