

**Faculty Seminar Abroad Itinerary**  
**Peace & Conflict Study: Jordan, Israel, Serbia, and Kosovo**  
**May 14 – June 1, 2013**

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**Tuesday, May 14**

18:30 Meet James River Transportation in the INTC parking lot for transfer to Dulles airport  
21:00 Arrive at Dulles International Airport  
23:25 Turkish Airlines flight 8 departs Dulles International Airport

**Wednesday, May 15**

16:40 Turkish Airlines flight 8 arrives in Istanbul  
20:20 Turkish Airlines flight 812 departs Istanbul  
23:15 Turkish Airlines flight 812 arrives in Amman



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Wednesday, May 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 22:00: Arrive at Queen Alia Airport, Amman, and will be met by SIT Study Abroad staff</li> <li>• Orientation with SIT Staff (Jon has a water bottle for Raed Al-Tabini, the Academic Director)</li> <li>• Dinner</li> </ul>
Thursday, May 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10:00: Morning lecture: Feminism and the Women's Movement in Jordan – Rola Qawas (Jon has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 11:30: Visit to the Centre for Strategic Studies at Jordan University</li> <li>• 12:30: Lunch at Jordan University</li> <li>• 13:30: Visit to Women's Union</li> <li>• 15:30: Evening lecture: Israel, Jordan, and Palestine – Dr. Ibrahim Badran (Jon has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 18:00: Dinner at Umsiaat Amman Restaurant</li> </ul>
Friday, May 17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10:00: Morning lecture: Islam and modernity – Dr. Mohammad Ryan (Jon has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 12:00 – 16:00: Jerash Excursion &amp; Lunch</li> <li>• 17:00: Lecture: Foreign Policy in Jordan post-Arab Spring – Dr. Jawad Anani (Former Deputy Prime Minister) (Jon has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 19:30: Dinner with Laura Hadad (alumnus) at SIT (Jon has a 2 USB drives for Laura and her husband) – <a href="mailto:lshaddad@gmail.com">lshaddad@gmail.com</a>; 079-5999408</li> </ul>
Saturday, May 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 09:30: Morning lecture #1: An Overview of Jordan's Political Parties, Political System, and the Role of Women in Politics – Dr. Abla Abu Ilbeh (Jon has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 11:00: Morning lecture #2: Iraqi and Syrian refugees in Jordan – Dr. Haitham Al Zuabi (Jon Has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 12:30: City tour of Amman (Jon has a business card holder for the tour guide)</li> <li>• 13:00: Lunch</li> <li>• 16:00: Round table discussion on the Israel-Palestine conflict with Palestinians/Jordanians (Scott has 10 business card holders for these participants)</li> <li>• 20:00: Dinner at Windmills Restaurant</li> </ul>
Sunday, May 19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Departure for Haifa, Israel</li> </ul>

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<p>Sunday, May 19</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Morning - Border Crossing Jordan River Terminal. A minibus will take the group and drive to the Haifa University campus.</li> <li>• 11:15 – 11:30 – Orientation – going through the schedule</li> <li>• 11:30 – 12:30 - Lecture on Internationalization on campus will be taken by Professor Hanan Alexander and Sandra from the International School (Scott, Lucretia, Rafael, and Tony have water bottles for Hanan Alexander, Sandra, Lilach, and Liana)</li> <li>• 12:30 -13:30 - Campus tour</li> <li>• 13:30- 15:00 - Lunch - Meeting with the Dean of Students and Head of the International School Professor Hanan Alexander and Professors from Haifa University and the International School (Joe has a marble clock for David Faraggi; Rafael has 10 USB drives for the professors)</li> <li>• 15:00-18:30- Tour of Haifa (Guide – Mr. Eran Keter) (Jon has a business card for Eran Keter)</li> <li>• 19:00 - Dan Gardens Hotel Check in – Free evening</li> </ul>
<p>Monday, May 20</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9:30 – 11:30 – Lecture – Dr. Udi Eran – History of the Conflict (Accompanied by the participation of students from the Peace and Conflict Studies) (Scott has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 12:00-14:00 - Meetings with Professors from the University of Haifa &amp; lunch (Tony has 10 USB drives for the participants at this lunch)</li> <li>• 14:30-16:30 – Lecture – Peace Education by Dr. Haggai Kupermintz from the Department of Learning, Teaching &amp; Supervision. (Lucretia has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 17:00-19:30 - Tour to "Daliat El Carmel" -meeting with Druze culture and the Carmel Forest &amp; a Druze dinner.</li> </ul>
<p>Tuesday, May 21</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10:00 – 12:00 – Lecture – Prof. Ben-Zvi – US and the Arab-Israeli Conflict (Accompanied by the participation of students from the Peace and Conflict Studies) (Rafael has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 12:30 – 19:00 - Trip to Akko + tour to Rosh Hanikra caves (Including free time in Akko for lunch)</li> </ul>
<p>Wednesday, May 22</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 09:00 – 10:00 – Tal with Dr. Ayman Agbaria – Lecturer in the department of leadership and policy in education at the University of Haifa and the director of the Mendal Leadership Institute in Jerusalem. (Joe has a USB drive for this lecturer)</li> <li>• 10:00 – 11:00 – Talk with Prof. Benny Miller from the Department of Political Science &amp; the academic advisor of the</li> </ul>

