## Furman University Study Away Program: Academic, Environmental, Physical & Health Expectations

Program: War & Remembrance: The Yugoslav Wars (Croatia, Bosnia & Serbia)

**Dates: May 9 - 30, 2018** \*Request accommodations through the Student Office for Accessibility Resources (SOAR)

**Course catalog description:** This course examines the social construction of war-related memory in Croatia, Bosnia and Serbia. In particular, it focuses on the wars of the 1990s, addressing issues related to the destruction of cities, the rise of nationalism, the return of genocide and the failure of the international community to prevent violence.

**Program Description:** The program will visit a variety of monuments, museums and battlefields related to the Yugoslav wars, whose commemoration remains the focus of heated debate. By taking students out of the classroom and having them encounter this memory production and future visioning first-hand, we hope to make them more aware of the ways in which memory is constructed, rather than being self-evident.

Frequency								F	requenc	у				Fr	equency			
ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS	Never	Seldom	Some- times	Often	Optional	Required	STUDY AWAY ENVIRONMENT	Never	Seldom	Some- times	Often	Always	PHYSICAL EXPECTATIONS	Never	Seldom	Some- times	Often	Daily
Course work in a foreign language	х						Foreign Language Environment					х	Lifting luggage				х	
Course work in English				х		х	Mountainous	х					Carrying luggage		Х			
Use of laptop					Х		Tropical	х					Carrying equipment	х				
Use of smart device					х		Desert	х					Carrying groceries	х				
Traditional Classroom		Х				Х	Urban			х			Standing 30+ minutes					х
Indoor Course Work						х	Rural			х			Walking 1+ miles					х
Outdoor Course Work						х	High Elevation	х					Hiking (easy)	Х				
Group Work						х	Dusty	х					Hiking (strenuous)	х				
Presentations							Air Pollution	х					Sitting 5+ hours		Х			
Interactions with local residents					х		Recent Terrorisn	n X					Use of public transport	x				
Field Work						х	Mosquito Borne Risk of Illness	х					Flat terrain				Х	

Internship	Х				Earthquakes	Х			Hilly terrain		
Research	Х				Other Natural Disaster	Х			Stairs		
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HEALTH & DIET	Never	Seldom	Sometir	Usually	Always
Vegetarian Options					Х
Vegan Options				х	
Food Allergy Accommodations					Х
Group Meals		Х			
Cooking for oneself	х				
Host family prepares meals	х				
Healthcare easily accessible					х

Comments: 4 group meals provided; students will eat in restaurants or hotel breakfasts

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LIVING ARRANGEM	Never	Seldom	times	Often	Always
Host Family	Х				
Roommate					Х
Shared Apartmen	Х				
Dormitory	Х				
Camping	Х				
Hotel					х
Cell phone signal available					х
Internet signal available					х
Comments:		-			

Hilly terrain	Х		
Stairs		Х	

omments: Students can take taxis during personal time

## Frequency

WATER					
ACTIVITIES	Never	Seldom	Often	Required	
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Swimming	Х				
Snorkeling	Х				
SCUBA	х				
Boating (speed					
boat)	Х				
Rowing	х				
Comments: Walki	ng near	waterfall	s on a bo	ard wa	lk

Comments: Walking near waterfalls on a board walk over an inland river.

## **Center for Disease Control and Prevention**

recommends the following vaccine for most travelers: Hepatitis A. Protect yourself against bug bites as you would anywhere.