



### ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Baylor in Maastricht is Baylor's oldest study-abroad program in Europe with a year-round presence. As the oldest city in the Netherlands, Maastricht provides the cultural immersion and European setting for a long semester or part of a summer of unforgettable study and travel.

An ancient saying suggests that it is better to travel 10,000 miles than to read 10,000 books. We believe both travel AND books are essential to maximizing college education. The Baylor in Maastricht program combines both.

Through the Maastricht program students have the opportunity to study under both European and Baylor professors. In addition, students are able to travel to major European cities, such as Madrid, Amsterdam, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, Rome and Florence thanks to a Eurail Pass which is good in 22 European countries from the Mediterranean all the way to the Arctic Circle.

This program is designed in cooperation with the Center for European Studies (CES) at Maastricht University (UM) in the Netherlands, ensuring the best possible education in the best possible setting.

Students will choose 1 course taught by Baylor faculty and 1 CES course taught by Dutch professors. All courses are taught in English.

### WHY GO TO MAASTRICHT?

- Covers tuition and fees for 6 credit hours. All courses taught in English. Automatic BU credit.
- Double-occupancy rooms (Bring a friend and choose your roommate!)
- Meal plan included in program fee (2 meals per day). Cash meal allowance when traveling.
- **Group trip in The Netherlands**
- **1-month Eurail pass valid in 22 countries for free train travel on long weekends** (classes meet M-Th only) and during designated travel periods.
- Wireless Internet, health insurance, CES textbooks.
- Be in Waco for football, basketball, and Sing.

### HOW TO APPLY

Only serious students who have completed at least 30 hours at Baylor should apply.

Students must have a minimum 3.0 GPA (this will be assessed at the end of each semester).

Students must have a clear judicial record or consent to go by the Center for Global Engagement and the director.

The program is limited to 25 students. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

**Applications are available at:**

<http://bearsabroad.baylor.edu>



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# BAYLOR IN MAASTRICHT

## SUMMER I 2018

**MAY 21 – JUNE 30**



**The world can be your campus!**



## ABOUT MAASTRICHT UNIVERSITY

Established in 1976, Maastricht University (UM) is the youngest university in The Netherlands. Maastricht University currently educates over 16,000 students and employs more than 3,500 people. Maastricht University has an “urban campus.” All faculties (University departments) are housed in beautiful historic buildings in downtown Maastricht within walking distance from one another.

The Center for European Studies (CES) is a division of Maastricht University which deals with the large number of international students enrolled. Students come from all over the world. One in four students at UM has an international background.



## ABOUT MAASTRICHT , THE NETHERLANDS

The city of Maastricht is located in the southernmost Dutch province of Limburg and is a “melting pot” of Dutch, French and German cultures. Although spoken languages of Dutch, French, and German are commonplace, some 70 percent of the Dutch also speak English.

Maastricht has played an increasingly important role in Europe in the late 20th Century. The European Council meeting in December 1991, which led to the now famous Maastricht Treaty of the European Union, is one of many indications of the city’s commitment to an international role.

The history of Maastricht dates back to 50 BC, when the Romans built a settlement near a ford in the Maas River. Today Maastricht has a population of 120,000, and because of the city’s rich heritage, the whole city-center has been declared a “protected area.”

## PROJECTED COST: \$3,250 + BAYLOR TUITION

### Includes:

- Housing and meals
- Eurail pass
- Group trip
- International health insurance



*Additional fees include: \$100 administrative fee & \$50/credit hour study abroad fee.*

*Airfare is not included. Optional group trip at mid-program may be arranged.*

### DEPOSITS

A deposit of **\$1500** is due Feb. 15. After Feb. 15, 2018, deposits will be nonrefundable.

All deposits should be paid online and are credited toward the program fee.

### TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

May 21, 2018: Depart Houston to Amsterdam (arrive May 22), transfer to Maastricht.

May 23, 2018: Orientation

May 24-26, 2018: 3-day, 2-night group trip

May 28-June 26, 2018: Classes & Exams

Jun 27—Jun 29, 2018: Independent Travel

Jun 30: Depart the Netherlands; arrive in US

### THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Dawn Carlson is a professor of Management and has been teaching at Baylor for 19 years. She attended Baylor as an undergrad and participated in the Baylor in Great Britain (BGB) summer study abroad program as a student. She believes that this amazing experience was critical to her education. After obtaining an MBA at Baylor she attended Florida State University where she earned her Ph.D. in Organizational Behavior and Human Resources. Dr. Carlson does extensive research on the interface between the work and family domains. Dr. Carlson has participated as a faculty member in the BGB program in 2011 and 2014. Dr. Carlson will be joined on this trip by her husband, John Carlson who is a professor of Information Systems at Baylor University. Their 17-year-old twins, Claire and Lucas, will also be accompanying them on this wonderful adventure.

### Train Times from Maastricht

Amsterdam:	2.5 hrs
Berlin:	7 hrs
Brussels:	2 hrs
Cologne:	2.5 hrs
Edinburgh:	11 hrs
Geneva:	8 hrs
London:	5.5 hrs
Madrid:	22 hrs
Munich:	8 hrs
Paris:	4 hrs
Prague:	12 hrs
Rome:	20 hrs
Venice:	16 hrs
Vienna:	12 hrs



### COURSES OFFERED

#### Baylor Courses (select 1)

- **MGT 3305—Organizational Behavior**

This course provides an introduction to the managerial and leadership processes through a study of the organization as a social system.

- **MIS 4319—Mobile App Development**

This is an introductory course for all majors to mobile app development using the Corona SDK.

#### CES/UM Courses (select 1)

[courses are capped at 15 students]

- **INB 3333 - Leadership and Culture in an International Context**

This course focuses on cross-cultural management and leadership in an international context and the impact of culture at an individual and corporate level.

- **MKT 3305 or 3325—It’s All About Creating Value**

This course aims to give an overview of the trends and challenges in marketing within a business model, to equip students with both the skills and knowledge to market products in the scattered and complex 21st century marketing landscape.