	<p>program (Accompanied by the participation of students from the Peace and Conflict Studies) – Explaining war &amp; peace in the Middle East (Lucretia has a USB drive for this lecturer)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11:30 – 21:00 - Trip to Nazareth, Sea of Galilee and Zippori (Travel Guide - Mr. Israel Neeman) (Jon has a business card holder for this tour guide)</li> </ul>
<p>Thursday, May 23</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International involvement in the conflict and the military aspects of it <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Dr. Daphna Canetti</li> <li>○ Dr. Zach Levey</li> <li>○ Prof Uri Bar-Joseph</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>(Accompanied by the participation of students from the Peace and Conflict Studies) (Mary has USB drives for each of the 3 panelists)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11:00 – 12:00 – A visit to the Jewish-Arab Center in the University of Haifa</li> <li>• 12:15 - 13:30 – Farewell lunch with the Dean of Students and Head of the International School Professor Hanan Alexander</li> <li>• 13:30 - Depart for Jerusalem. Travel Guide – Mr. Israel Neeman</li> <li>• Time of Hotel Check in (Prima Kings Hotel) - TBD (depending on the guide and tiredness of the group)</li> </ul>
<p>Friday, May 24</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview from Haas Promenade – Historical and political overview of Jerusalem – East and West</li> <li>• City of David – Walk through archeological/biblical site of First Temple Jerusalem. The City of David excavation is in the Silwan neighborhood and today is the focus of political clash between Israel and the Palestinians. This is one of the world's most controversial archeological sites.</li> <li>• (We need to order this site for about 10:15AM)</li> <li>• Western Wall Visit</li> <li>• Overview of the Temple Mount – Discussion of the Night Journey (Koran) and Muslim connection to Jerusalem</li> <li>• Jewish expectations of Messianic redemption and the construction of the Third Temple on Mt. Moriah (site of the Binding of Isaac) where the First and Second Temples stood.</li> <li>• Jewish Quarter Walk - Herodian Quarter (connection to the Second Temple) excavations.</li> <li>• Modern Issues in the Old City – the fall of the Jewish Quarter to Jordan in 1948 and the 1967 capture of the Old City by Israel. Where are we today?</li> <li>• Church of the Holy Sepulcher – The most holy site in Catholicism and the Orthodox churches. History and politics through the generations. Where is the Christian world in today's Middle East?</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Are there political/religious solutions to the Jerusalem labyrinth?</li> <li>• Free time to shop in the Arab Market.</li> <li>• 21:30 – A minibus will pick up the group from the hotel and will take them to the airport</li> </ul>
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**Saturday, May 25**

01:20 Turkish Airlines flight 791 departs Tel Aviv  
03:30 Turkish Airlines flight 791 arrives in Istanbul  
07:40 Turkish Airlines flight 1081 departs Istanbul  
08:20 Turkish Airlines flight 1081 arrives in Belgrade



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## Reminder: No apparel with UR shield on it in Serbia!

