



SCOTLAND STUDY ABROAD

May/June 2024

Join us on a two-week trip to discover the beauty of Scotland. Learn about the history, culture, and politics of the Scottish nation as you explore Edinburgh and further abroad. Experience life as a local with a graduate of the University of Edinburgh who lived in the city for five years. Contact Dr. Thompson for more information on this wonderful opportunity.



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**SPEND TWO WEEKS
DISCOVERING
SCOTLAND**

**CASTLES, CEILIDHS,
HISTORY, POLITICS
HILLWALKING, &
LOCHS**

**EARN 3 CREDITS
STUDYING THE
HISTORY, POLITICS,
AND CULTURE OF
SCOTLAND**

**PRICE INCLUDES
AIRFARE,
ACCOMODATIONS,
AND ACTIVITIES**

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Craigmillar Castle

What is included in the trip price?

The trip price is inclusive of:

- Roundtrip airfare
- Accommodations: 11 nights in Edinburgh and 3 nights in the Highlands
- Travel insurance (medical only)
- Ground transportation and entry fees according to the itinerary
- Day trips throughout Scotland
- Highlands Tour including a boat cruise on Loch Ness
- Welcome pub dinner
- Afternoon tea in Georgian Edinburgh

About Us

Dr. Thompson is a British historian focusing on Scottish political history. He received his PhD from the University of Edinburgh in 2012 and lived in Scotland with his wife, Jamie, for 5 years. After moving to Pittsburg, they welcomed their son Ewen in 2016.

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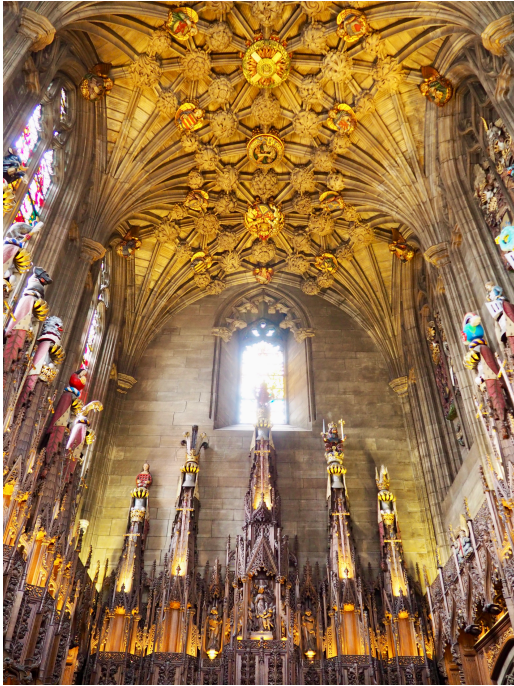
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Thistle Chapel in St. Giles Cathedral

Would you like to experience the magic of Scotland?

Join us for two weeks of history, politics, and culture in Scotland

This study abroad course will allow participants to immerse themselves in the history, culture, and beauty of Scotland.

Edinburgh, a World Heritage city

We will visit such highlights as Edinburgh Castle, Medieval Old Town, Georgian New Town, the Palace of Holyroodhouse, St. Giles Cathedral, the Royal Mile, the National Museum of Scotland, the National Gallery and National Portrait Gallery, Scottish Parliament, Real Mary King's Close (underground Edinburgh) and Calton Hill.

*“There’s no leaving
Edinburgh... it stays with you
always” – Alan Bold*

Day trips from by train / bus

- Glasgow
- Linlithgow Palace, birthplace of Mary Queen of Scots
- Stirling Castle
- Dunfermline, the ancient capital of Scotland
- Dundee, the former center of the jute industry
- Scottish Borders abbeys and Hadrian’s Wall



Urquhart Castle on Loch Ness

The trip will also include a three day stay in the Scottish Highlands.

Highlands Explorations

Besides a visit to the mysterious Loch Ness and the lochside ruins of Urquhart Castle, we will explore several landmarks of Jacobite history including Culloden Battlefield, Fort George, and Ruthven Barracks. Going back a bit further, we will also visit the Clava Cairns. As we explore these sights, we will take plenty of time to enjoy the beauty and wonder of the Scottish Highlands including many bens (mountains), burns (streams), lochs (lakes), and villages.