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DAYTON, Ohio, February 14, 1972 --- Eight University of Dayton professors will participate in an extensive study abroad program in which the University will establish three summer study centers in Europe from mid-May to mid-August. The program, which will take place at the centers in London, England; Navplion, Greece; and Madrid, Spain, is the first summer-long academic endeavor on the part of the University.

The program is being conducted in cooperation with the Belgium Students Organization (TEJ), an international group which arranges for the transportation and accommodations abroad. Participating students will go to TEJ headquarters in Brussels before being assigned to one of the three study centers.

Entitled "Interdepartmental Summer Study Abroad Program," the ambitious effort will offer courses on a monthly rotating basis to participating students, who will come from the University of Dayton, other universities, high schools and university and high school teachers.

UD professors will be from the departments of Performing & Visual Arts (Fine Arts and Theater), English, History, Philosophy, Political Science and Languages. Two professors will remain in each center for the three-month period. Two others--from Political Science and Theater--will rotate monthly between the centers.

Mrs. Alice Vines of History and Dr. Eugene August of English will conduct courses at the London center. Dr. Joseph Kunkel of Philosophy and Rev. Dusan Petrovich of Fine Arts will teach in Thessaloniki, and Marisus Castello-Lamas of Languages and Warren Ridgway of History will teach Spanish and history courses respectively in Madrid. Dr. Josef Patyk of Political Science will rotate with his student majors to all three centers while Lawrence Selka will teach theater in London and Navplion.

A total of 26 courses will be offered with a possibility of 18 credit hours for students who attend all three centers. Besides the regular undergraduate offerings, honors and independent study courses will be offered in all three centers. A student will be limited to two courses, or six credit hours, at each center. Besides the two-hour classroom sessions, the program will include field trips while weekends will be open for study and travel to historical sites. All credits will be transferable to other universities.

The cost of the trip for three months will be between \$1,550 which includes round trip air/land travel from New York City, lodgings, two meals a day and local field trips. For further information call the Department of History, University of Dayton, 229-2848.