

TWO-AND-A-HALF WEEK STUDY ABROAD

(July 6, 2025 - July 23, 2025)

HST 744SA/HST696SA

INDUSTRY, EMPIRE & ENLIGHTENMENT

(3 credits)

- **Spend two and a half weeks exploring Glasgow and Edinburgh, two of Scotland's most beautiful cities.**
- **Immerse yourself in the history of a nation forged in the fires of political turmoil, industrial expansion, and imperial glory.**
- **Complete one of your required seminars based on research in the Glasgow and Edinburgh archives.**
- **Apply for scholarships available from History, CLASS and Study Abroad.**



Explore the Scottish cities of Edinburgh and Glasgow and learn about the birth of the modern European world! Discover in Edinburgh how Scotland's union with England in 1707 fostered a new civil society that birthed the Scottish Enlightenment. Uncover how the twin forces of industrialization and empire transformed Glasgow from a sleepy small town into the second city of the British Empire. And investigate the development and importance of what it meant to be British and Scottish in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. You'll play an active role in investigating the past, researching the ways Scots participated in the forging of Great Britain and the British Empire and how that transformed Scotland as a nation.

We'll spend two weeks in two of Scotland's largest cities, soaking up the thriving day- and night-life that characterizes these contemporary spaces. We'll interact with local students and professors eager to share their knowledge with us. From the latest in fine dining to snacks at a centuries-old pub, we'll enjoy Scottish food culture in all of its glory. And we'll breathe in the society and culture of two beautiful cities while learning about some of the most important events in modern British and European history.

Application Deadline: February 1, 2025.

Apply early! Once the program fills, applications will close.

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*** Study Abroad courses must meet the minimum enrollment in order to run.**