BIOARCHAEOLOGY IN CROATIA I: OSTEOLGY & LAB-BASED METHODS

Program Description:
This program will focus on the study of the human skeleton and the cultural contexts from which they come. We will focus on osteology, learning the names of all the bones of the body as well as the features of the body. Additionally, we will focus on the cultural construction of the body through artificial modification, traumatic lesions, and paleopathology. Modern techniques such as isotopic and DNA analysis will be discussed and a special imaging workshop will be conducted at the University Hospital where we will get first-hand exposure to imaging such as X-ray and CT. All of this will take place while living in the beautiful city of Zagreb, just a half block from the main square with weekends exploring Neanderthal sites and experiencing the vibrant city of Zagreb.

Program Dates:
May 10 - June 12, 2021

Application Deadline:
March 4, 2021

Course:
AN 4990/6990: Osteology and Bioarchaeology Lab Methods (6 credit hours)

Eligibility/Prerequisites:
Students need to have at least a 2.5 GPA and be of sophomore standing in order to participate in this program.
**Program Price:** $3,610*
Application Fee: $150 (non-refundable)
  Charged: March 8, 2021
Program Fee: $3,460
  Charged: March 15, 2021

*All fees are charged to MSU student accounts.

**Program fee includes:**
- OSA Application Fee
- International Health and Emergency Assistance insurance
- Lodging
- Breakfast Monday-Friday
- Dinner Monday-Thursday
- Excursion to Kaprina
- IAR facility fees
- Museum entrance fees

**Program fee does not include:**
- MSU Tuition and Fees (charged to Student Account upon course registration)
- OSA $30 Software Fee (charged to Student Account upon course registration)
- International airfare
- Weekday lunches
- Dinners on Friday
- Weekend meals
- Transportation to and from the airport in Croatia

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