



UCF ABROAD ITINERARY



Program:	A Taste of Europe
Dates:	May 22 - June 6, 2018

Suggested Arrival Group Flight

If you arrive on this flight, group transportation will be provided to your lodging.

For all other flights besides the listed below, students are solely responsible for their own transportation.

Flight Airline & Number	TBD
Departure Time from MCO	TBD
Flight Arrival Time	TBD

To book this flight, please follow the link:

Day 1

Day	Tuesday, May 22, 2018
Accommodation	Hotel Donauwalzer Address: Hernalser Gürtel 27, 1170 Wien, Austria Phone Number: +43 1 4057645
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students arrive in Vienna & travel to accommodations via private motor coach• Arrival orientation session• Free afternoon in Vienna to explore the city on your own• Welcome dinner at a restaurant in Vienna to taste the traditional "Wiener Schnitzel". You will also have the opportunity to meet a representative of the restaurant and learn about the basic recipe and preparation of this Viennese speciality• Public transportation pass for the duration of the entire stay in Vienna
Dining	Dinner: Group Welcome Dinner

Day 2

Day	Wednesday, May 23, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Visit to a café in the morning, e.g. to the Sacher Café, to learn about their specialties and the traditional Austrian Sacher cake (<i>includes tasting of Sacher cake</i>). If possible, meet the Food and Beverage Director of the Sacher Hotel to learn about the hotel and its history.• Afternoon winery tour to learn about Vienna's wine culture, which characterizes the culinary art as well as the cityscape of the city. Enjoy a guided wine tasting.• Public transportation during the day
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel

Day 3

Day	Thursday, May 24, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Guided walking tour of Vienna focusing on the history of the famous Naschmarkt and local products offered at the market in the early morning. Vienna's famous market on the Wienzeile can be an overwhelming sensory experience of sounds, vibrant colors, and appetizing smells.• Visit to Coffee Pirates in Vienna in the afternoon to learn about the coffee roastery and to do a coffee roasting with your group (<i>includes tasting of several coffee specialties and a package of 180-200 g own roasted coffee</i>)• Tickets for a performance at the Wiener Konzerthaus in Vienna can be arranged for the evening. <i>In case tickets are unavailable, a cash allowance per participant will be dispersed.</i>• Public transportation during the day
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel

Day 4	
Day	Friday, May 25, 2018
Accommodation	Star Inn Hotel Salzburg Zentrum Address: Hildmannpl. 5, 5020 Salzburg, Austria Phone Number: +43 662 846846
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guided tour of the Schönbrunn Palace in the morning. Together with its ancillary buildings and extensive park, Schönbrunn Palace is one of the most important cultural monuments in Austria and was placed on the UNESCO World Cultural Heritage list in 1996. • Transportation by private bus to Salzburg • Guided tour of the Melk Abbey in Austria in the afternoon (approx. 1 hour). The baroque building was constructed in the 17th century by Jakob Pradtauer. • Orientation session with your on-site coordinator • Public transportation pass for the duration of the entire stay in Salzburg
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel

Next Location	
Vienna to Salzburg	Transportation from Vienna to Salzburg via private motor coach, touring en route at Melk.

Day 5	
Day	Saturday, May 26, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit to a confiserie in Salzburg in the morning, e.g. to the Café-Konditorei Fürst, to learn about the traditional Mozart balls, which are devoted to the famous composer Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (incl. tasting of Mozart balls) • Sound of Music Tour in the afternoon to explore the Trapp Family homes and film locations. The film from 1965 about the moving life of the novice, Maria von Trapp and her singing family with Julie Andrews in the leading role, became an international box office success. • Group dinner at a restaurant in Salzburg including an Austrian “Kaiserschmarrn” as dessert. You will also have the opportunity to meet a representative of the restaurant and learn about the basic recipe and preparation of this specialty • Public transportation during the day
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel Dinner: Group dinner

Day 6	
Day	Sunday, May 27, 2018
Accommodation	Hotel Isartor Address: Baaderstraße 2, 80469 München, Germany Phone Number: +49 89 2163340
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Orientation session with your on-site coordinator • Hop-on hop-off bus tour to explore Munich on your own . • Group dinner at the restaurant “Haxnbauer” in Munich to learn about the history of the restaurant and see how they grill the Munich specialties: “pork knuckles” and “veal joints” on the Haxengrill.
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel Dinner: Group dinner at Haxnbauer
Be Sure to Check Out	Don't miss the English Garten with its beer garden, the tradition of Bavarian Weißwurst and beer as well as Brezn before lunch time!

Day 7	
Day	Monday, May 28, 2018
Accommodation	Hotel Alpina Luzern Address: Frankenstrasse 6, 6003 Luzern, Switzerland Phone Number: +41 41 210 00 77
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transportation by private bus during the day • Visit to the Appenzeller Schaukäserei in Stein in the morning to experience the production process used to make this spiciest of Swiss cheeses (<i>includes tasting of cheese</i>). • Visit to a chocolate producer in the afternoon, e.g. to the Maestrani SchoggiLand in Flawil. Explore their facilities during a guided tour and create your own chocolate bar afterwards (<i>includes creation of chocolate bar</i>). • Public transportation pass for the duration of the entire stay in Lucerne • Orientation session with your on-site coordinator
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel

Next Location	
Munich to Lucerne	Transportation from Munich to Lucerne via private motor coach, touring en route at Stein & Flawil.

