


Scotland 2026

CARDINAL DESTINATION COURSE ABROAD

Scottish Enlightenment

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 May 6-20, 2026

ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- Principia Consortium at University of Glasgow
- Visit Cluzean Castle
- Experience a boat ride across a Scottish Loch
- Visit Glasgow and Edinburgh
- Gain global perspective on sustainability via local industries

ACCOMMODATION DETAILS:

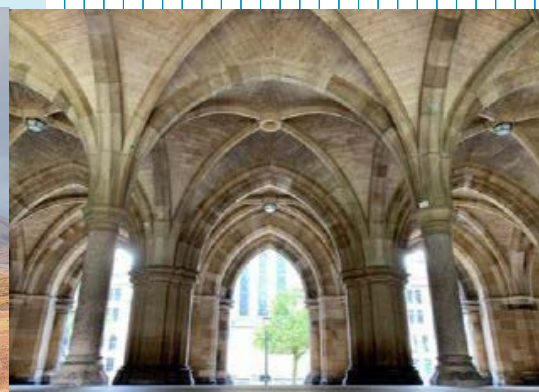
- Hotels and/or hostels
- On-campus dormitories possible at University of Glasgow
- More information to come!

CARD*260*BL8

*This course can be substituted for HONR*290 credit (for NCC College Scholars)*

Course Description:

College Scholars — travel to Glasgow to explore the Scottish Enlightenment and have a unique international Honors experience via University of Glasgow's Principia Consortium for study abroad Honors students. Our focus will be on Glasgow's current creative and innovative economy and local partnerships meeting contemporary social issues via the lens of the Scottish Enlightenment ideas and ideals, and the lasting influence, global impact, sustainability and contemporary relevance. We will have on-site lectures, visit innovation labs, explore community partnerships in service learning and explore Glasgow and beyond with cultural site visits and day adventures.



Enrollment Steps:

To participate in a Cardinal Destination Course Abroad (CDCA), you must enroll in and successfully complete its prerequisite work.

- Contact your student success coach to understand how enrollment in the CDCA will affect your academic plan.
- Register ON MERLIN for the correlating 2-credit CARD*260 course on Merlin in the spring 2026 semester (designated course section listed on the flipside of this flyer). This course encompasses both the required prerequisite work and the travel component in May.

Enrollment Deadline: November 1, 2025

(or before, if course capacity is met).

Center for Global Education (CGE) Registration:

- **November 1, 2025:** Students enrolled in a CDCA will begin the registration process, be charged a non-refundable \$40 registration fee, and prompted to pay the non-refundable \$500 program fee deposit, through the Center for Global Education.
- **January 19, 2026:** Proof of a valid passport is due. *(Current passports must be valid through November 2026 for May term travel, six (6) months past your return travel date.)*

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ESTIMATED COST & PAYMENTS

\$4,110 - \$4,610 based on 24 enrolled students

PRICE BREAK DOWN INCLUDES:

- Airfare & host country transportation estimate: \$1,100
- Program fee estimate: \$3,010 - \$3,510

NOT INCLUDED:

- Meals (other than those listed in the itinerary)
- Optional entertainment and excursions
- Excess baggage charges
- Personal items (telephone charges, laundry fees room service, souvenirs, etc.)
- Departure taxes (except U.S.)
- Passport fees

Payment Deadlines:

- **December 12, 2025:**
\$500 non-refundable program fee deposit due to North Central College
- **January 30, 2026:**
\$500 non-refundable airfare deposit due to North Central College
- **April 2026:**
Remaining program fee balance (including airfare) will be billed to your NC Student Account

CDCA Tuition

- All CDCA experiences are worth 2-credits, which fall under the spring semester.
- All participating students will be registered in a 0-credit course in summer session for administrative purposes only. There is no summer tuition course fee.
- Contact the Office of Financial Aid during the fall semester to inquire about financial aid options for Cardinal Destination Courses Abroad.

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