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# Victoria University

## World History International Study Tour 2017

Turkey | Greece | Italy | France | England | USA

### World History Study Tour

Historian Robert Pascoe will be leading a study tour based on his long-running first-year subject, World History. The tour can be taken as one or two History electives, as credit towards a degree in another university, or merely for the pleasure of a cultural tourism experience. Current students and VU alumni are particularly welcome.

Victoria University will collaborate with CISAustralia and local partners for this short-term study abroad program across Turkey, Greece, Italy, France, UK and USA. The program focuses on world history through multiple countries. It includes visits to historical sites that will allow the students to actively engage with history and the local culture in a unique, personal way.

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Application Deadline: 10<sup>th</sup> March 2017

Program Cost: \$7299-7368 (depending on numbers)

\$400 deposit due 31 March, 2017

Full payment due 28 April, 2017

Program Dates

13<sup>th</sup> June to 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2017

These dates are provisional

*“Explore- How did people live in earlier times? What did they eat? What did they worship? What was it like to be a slave? Or a woman in earlier times? How did they express themselves through poetry, stories, mosaics, statues? What evidence do historians use in coming to these understandings of the past? How can we as time travelers see the past in the buildings, the streetscapes, the artworks?”*

## The Program

Professor Pascoe is Dean Laureate and a Professor of History at Victoria University. He is the author of more than 30 books and monographs in the fields of history and higher education. He took his undergraduate degree in history at Melbourne, his PhD at Murdoch University, and his postdoctoral studies at Harvard. He was the founding Dean of Arts at Victoria University from 1991 to 2005. In 1981 he led a study tour to Greece and Egypt for Australians Studying Abroad.

In each location, there will be guided tours of important historic sites and precincts, with activity based assessments that will deepen each participant's understanding of these locales, concluding each evening with short presentations from the tutors of the day's discoveries and a discussion of the major themes in World history as they emerge in our journey together.

## Program highlights

**Istanbul and south-west Turkey** (June 13-19) including Topkapi Palace and precinct; Bosphorus cruise; Gallipoli; Bergama

**Athens and Greece** (June 20-24) including Acropolis area; Archaeological Museum; Corinth, Delphi

**Rome and Venice** (June 25-28) including Roman Forum; St Peter's; Venice

**Arles and Paris** (June 29-July 4) including Roman Arles; Avignon; Louvre; Notre Dame; Branly

**London** (July 5-7) including Houses of Parliament and precinct; Imperial War Museum; Tower of London; BM

**Boston** (July 8-11) including North End; downtown Boston; Concord & Lexington; Walden Pond

## Support

This Study Tour will be supported by CISAustralia Faculty Led Programs team.

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## Funding

### OS-HELP loan

The OS-HELP loan scheme offers a cash payment loan from the Australian government, giving you financial assistance during your overseas program. If you meet the eligibility criteria you can borrow up to \$6,567. Talk to Victoria Abroad for information on eligibility criteria and application process.

### VU Study Overseas grant

Eligible students can receive a \$1,000 VU Study Overseas grant.

Email [educationabroad@vu.edu.au](mailto:educationabroad@vu.edu.au) with any questions regarding funding.