Day 8	
Day	Tuesday, May 29, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public transportation during the day • Visit to the César Ritz Campus in the morning. You will be shown their facilities and given first-hand information about tourism in Switzerland. A question and answer session will follow the lecture before you will be invited for lunch in their buffet restaurant • Free afternoon in Lucerne to explore the city further on your own.
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel Lunch: Group lunch at César Ritz
Be Sure to Check Out	You might take the tram up to the Mount Pilatus to enjoy the spectacular landscape and views.

Day 9	
Day	Wednesday, May 30, 2018
Accommodation	Candiolo Hotel & Residence Address: Via Sestriere, 12, 10060 Candiolo TO, Italy Phone Number: +39 011 962 2380
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public transportation during the morning and early afternoon • “Zopf” (braided bread) baking course at the Richemont Competence Center in Lucerne in the early morning. • Visit to the Eichhof Brewery in the early afternoon (<i>includes tasting of beer during a “Bier-Apéro”</i>). The brewery has a history and tradition of 180 years and produces 11 different beer types for all tastes. • Transportation by private bus to Turin in the late afternoon
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel

Next Location	
Lucern to Turin	Transportation from Lucerne to Turin via private motor coach.

Day 10	
Day	Thursday, May 31, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transportation by bus from the hotel to Let’s Cook experience • Culinary exercises at the kitchen. Group will be split in groups of 2 persons to prepare 2 dishes of real original Italian food. Afterwards, clean and reset the working station. • Olive oil or wine tasting • Free time in the city center of Turin • Transportation by bus from the city center of Turin to the hotel
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel Lunch: Prepared during cooking exercise

Day 11	
Day	Friday, June 1, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full day excursion via private motor coach to Emilia Romagna • Visit to a Parmigiano Reggiona factory • Group lunch and a visit to the Acetaia Malpighi • Free evening in Candiolo
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel Lunch: Group lunch
Did you know?	Acetaia Malpighi has been producing Traditional Balsamic Vinegar of Modena since 1850.

Day 12	
Day	Saturday, June 2, 2018
Accommodation	Santa Caterina Park Hotel Address: Via della Cisa III,, 19038 Sarzana SP, Italy Phone Number: +39 0187 622095
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excursion by private motor coach to the Museo del Gusto in Frossasco to visit the museum and its garden. • Private motor coach transfer to IFSE school in Piobesi Torinese for a cooking class. Group will be split in 4 teams and prepare one course of the lunch. Certificate ceremony to follow. • Transportation via private motor coach to Cinque Terre, stopping in the city center of Sarzana. • Orientation session with your on-site coordinator
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel Lunch: Prepared during cooking exercise

Next Location	
Turin to Cinque Terre	Transportation from Turin to Cinque Terre via private motor coach, touring en route at Sarzana.

Day 13	
Day	Sunday, June 3, 2018
Accommodation	Hotel de Suède Address: 18 Avenue de Suède, 06000 Nice, France Phone Number: +33 4 93 88 73 73
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transportation by private bus during the day • Guided day excursion via private motor coach through Cinque Terre to explore Riomaggiore, Vernazza, and Monterosso (<i>includes ferry tickets from La Spezia to Riomaggiore, from Riomaggiore to Vernazza and from Vernazza to Monterosso, as well as train tickets from Monterosso to La Spezia</i>) • Transportation via private motor coach to Nice in the late afternoon • Orientation session with your on-site coordinator
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel

Next Location	
Cinque Terre to Nice	Transportation from Cinque Terre to Nice via private motor coach.

Day 14	
Day	Monday, June 4, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Backstage tour of the Monte Carlo Casino in Monaco in the morning (to be confirmed), to explore their facilities and learn about the history of the Casino • Guided tour of a vineyard in the afternoon, e.g. of the Château de Bellet in Nice, to better understand the viticultural work done throughout the year to obtain grapes of the highest quality • Afterwards, wine tasting at their winery to get an introduction to wine tasting and learn about the different steps involved in wine tasting in terms of sight, smell and taste
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel

Day 15	
Day	Tuesday, June 5, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guided walking tour of the Old Town of Nice in the morning. Discover the colorful food and flower market at “Cours Saleya” and the Colline du Château with its waterfall that was built in 1885. • Free afternoon to explore Nice further on your own • Farewell dinner at restaurant in Nice in the evening. You will also have the opportunity to meet a representative of the restaurant and learn about the history of this restaurant, about their specialties and their label “Cuisine Niçoise”
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel Dinner: Group Farewell Dinner
Be Sure to Check Out	For a breathtaking view of Nice, head up to the lookout on Castle Hill. There is a free lift directly next to Hotel Suisse. <i>Insider tip: bring a packed lunch and really enjoy the gardens and view.</i>

Day 16	
Day	Wednesday, June 6, 2018
Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check out of accommodations • Transfer to airport for departure
Dining	Breakfast: Provided at hotel

Your program has concluded.
No matter where your next adventure leads, safe travels!

