

PRAGUE

Summer 2024

Spend four weeks studying Sociology and Astronomy in historic and picturesque Prague, capital city of Czech Republic in the heart of Europe. Known as the “City of a Hundred Spires”, Prague has a fascinating cultural heritage and offers students the chance to explore monuments and museums, enjoy music and dance festivals, savor coffee shops and restaurants as well as enjoy the arts and crafts of Bohemia.

PROGRAM INCLUDES

- Accommodation in twin-bedded rooms in a centrally-located student residence with shared bathrooms, shared kitchen and coin-operated laundry facilities on-site. Linens and towels, weekly cleaning and free wireless internet are provided.
- Meals: a welcome dinner, a farewell dinner, and occasional meals on excursions as listed below.
- Travel pass for unlimited travel on the metro, buses, and trams in the central zone of Prague for the duration of the program.
- An orientation program in Prague consisting of a meeting with experienced AIFS staff, covering topics such as general acclimation to Central Europe, safety and security issues, cultural differences, travel, money and cultural activities.
- Local area walking tour covering housing and classroom location and local amenities.
- A half-day sightseeing tour of Prague with the services of a professional, English-speaking guide.
- A full-day excursion by private bus to Kutna Hora, including entrances to St Barbara Cathedral, silver mines and bone church Sedlec.
- A full-day excursion by private bus to Terezin and Lidice Memorial, including all entrance fees and an English-speaking professional guide throughout.
- A full-day excursion by private bus to Bohemian Switzerland National Park, including a group lunch.
- A full-day excursion from Prague to Dresden by train, round-trip tickets, reserved seating in standard class, including a walking tour in Dresden with the services of an English-speaking professional guide, entrance to the Green Vault Museum and free time for exploration.
- Additional cultural visits and activities in Prague related to course curriculum.
- A team of experienced Student Services staff to ensure the smooth running of the program, providing information and advice to students, organizing excursions and supervising housing and 24-hour on-call service in Prague for the duration of the program.
- Student medical insurance policy.

PROGRAM DATES

Depart U.S.: Friday, July 5

Arrive Prague: Saturday, July 6

Depart Prague: Sunday, August 4

OPTIONAL TRANSPORTATION PACKAGE

An optional Transportation Package is available, consisting of round-trip airfare between Los Angeles (LAX) and Prague (PRG), and round-trip transfers overseas between the airport in Prague and student housing for an additional \$tbc. Mandatory additional U.S. government- and airline-imposed departure taxes, fees and fuel surcharges of \$tbc (subject to change) will be billed separately.

FEES

Based on an enrollment of 25-29 participants, the fee per person is \$3,495. This fee excludes airfare, optional insurance upgrades, passport or visa fees, meals other than those listed, personal expenses, any Citrus College tuition or administrative fees, textbooks, additional field trips or excursions required by the Citrus college faculty and anything not specified.



FACULTY

Students must enroll in a minimum of 3 units. Online courses are not recommended while studying in Prague.



I am Dr. Gailynn White. I have been teaching Sociology for more than 30 years. I earned my BA and MA degrees in Sociology from Arizona State University and my PhD from Capella University. I moved to southern California where I was hired by Citrus College in 1998. I love traveling and learning about different cultures. My

passion is teaching college students Sociology and I hope to keep doing it for many years to come



Denise Kaisler is celebrating her 20th year of teaching physics and astronomy at Citrus College. She is excited to help students merge the rich astronomical history of Prague with an understanding of planetary sizes and conditions, the motions of celestial bodies, and our progress from an Earth- to a Sun-centered view

of the universe. Dr. Kaisler's extensive experience traveling, working, and living abroad will benefit students both on this adventure and those to come.

COURSES

SOC 114 MARRIAGE, FAMILY, AND INTIMATE RELATIONS

3 Units (AA/AS; Citrus D2; CSU; UC; IGETC 4G; CSUGE D7; CSUGE E)
54 lecture hours
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
Strongly recommended: [ENGL 101](#).

A consideration of the sociological and psychological factors which influence present day marriages and relationships. Course includes seminar discussions oriented toward understanding these influences as they relate to the individual.

ASTR 115 PLANETARY ASTRONOMY

3 Units (AA/AS; Citrus B2; CSU; UC; IGETC 5A; CSUGE B1)
54 lecture hours
Grade Mode: Pass/No Pass, Standard Letter
Prerequisite(s): [ENGL 101](#) or [ENGL 101E](#) or [ENGL 101H](#) or eligible for [ENGL 101](#) without support.
Strongly recommended: Elementary algebra or higher or direct placement based on multiple measures.

The astronomy of the solar system including the history of astronomy, the physics of motion, energy, and light, and the processes that determine the formation and evolution of planets, moons, and other bodies in our solar system and others.

DEADLINE TO APPLY & PAY \$450 DEPOSIT

April 5, 2024*

FINAL PAYMENT DEADLINE

May 11, 2024**

*Students who withdraw after this date but on or before the final payment deadline may receive a refund for all fees paid less the \$450 deposit and any non-refundable deposits paid by the student or by AIFS on the student's behalf.

** There are no refunds for students who withdraw after this date. Enrolled students who have not paid in full by this date are responsible for the full program fee.

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