

Program Description for Prospective Faculty

Program: GREECE

Approximate Program Dates: Three Weeks in May (subject to change)

Program Focus:

This program is designed to provide students with a choice of courses while they experience the culture of Greece first hand. Course proposals are welcome from all academic fields as long as they relate closely to Greece.

Program Description:

The Greece program will be held in three locations. We will begin in Tolon, which is located in the north-eastern corner of the Peloponnese, very near Nafplion, which was the first capital of the modern nation. Although Tolon has become somewhat more popular with tourists in recent years, it has retained most of its charm and all of its friendliness. While in Tolon, we will visit Mycenae and Epidaurus, visit the ancient theatre at Argos as well as ancient Corinth. Following Tolon, we will travel to Crete, Greece's largest island in the Mediterranean Sea. Crete will allow students an opportunity to experience its beauty and mythology which began with the Minoan Civilization. We also will spend a day on the famous island of Santorini. At the end of the program, we will visit Athens, the birthplace of Western philosophy. We will visit the Acropolis, the Parthenon, the Ancient Agora and travel to Delphi and Olympia.

Responsibilities Prior to Departure:

Attend Faculty and Student Orientations
Recruit
Provide Syllabus

Responsibilities during the Program:

Teach Course
Assist with Excursions
Assist with Program Operations

Benefits:

Two thousand dollar honorarium (paid through your institution), one single seat round trip airline ticket from Nashville, Tennessee, all ground transportation, housing, food, excursions including entry fees, and limited health insurance during the program abroad.

Expenses not covered by TnCIS:

Transportation to/from the airport, travel expenses to the faculty/student orientations, passport, full coverage health insurance, non-program sponsored excursions and entry fees, personal spending money.