YOUR GLOBAL EXPERIENCE

EXPLORE BOSTON AND NEW YORK, 1 – 12 April 2019

The trip begins in Boston, Massachusetts, one of America’s oldest cities. You’ll visit the New England town that is the birthplace of transcendentalism, Louisa May Alcott and Nathaniel Hawthorne.

New York City is our second stop, where your highlights include visits to the UN Headquarters, the 9/11 Memorial Museum, Central Park, Times Square and the Statue of Liberty.

JOIN FELLOW STUDENTS AND ACADEMICS FROM YOUR FACULTY TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE UNITED STATES WHILE INCREASING YOUR GLOBAL AND CULTURAL AWARENESS.

This is an opportunity to increase your global awareness by travelling overseas with fellow students and academics from the department of English and Creative Writing.

During your time in two of the world’s great cities, you will experience the vibrant cultural life on offer in the United States and make connections between its urban spaces and some of the literary texts they inspire and are inspired by.

“...a unique and immensely enjoyable experience that’s given me many priceless memories.”

ALYCIA, ENGLISH LITERATURE STUDENT, 2017 TRIP

WHEN WILL THE TRIP TAKE PLACE?

During the first and second weeks of the Easter vacation, departing from Manchester on 1 April and returning to the UK on 12 April.

DO I NEED A VISA?

Most UK passport holders don’t need a visa to enter the United States but will be required to fill in a form on the US Electronic System for Travel Authorisation (ESTA). It’s your responsibility to obtain the correct travel documents for the trip, but do ask the Global Experiences team for help with the process.

HOW MUCH DOES THE PROGRAMME COST?

The programme costs £1,995. This covers flights, accommodation, university travel insurance, and scheduled activities. It doesn’t include meals, transportation to/from the UK airport, visa or ESTA costs (as required), personal items, spending money, or optional activities.

CAN I GET FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE?

In 2018, over half of students who travelled on the USA trip received some form of financial assistance. We believe that no one should be excluded on the basis of cost alone, so we have a number of awards and grants that could cover the majority of your total fee. Such methods of assistance can be found online and applied for during the online application stage.

Lancaster Global Travel Award (up to £1,795)

Students can apply for this award if they have financial circumstances that would make it difficult to travel without assistance. While it is means tested, we will take applications from anybody who is in need of support.

Santander Flight Grant (up to £500)

We also have grants available from Santander to help support students who are interested in travelling and need further support to attend the USA trip.

College Travel Award (circa £100)

Contact your College Manager for more information.

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