

CYPRUS



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The world is calling.

Summer 2021

LOCATION

Cyprus, the third largest island in the Mediterranean, is an important regional financial and tourist hub. The country has a high standard of modern living and over 300 days of sunshine annually. Cyprus has a remarkably diverse natural and cultural environment and English is widely spoken as a second language.

Nicosia, capital of Cyprus, combines both old and new in a busy modern commercial and business center and a centuries-old culture. The center of the city is its old quarter surrounded by a Venetian sandstone fortress wall with a moat and heart-shaped bastions. Mosques and palm trees give an oriental atmosphere to the old city. Wander round narrow streets with overhanging balconies and the beautiful restored pedestrian precinct with craft shops, cafes and taverns. The new city spreads beyond the walls with a modern Europeanized center of high-rise buildings, office blocks, shops and pavement cafes. expanding into suburban residential areas. This field experience will be based at the University of Nicosia (UNIC).

COURSE WORK AND HIGHLIGHTS

Students will enroll in one of the following courses taught by Chatham faculty.

Exploring Environmental Extremes (3 credits) aims to complement lectures on environmental physiology with site visits throughout Cyprus. For example, after discussing the physiological responses to high altitude exposure the students will visit the highest point in Cyprus (Mount Olympus, 6404 ft). The intention of this course is to promote understanding of environmental physiology by experiencing the impressive landscape and intense Mediterranean climate of Cyprus.

Politics of Cyprus (3 credits) will explore Cypriot history and contemporary political issues. Special focus will be paid to Cyprus's experience with numerous European empires, modern legacy of ethnic conflict, and path to European Union membership. Site visits to current political institutions will also be a part of the course.

The field experience will include day and overnight excursions to cultural and historical sites with guided tours, as appropriate.

Students will also enroll in a 3-credit UNIC course of their choosing, taught by UNIC faculty. These courses include:

BADM-491	Digital Currency and Blockchain Technology
MKTG-491	International Marketing
EUS-210	European Cultures
DES-260	Photography, or
HS-215A	Management of Care

HOUSING

Students will live in single occupancy premium residences at UNIC; during overnight excursions, in multiple occupancy hotels.

ELIGIBILITY

Chatham undergraduate students must have good academic standing and a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher at the time of application and at the commencement of spring 2021 term. Students must have completed at least 30 undergraduate credits at the time of travel, including at least 15 credits completed at Chatham at the time of travel.

Students must have good judicial standing (to be verified by Office of Student Affairs) and good financial standing at Chatham (to be verified by Student Accounts).

Students must be current Chatham students at the time of the field experience to participate.



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TENTATIVE DATES June 9-July 7, 2021

PROGRAM FEE *Politics of Cyprus* program \$9,621
Exploring Environmental Extremes program \$9,686

TUITION AND COLLEGE FEES 6 credits tuition included (credit will transfer from UNIC)

Chatham undergraduate students may be eligible for a \$1,200 study abroad voucher and a \$1800 International Studies Certificate voucher. Students must meet eligibility requirements. See application at chatham.abroadoffice.net for details.

APPLICATION DEADLINE December 2, 2020

MINIMUM ENROLLMENT 8 students in each course taught by Chatham faculty. Each field experience is self-supporting and must meet its minimum enrollment number or it will be cancelled.

This field experience is conditionally approved and will only run if health and safety conditions, including Cyprus visa and entry restrictions, US Dept of State Travel Warning and CDC Travel Health Notice, permit.

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