



2 CREDIT FACULTY-LED TRAVEL STUDY

LOCATION

Stockholm, Uppsala,
Kiruna, Helsinki

DURATION

Spring 2018 (Program)
March 22-April 1 2018
(Tentative travel)

REQUIREMENTS

Minimum of 2.5 GPA, at least second semester
freshman status, & good disciplinary standing.

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION: English

Course Selection: COMDIS 491

THE PROGRAM

In this course, students will evaluate and compare educational policy, service delivery, and student assessment in the USA, Sweden, and Finland through readings, video, discussions, observations, and travel. The course seeks to broaden students' global perspectives and understanding of various educational policies and practices that impact educators, allied health professionals, and students in educational systems.



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APPLICATION

To apply online:

www.uww.edu/international

Program Application deadline:

Friday, December 1st, 2017

After you apply to the program
apply for the **WI Grant and
Scholarships:**

<http://www.uww.edu/international/globalexperiences/financial-information/scholarships-and-grants>

WI Grant Deadline: Oct 15

Scholarship Deadline: Nov 1

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FEES AND EXPENSES

Estimated Program Fee:
\$5675

FEES INCLUDE:

- Airfare and local transportation
- Local Tours/ accommodations
- Indicated group meals
- UW System academic abroad insurance

**The estimated program fee is based on 16 paying participants. The actual program fee will be established mid-term when all participants have obtained legal travel documents.*

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TENTATIVE TRAVEL ITINERARY

- 22 Mar: Depart from Chicago and arrive in Stockholm
- 23 Mar: Walking tour of Stockholm, including Gamla Stan (Old Town) and the city's historic center
- 24 Mar: Stockholm sightseeing tour
Vasa Ship Museum (Island of Djurgarden)
School visit - Learn about Swedish education
- 25 Mar: University visit in Stockholm
Visit Uppsala, largest cathedral in Sweden
Depart to Kiruna
- 26 Mar: Explore Sami culture, the indigenous people of Scandinavia
Icehotel visit - world's first hotel made from ice and snow
Evening excursion to see the Northern Lights
- 27 Mar: Free time in Stockholm
Overnight ferry to Helsinki
- 28 Mar: Sightseeing tour of Helsinki
Walking tour (Senate Square, Government House, Helsinki University, Russian Orthodox Uspenski Cathedral, Esplanade)
- 29 Mar: Lecture at Finnish National Board of Education
Local school visit
- 30 Mar: Visit coastal town of Turku
University visit
- 31 Mar: Nuukio National Park
Free time in Helsinki
- 01 Apr: Depart for Chicago

