

UH Liberal Studies - North Atlantic Adventure - 2016

A Celtic, Gaelic, Nordic Cultural Odyssey and Bold Sea Voyage!

July 20, 2016 to August 20, 2016

A European cultural and history
journey on world's largest two-mast
Topsail Schooner *Wylde Swan*
from France to Norway

**** Application ****

*** Apply by March 4, 2016 ***

UH Scholarship Deadline: March 4

<http://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/>



An ocean sailing adventure filled with sail training, fun and culture.
Visit old Celtic and Gaelic sites, historic locations in Ireland and Scotland,
beautiful islands like St. Kilda, the Shetland Islands and the Danish Faroe Islands.
Culminating with exploration of the dazzling Norwegian Fjords and forrests.

UH Courses Offered (not required, tuition additional)

- ILAS 4350 Senior Seminar in Liberal Studies
- PHYS 1305 Introductory Astronomy

Training by Wylde Swan Crew:

- Sail training
- Navigation
- Astronavigation

What's Included

- Accommodation
- Breakfast*
- Lunch*
- Dinner*
- Sail training



Itinerary**
Brest, France
Dublin, Ireland
Isle of Mull
St. Kilda
Faroe Islands
Shetland Islands
Bergen, Norway
** weather dependent

*on board each day

Program Fee:
\$ 3,610 **

Conditionally refundable
deposit of \$ 545 due
with application.

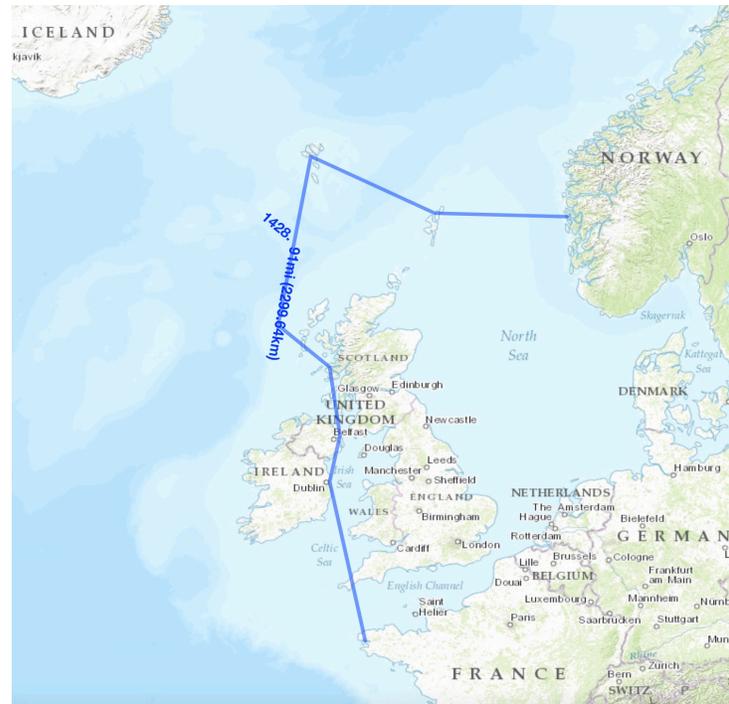
** Fee based on 25 paying participants, will vary based on enrollment from minimum of 20 participants at \$ 3970. All USD amounts based on Euro exchange on 1/26/16 subject to change. Additional cost estimates on back page.
Scholarships and Financial Aid Available!

