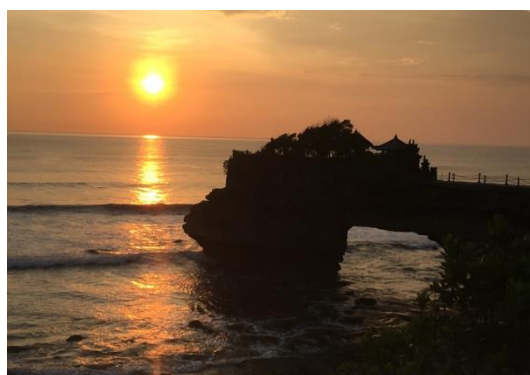


Arts, Music & Culture in Bali

January 3-27, 2018 (Tentative)



ANT 272Y Bali is an island of breathtaking natural beauty with a varied landscape of mountains and hills, rugged coastlines and sandy beaches, ancient rice terraces, pristine crater lakes, sacred caves and lush tropical forests. But it is the culture and arts of the island for which it is most celebrated. A Hindu enclave in a predominantly Muslim country, the Balinese have sustained their culture through shifting political rule, and have effectively embraced and welcomed artists and tourists interested in this special place, while not losing connection to the deep spiritual, ethical, and aesthetic currents that suffuse their lives. The island's rich cultural heritage is visible everywhere - with over 20,000 temples and palaces, daily festivals and ceremonies, and histories told through performance.

Arts, Culture and Music in Bali is a 3 credit intensive course abroad preceded by a one credit 7 week pre-departure course. Students will study Balinese performing arts. They will engage in individualized ethnographic research inquiry into selected topics in Balinese culture and society. Site visits, performances, and ceremonies provide context and invite reflection on Bali's remarkable cultural geography and traditions, and the island's complex relationships to globalization.

Eligibility, Prerequisites, and Academic Credit

You must be in good academic standing in all courses (above a 2.0 GPA). Students will receive 1 credit for a pre-departure course taught during the last seven weeks of the Fall 2017 semester. Students will receive 3 credits for the three-week intensive course in Bali. Students will obtain a total of 4 credits. Interviews may be required as part of the application process.

Application and Study Abroad Deposit Deadlines

March 24, 2017: Application & \$50 application fee due

May 5, 2017: \$500 non-refundable deposit is due

September 22, 2017: Final payment due

Financial Aid

Students who qualify for the study abroad voucher are able to apply the voucher to the cost of this program. Students entering Goucher beginning in Fall 2014 may apply for a Goucher Global Grant in lieu of the study abroad voucher.

Passport and Visa Information

Students are required to have passports for all Goucher programs. Failure to have a passport will prohibit participation in the program. **Please apply for a passport as soon as possible at:**

http://travel.state.gov/passport/get/get_4855.html

For application information, please contact:

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Program Cost Breakdown

Total cost paid to Goucher	\$4,400
This cost covers the following:	Lodging Most meals Transportation within Bali Excursions Insurance INTERNATIONAL AIRFARE Airport pickup

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Total cost inclusive of airfare	\$4,400*

Note: Information contained in this flyer is accurate at the time of publication, but is based on conditions over which Goucher has no control, including rates of exchange, airline fares, student enrollment, and the availability of facilities. Therefore, this information is subject to change without notice.

***Please note:** Students will need to budget for personal expenses, meals not covered by program, and passport if needed.