



# Global Perspectives on Nursing

France - Switzerland - Germany

May 18 - 30, 2012

Application Deadline: February 1, 2012

*Courses taught in English!*

*Stay in a French castle!*

*Visit EU and international health care institutions!*

*Experience European culture and lifestyle!*

## Program Details:

- 13 days / 12 nights
- 3 course units

## Included in the program:

- Orientation session and on-site coordinator during excursions
- 1 university course = 3 college credits issued by The University of Memphis

## Excursions and Visits:

- All cultural excursions, company and European institution visits, day trips, entrance fees and overnight excursions as described \*

## Housing and Meals:

- Student room, double occupancy with private bathroom
- Welcome dinner
- Breakfast daily
- Dinner in the Black Forest
- Alsatian Tarte Flambeé
- Picnic lunch in Strasbourg
- Farewell dinner

## Transportation:

- Transfer from Paris Airport
- Metro passes in Paris and Geneva
- Train ticket from Paris to Geneva
- Transfer to Frankfurt Airport

**Program:** \$2,850

**Tuition & Fees:** (estimated)  
Undergraduate \$1,015  
Graduate \$1,429

**Airfare:** will vary

**Application Fee:** \$350

## Program Description

International experiences are becoming increasingly important for health care professionals to gain global perspectives on health care, as well as broadening their cultural awareness. The itinerary is full of unique visits to reputable hospitals and institutions like the World Health Organization and the International Council of Nurses in Geneva.

The program is open to upper division undergraduate and graduate level nursing students from the University of Memphis and any accredited public or private university. All courses are taught in English!

## University Course

### **NURS 4309: Global Perspectives on Nursing**

Credit Hours: 3 semester units

Course Description: This study abroad program is designed for undergraduate nursing students interested in increasing their understanding of international health care issues as they relate to nursing. The course intent is to broaden the student's worldview and global perspective of nursing and health care systems. Prerequisites: NURS 3017/3018 or permission of the faculty

### **NURS 7811: Global Perspectives on Nursing and Health Policy**

Credit hours: 3 semester units

Course Description: This study abroad program is designed for graduate nursing students interested in increasing their understanding of international health care issues as they relate to nursing practice and global health policy. The course intent is to broaden the student's worldview and global perspective of health care and nursing.

## Cultural Excursions and Professional Visits

### **3 nights in Paris, France**

- Enjoy a boat tour in Paris on the Seine River
- Visit a hospital in Paris to learn more about their trauma unit
- Guided tour of the Hospital Museum "Musée de l'Assistance Public-Hôpitaux de Paris"
- Train ticket to Geneva

- including entrance to the Castle Haut Koenigsbourg and a visit to an Alsatian winery including a wine tasting
- Entrance to Albert Schweitzer Museum in his house in Gunsbach
- Visit to a hospital in Strasbourg

### **2 nights in Geneva, Switzerland**

- Guided walking tour of Geneva
- Visit to the WHO or UNAIDS
- Visit to the International Council of Nurses

### **1 night in Heidelberg, Germany**

- Entrance to the Heidelberg Castle and guided tour of the German Pharmacy Museum
- Visit to a mental health facility in Germany

### **5 nights in Strasbourg, France**

- Guided walking tour of Strasbourg
- Cycling tour through the Parc de Pourtalès
- Guided tour along the famous "Route du Vin"

### **Field trips and excursions in Germany**

- Visit to the University Hospital of Freiburg center of Nursing Education
- Visit to the University Hospital of Freiburg to learn more about issues related to nursing in Germany

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Thank you for your interest in our study abroad program "Global Perspectives on Nursing"

## **Application Requirements**

- a) Complete your on-line application available at:  
<http://www.memphis.edu/abroad>
- b) One copy of an official transcript.
- c) Two academic references from faculty at the student's home institution.
- d) Students are required to submit their application with a \$350 non-refundable deposit.

## **For questions or further information, please contact:**

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## **Course Faculty**

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## **Teaching:**

Ms. Jenkins is an experienced nurse educator, member of the nursing faculty at the University of Memphis, and board-certified Family Nurse Practitioner. She has traveled extensively abroad.

Ms. Jenkins serves on the Student Affairs Committee, is on the board of Beta Theta Chapter-at-Large, Sigma Theta Tau International. She is an active member of the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners.

## **Price breakdown:**

Application Fee (non-refundable) .....	\$350
Undergraduate Tuition (estimated) .....	\$1,015
Graduate Tuition (estimated).....	\$1,429
Program* .....	\$2,850

\*Not included in the program price: airfare, some meals, passport or personal items/expenses. The program price is based on a minimum number of participants.

**Academic Requirements** - Acceptance into the program requires successful completion of all relevant prerequisites. There is no need to be on campus to complete the course requirements. Course content and assignments can be accessed and submitted online.

**Selection Criteria** - A limited number of spaces are available each semester, so students are strongly encouraged to apply early to secure your place in the program.

**Please Note:** The itinerary is subject to change upon availability and may need to be adjusted accordingly.