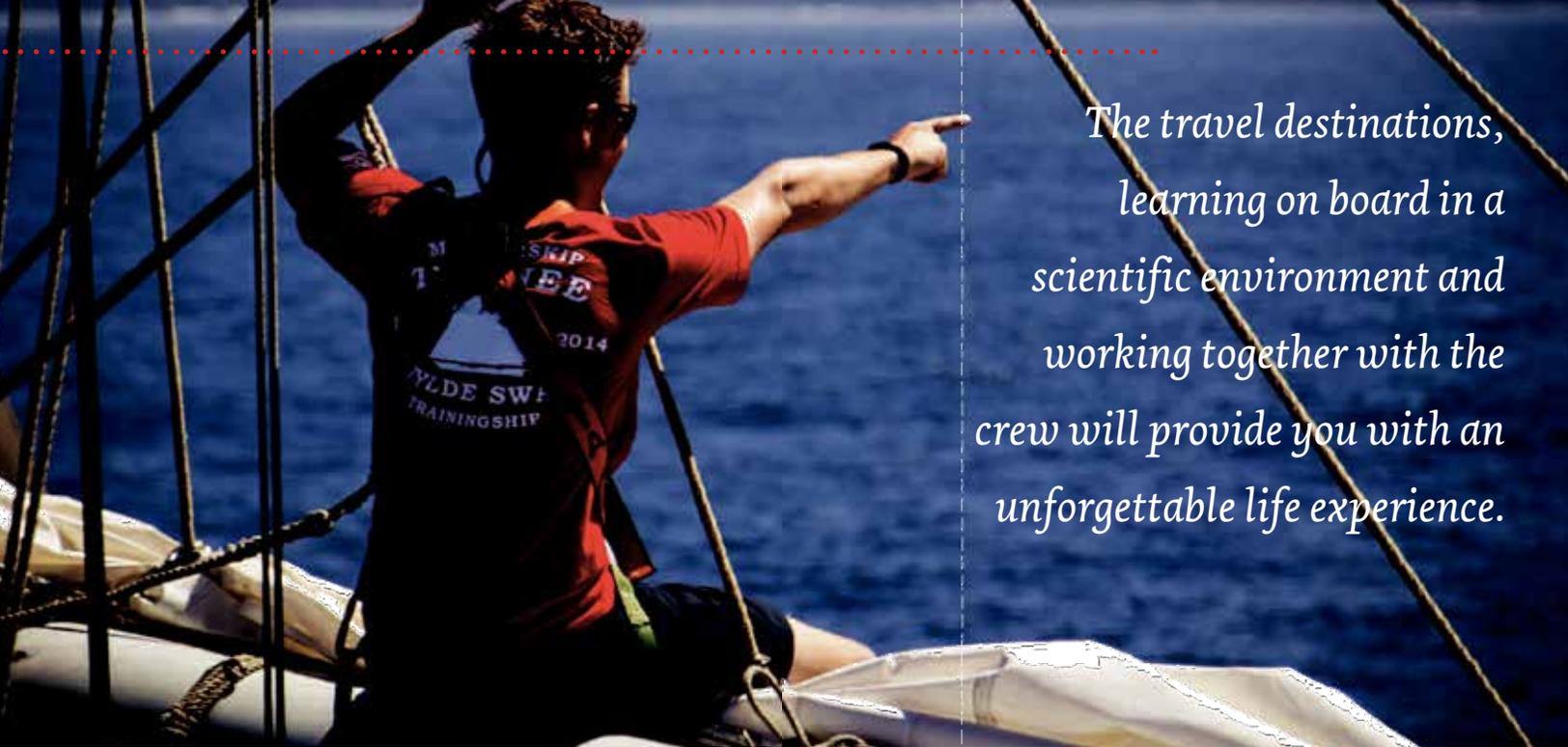
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The travel destinations, learning on board in a scientific environment and working together with the crew will provide you with an unforgettable life experience.

Tentative Itinerary



- Arrival Brest - A night visit**, • night 1
- 1 Arrival. Familiarization and explanation of the trip.
 - 1 Free or study morning. Departure after lunch.
- Sail to South East Ireland 350 NM*, • night 2 - 4



- Ireland (Around Dublin east)** • night 5 – 6
- 1 night to arrive and have a sneak preview on land.
 - 1 day for excursion in Dublin.
 - 1 Free or study morning. Departure after lunch.
- Sail training day sail along Irish coast 30 NM* • night 7
- After sail training a night at anchor.
- Overnight sail along Irish coast 90 NM* • night 8



- Ireland (Belfast area)**, • night 9 – 10
- 1 night to arrive and have a sneak preview on land.
 - 1 Free or study morning. Departure after lunch.
- Sail to Scotland 150 NM to Tobermory, Island Mull* • night 11



- Scotland Tobermory**, • night 12 – 13
- 1 night to arrive and set up excursion.
 - 1 day for excursion.
 - 1 Free or study morning. Departure after lunch.
- Overnight sail to St Kilda 120 NM*, • night 14



- St Kilda** • night 15
- 1 night to arrive.
 - 1 day to explore Island with lunch on land.
 - Departure at end of day and sunset sail by Boreray.
- Sail to the Faroe Islands 300 NM*, • night 16 – 18



- Faroe Islands** • night 19 – 21
- 1 night to arrive and set up excursion.
 - 1 day for excursion.
 - 1 day with short sail and 2nd visit.
 - 1 Free or study morning. Departure after lunch.
- Sail to Shetland Islands 220 NM* • night 22 – 23



- Shetland Islands** • night 24 – 25
- 1 night to arrive.
 - 1 day for excursion.
 - 1 Free or study morning. Departure after lunch.
- Sail to Norway 220 NM* • night 26 – 27



- Bergen** • night 28 – 30
- 1 night to arrive and set up excursion.
 - 2 days for excursions.
 - 1 Free or study morning. Departure after lunch.

* This itinerary is indicative only. The exact itinerary is weather dependent and subject to change, and will be determined during the trip.

Students must arrive in Paris, France at our designated hotel on July 19, with a departure early morning on July 20 for the embarkation in Brest, Normandy, France. Travel plans are being arranged as optional add-on: group flights Houston-Paris and return Bergen-Houston, with 3 nights in Paris, welcome dinner, museum visits and guided walking tours. To be determined, but should estimate range of \$2,000 for this optional group add-on. UH tuition and fees for optional courses not included. International health insurance, passport, optional excursions and on-land meals also additional. Financial Aid & Scholarships available from **UH Learning Abroad office**, *deadlines apply*, visit <http://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/scholarships/> and contact learningabroad@uh.edu as soon as possible!