Saturday, May 25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>8:20</b> Flight from Tel Aviv to Belgrade</li><li>• <b>10:00</b> Early check-into hotel <i>Prag</i></li><li>• Individual lunch</li><li>• <b>17:00-18:00</b> Welcome and introductions, expectations – SIT staff (Noah has a water bottle for Orli Fridman; Mary has 10 bookmarks and Lucretia has 10 business card holders for SIT staff)</li><li>• <b>19:00</b> Welcome dinner @ <i>Znak Pitanja</i> - Serbian Kafana</li></ul>
Sunday, May 26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>10:00-11:00</b> Post-war/Post-Yugoslav Balkans: thinking comparatively with Israel-Palestine – Dr. Orli Fridman</li><li>• Coffee Break</li><li>• <b>11:30-13:00</b> Serbia after Milošević – Dr. Vladimir Pavićević (Shital has a pen for this lecturer)</li><li>• <b>13:00-14:00</b> Lunch @ <i>Britt Café</i></li><li>• <b>14:00-15:00</b> Short introduction to Serbian Language (Politics and Identity in the Balkans) – Ms. Nikica Strižak (Noah has a business card holder for this lecturer)</li><li>• <b>15:00-19:00</b> City tour of Belgrade (Shital has a business card holder for this tour guide)</li><li>• <b>19:30</b> Walk to the river Sava followed by dinner @ <i>Comunale</i> – reservations at 20:00</li></ul>



Monday, May 27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>10:00</b> Leave the hotel for the <i>Faculty of Political Science</i></li> <li>• <b>10:30-12:00</b> Serbian perspectives of the Kosovo conflict – Dr. Filip Ejdus (<b>Shital has a pen for this lecturer</b>)</li> <li>• Lunch break @ <i>Vapiano</i></li> <li>• <b>14:30-16:00</b> Visit the Humanitarian Law Center – Ms. Marijana Toma: Transitional justice and Dealing with the Past in Serbia (<b>Andy has a pen for this lecturer</b>)</li> <li>• <b>19:00</b> Reception with local SIT staff &amp; faculty @ <i>Supermarket</i> (<b>Noah and Shital each have 10 business card holders for the guests at this reception</b>)</li> </ul>
Tuesday, May 28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>10:30-12:00</b> From discourses of Brotherhood and Unity to Discourses of EU integration – Dr. Jelisaveta Blagojević (<b>Andy has a pen for this lecturer</b>)</li> <li>• Lunch @ <i>Mikser house</i></li> <li>• <b>14:30-16:00</b> Visit the Youth Initiative for Human Rights (a local NGO)</li> <li>• Free afternoon/individual dinner</li> </ul>



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**Dobar dan! (Good day! in Albanian)**

**Reminder: No apparel with UR shield on it in Kosovo!**

**Pristina, Kosovo: May 29—June 1**

Wednesday, May 29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>9:00</b> Travel to Pristina (lunch on the bus)</li><li>• <b>15:00</b> Check in to hotel <i>Sirius</i></li><li>• <b>16:00</b> Brief intro to Kosovo/a-Pristina – Mr. Yll Buleshkaj (SIT Kosovo coordinator) (<b>Andy has a water bottle for Yll Buleshkaj</b>)</li><li>• <b>17:00</b> Afternoon tour of Pristina: including AUK, Velania hill</li><li>• <b>20:00</b> Dinner @ <i>Pishat</i> [with AUK faculty] and UR alum (Caitlin Smith – <a href="mailto:caitlin.smith@richmond.edu">caitlin.smith@richmond.edu</a>) <b>Joe has a pennant for the UR alumnus</b>)</li></ul>
Thursday, May 30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>10:00-11:30</b> Introduction to state-building in Kosovo/a – Dr. Afrim Hoti (<b>Andy has a pen for this lecturer</b>)</li><li>• <b>12:00</b> Visit to Gračanica Monastery</li><li>• Lunch on the bus</li><li>• <b>14:30</b> Visit to the city of Prizren (1.5h drive from Pristina)</li><li>• Visit the mosque, the League of Prizren Museum, Monastery etc</li><li>• Dinner at the old city</li><li>• Return to Pristina</li></ul>
Friday, May 31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>11:00-12:30</b> Transitional justice and Dealing with the past in Kosovo/a – Mr. Nehari Sharri (<b>Andy has a pen for this lecturer</b>)</li><li>• Lunch @</li><li>• <b>15:00</b> Visit Gazimestan (the 'Kosovo battle' site of 1389)</li><li>• <b>16:00</b> Visit the divided city of Mitrovica</li><li>• Study visit summary and closure</li><li>• Dinner @ <i>Tiffany's</i></li></ul>

**Saturday, June 1**

09:15

Turkish Airlines flight 1018 departs Kosovo

11:45

Turkish Airlines flight 1018 arrives in Istanbul

13:35  
18:10

Turkish Airlines flight 7 departs Istanbul  
Turkish Airlines flight 7 arrives at Dulles International Airport

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