

PHOTOJOURNALISM

LISBON, PORTUGAL

6 CREDITS, MAY 31, 2017 – JUNE 28, 2017
2 WEEKS ABROAD, 2 WEEKS ON CAMPUS

JSU PASSPORT TO THE WORLD P R O G R A M

Learning beyond boundaries

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ACADEMIC OVERVIEW

The "Photojournalism" program will provide an introduction to the principles and techniques of photojournalism. The course involves the study and practice of using still photography to cover news, feature stories, sports, and social and cultural issues for publication. Students will learn the fundamentals of photography, and will be introduced to digital imaging, photo editing, page layout design, and multimedia journalism. The course also covers the history of photojournalism and documentary photography, as well as the ethical and legal issues related to the field.

ABOUT THE CITY

Lisbon is the westernmost capital in mainland Europe, at the point where the Tagus River flows into the Atlantic. Built on seven hills, Lisbon is navigated by funicular trains, an elevator, trams, buses, and the metro. The city presents interesting contrasts, from tiny one-of-a-kind shops with fading facades to mega malls; from narrow, steep, cobbled-stoned streets to wide-open vistas. Lisbon's fascinating past can be seen in the faces of its multicultural citizens, food, architecture, and welcoming attitude towards foreigners.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Passport to the World takes place during the first summer term at JSU. Two weeks are spent on campus and two weeks abroad. CIEE will organize a 15 day, 14 night program abroad, providing academic, logistical, and emergency support. Faculty members from Jackson State University will lead the program, including providing all instruction

Classroom lessons will be supplemented by guest lectures on exploring Portugal, photographing Portuguese culture and landscapes. Co-curricular and cultural activities include a city tour, visits to several neighborhoods and districts such as Alfama and the Monastery of Jeronimos, the Tower of Belem and pastry tasting in Belem, museum visits, a street art tour, the oceanarium, a day-trip to Sintra to the UNESCO World Heritage site - the estate of Quinta de Regaleira - and the Palacio da Pena, as well as two overnight excursions to nearby towns for a surf class, visit a medieval town, see a Fado music show, a fortress, university and library. Students will also have a chance to participate in a community engagement activity in order to provide a well-rounded experience to the program content.

PROGRAM COST

\$2,975 per participant

- Tuition: 6 credit hours
- Accommodations
- All meals (in country)
- Transportation (in country)
- Excursions, admission fees, cultural experiences, etc
- iNext Comprehensive Travel Insurance
- 24/7 Emergency Assistance

**Financial aid can be applied to the program cost; airfare not included.*

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