

# WORLD MYTHOLOGY



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Mythology, at its core, explains how the world works and the role humans play in complex systems. *World Mythology* introduces world views through short stories, traditional songs, poetry, films & documentaries, art, games, study of holidays, novels, and many more interdisciplinary resources and activities. Mythology helps us find meaning.



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- This is a **hybrid course** with six class meetings at the Upper Valley Academic Center, an online component, and an 11-day travel experience
- CCV General Education Requirements: This three credit course fulfills either the *Human Expression* or *Global Perspectives & Sustainability*.

**Location:** CCV-Upper Valley & Online

## **Class Meetings:**

- Saturday, September 19, 2015 10 am – 3 pm
- Saturday, October 10, 2015 10 am – 3 pm
- Saturday, October 24, 2015 10 am – 3 pm
- Saturday, November 14, 2015 10 am – 3 pm
- Saturday, December 12, 2015 10 am – 3 pm
- Saturday, January 23, 2016 10 am – 3 pm



# WHY SHOULD YOU TAKE A CCV STUDY AWAY COURSE?



- Have the experience of a lifetime
- Enhance your coursework through immersion
- Have fun with fellow students and forge new friendships
- Expand your thinking
- Learn about yourself
- Enhance your resume

# TRIP HIGHLIGHTS!

- Plaza de Cibeles
- Templo de Debod  
*(Temple of Debod)*
- Museo Nacional del Prado  
*(Prado Museum)*
- Santa Iglesia Catedral Primada de Toledo  
*(Cathedral of Toledo)*
- Teatro Romano de Mérida  
*(Roman Theatre of Merida)*
- Templo de Diana  
*(Temple of Diana)*
- Catedral de Sevilla  
*(Seville Cathedral)*
- Cueva de la Pileta  
*(Cave of the Pool)*
- El Tajo Gorge





# MEET THE INSTRUCTOR



Pam Monder, CCV faculty member in Rutland, has taught a variety of classes including *Spanish I*, *Intro to Literature*, *World Mythology*, *Contemporary World Literature*, *The Works of Stephen King* and *Vampires in Literature, Culture & Film*. Pam began her career as an elementary school Spanish teacher before moving on to higher ed. An avid traveler, Pam speaks Spanish, French & Portuguese. Pam has previously taught *World Mythology* as a study abroad course for CCV with travel to Greece.

# WHERE ARE WE GOING?

Days 1 and 11 are travel to & from Spain

- Madrid
  - 3 days/4 nights
- Toledo
  - Day trip from Madrid
- Mérida
  - One night
- Seville
  - 3 days/4 nights
- Ronda
  - Day trip from Seville





# HOW MUCH DOES THE COURSE COST?

**The course fee is \$3,195 and includes:**

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- 11-day study tour in Southern Spain
- Airfare to and from Boston, MA
- Lodging
- Daily breakfast, 1 lunch & 3 dinners
- All ground transportation
- All program activities fees



**What does the fee NOT include?**

- Course Tuition
- Transportation to and from Logan International Airport, Boston, MA
- Meals other than those listed above and those provided on the flights.
- Any additional airline taxes/fees due to fuel costs will be the student's responsibility to pay.
- Spending money

Financial Aid and/or the payment plan can be applied towards the course fee.

The course fee is subject to change based on course enrollment and airline fuel and tax surcharges. ***Course tuition is separate.***



# THINGS TO CONSIDER

- This is a tightly structured, highly **academic program** – **NOT a vacation.**
- Students should understand that they ***will be doing a fair amount of physical activity and must be in good health.***
- Students with a criminal record should be prepared to discuss this with airport security. Students who think they may have ***any*** outstanding warrants should know they may be detained.
- Using **illegal drugs and excessive drinking is simply not permitted.**
- All issues pertaining to **student behavior and course participation** are subject to special Conditions of Participation and those of the college in general as noted in the student handbook (e.g. Disruptive Student policy).
- Any additional airline taxes or fees due to fuel costs will be announced and be will the student's responsibility to pay.

# HOW CAN I ENROLL?

CCV Study Abroad application packets are available on the CCV website – [ccv.edu](http://ccv.edu)  
Submit a completed application packet to [linda.schlott@ccv.edu](mailto:linda.schlott@ccv.edu) or fax to 828.2805.

The application packet has four sections:

1. Conditions of Participation
2. Publicity and Passport Information form
3. Authorization for Emergency Medical Care and Emergency Contact Information form
4. Statement of Purpose

We are only accepting 18 students into the program.

To qualify for CCV study abroad a student must:

1. Be in good academic standing. Instructors' comments will be taken into consideration as a part of the approval process.
2. Demonstrate the ability to pay: financial aid/payment plan/cash.
3. Submit a completed application packet.
4. The Experiential Learning Committee will review applications in the order received. Notification of approval for study away will be as soon as possible after receipt of application.
5. Once the student has been approved, the student will be contacted by Linda Schlott. Linda will enroll students into the course.

Approval for study away does not guarantee a place in the course. Enrollment for approved students happens on a first come, first served basis, as with any other course.

# STUDY AWAY WITH CCV

Here's what some CCV students have to say about study abroad/away...

*"This was the best time of my life. I recommend that every student study abroad in some fashion."*

*"It was a magical experience, traveling throughout the small towns, seeing the incredible scenery and feeling the presence of the history of Ireland everywhere I went."*

*"[The highlight for me was] seeing a whole new world, a place none of my family had been, learning about another culture and way of life...it changes your view of yourself and the world."*

*"In 2009 I was able to participate in the 'Study Away' class to New Orleans to immerse ourselves in the culture 4 years post-Katrina. We worked with families in the Lower 9<sup>th</sup> Ward helping them to rebuild their homes and their lives. It was a life-changing experience for me each and every day."*

*"[Definitely] go and try it! It's worth experiencing new places and just seeing the beauty in other parts of the world."*

## **FUTURE STUDY AWAY**

***Spring 2016: Discovering Community in Detroit, Michigan***