Winter Session Programs in London and Australia

The Office of International Education and Programs at the State University of New York, Oswego, is offering Winter Session programs in London from January 2 to January 14, 2006, and in Australia from January 2 to January 18, 2006.

### London (January 2 - January 14)

The purpose of the session is to give students the opportunity to study the art, music, politics, theatre, and broadcasting industry of Great Britain in the capital of the country, London. The courses, which are listed below, will be taught by full-time Oswego faculty with teaching, working, and study experience in London at some point in their careers. All courses are three-credit hour upper division offerings, and include visits to relevant historical monuments, museums, theatres, government buildings and galleries in and around London. These visits will be organized as much as possible to allow all students to visit sites relevant to the other courses. In addition to tours around London, two excursions outside of the city are planned: one to Bath, and the other to Stratford-upon-Avon. The weekend of January 7-8 is free for students to travel to other British cities, such as Oxford, Manchester, Liverpool, or Cardiff in Wales or Edinburgh in Scotland, all accessible by train. The following courses are being offered:

- ART 490 New British Art
- BRC 370 British Broadcasting
- ENG 319 An Introduction to Shakespeare
- MUS 355 Music Fit for Royalty
- POL 300 British Politics
- THT 470 Theatre Arts: Costumes & Culture

### Australia (January 2 - January 18)

The purpose of the Winter Session in Australia is to give students interested in Australia a short-term study experience that covers Australia’s politics, history, society, art, drama, and indigenous peoples. It will be organized into a number of day-long modules chosen from the following topics: The Kelly Gang: Myth and Reality; Culture, Conversation, and Kangaroos; the Murray and its Peoples; the New Wave of Australian Drama; Australian Farming; Australian Identity; and Australian Film. All instruction will be by LaTrobe University professors. In addition to the visits to various museums and sites of historical, sociological, and ecological interest in and around Melbourne, a visit to the twin town of Albury-Wodonga is planned. Weekends are free for the student to explore other Australian cities and locales, depending upon the student’s interest. Students will receive three credits in political science, POL 300 Australia.
London

Housing and Meals
Students will stay in shared rooms at a hotel in London. Daily breakfast is included. All additional meals are the student’s responsibility.

Program Fee - $1,895.00
The program fee includes the following:

• Hotel accommodation;
• Breakfast daily;
• Use of hotel pool, gym & fitness center;
• Theatre, museum, and cultural excursions;
• Day trips to Bath and Stratford-upon-Avon;
• London travel pass;
• Farewell dinner;
• Airport transport in London;
• Guided tour in London;
• All instruction and program advisement

The program fee does not include:

• Airfare $600*
• Spending money $300*
• Additional meals $300*
• Passport $100
• Tuition (3 credits) $543**

* These amounts are estimates and may vary according to individual spending habits and airline choice.

**The price shown is for three credits of SUNY under graduate tuition. Applicable fees will be added to this amount by the SUNY Oswego Student Account’s office.

Australia

Housing and Meals
Students will be housed at LaTrobe University on-campus facilities. All meals are provided during the Melbourne portion of the program; evening meals are provided at the regional campus. Additional meals are the student’s responsibility.

Program Fee - $2,245.00
The program fee includes the following:

• On-campus accommodation;
• All meals at Melbourne campus;
• Evening meals at regional campus;
• Field trips;
• Airport transport;
• All instruction and program advisement

The program fee does not include:

• Airfare $1900*
• Spending money $300*
• Additional meals $200*
• Passport $100
• Tuition (3 credits) $543**

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Melbourne cityscape and harbor
Payment Date

- Winter Session - December 10th

Financial Aid

Students currently receiving financial aid may be able to use their aid for overseas study, and may, in some cases, have their student loan amounts increased. Students not currently receiving financial aid may be eligible. Students interested in financial aid for this program should contact the financial aid office at their home campus. Be sure to give the financial aid office plenty of time to process your paperwork.

Insurance

Students who can show that they are covered by comparable personal or family insurance will be permitted to waive the SUNY full health and accident insurance. All students will be enrolled in and billed for medical evacuation and repatriation insurance for the duration of the program.

Flights

An optional group international flight will be arranged by the Office of International Education and Programs. Students will be responsible for any connecting flights or local transportation to and from the departure city.

Qualifications

Applicants must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher. Acceptance into the program will be based on academic standing, recommendations, and a personal study statement.

Non-matriculated adult learners may also apply. A limited number of spaces are expected to be available for those interested. Please contact the OIEP for more information.

Applications

The application deadline for Winter Session programs is October 15. Late applications are accepted on a space-available basis. Please use the standard SUNY Overseas Academic Program Application form, obtainable at any SUNY campus, or on the OIEP Web site at: http://www.oswego.edu/intled, and submit it to the Office of International Education and Programs at SUNY-Oswego. Early applicants are encouraged. Winter Session programs require only one recommendation (academic).

A non-refundable deposit of $250, applicable to the program cost, must be paid within 14 days of acceptance to the program in order to secure program participation. Any deviation from program requirements must be requested in writing and authorized by the Director of International Education and Programs before the final payment date.

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