

Greek in Greece
Ohio University- University of Patras
May 31-July 8, 2017

This summer, May 31 to July 8, Ohio University and the University of Patras are offering a five-week study abroad program that features an intense study of ancient Greek. **Greek in Greece** offers students who have had one or more years study of ancient Greek the opportunity to complete a full year of ancient Greek at either the intermediate or advanced level. The program's pedagogical model emphasizes immersive group work and sight reading that enables students to progress faster in the ancient language than is possible during the regular semester. Each student will take a full year of ancient Greek, two three-credit courses (graduate students four-credit), at either the intermediate or advanced level.

The intensive work on ancient Greek is complemented by an introduction to modern Greek, offered by the Classics faculty of the University of Patras. This course has been designed especially for ancient Greek students, stressing linguistic continuities and important contemporary cultural themes. University of Patras students will assist as language-buddies for the program students and also provide them entrée to life in Patras.

Our past experience has shown that students who have studied Greek in Greece intensively undergo a dramatic improvement in their abilities, and return with heightened eagerness and commitment to their study. Testimonials to the benefits of the program will be found in a slideshow on the program's website (see below).

Patras, a seaport and transportation hub, is easily reached by bus or train from Athens and from Eleftherios Venizelos International Airport. The program will begin with several days visiting the museums and monuments of Athens, and subsequent weekends will feature excursions to such mainland archaeological and cultural sites and museums as Olympia, Mycenae, and Delphi. In Patras we will be staying at the Hotel Castello (<http://www.castellohotel.gr/start>), in air-conditioned rooms equipped with kitchenettes and garden balconies. Accommodations in Athens will be similarly air-conditioned and quite comfortable.

Overall cost of the program (for which we anticipate twelve participants) comprises the following:

PAYABLE TO OHIO UNIVERSITY	undergraduates*	graduate students
• <i>Administrative fee</i>	\$150	\$150
• <i>Program fee</i> (applied to such expenses as hotel accommodations in Athens and Patras, weekend excursion travel, site entry)	\$484	\$4449
• <i>Tuition</i> (all pay in-state Ohio tuition)	\$4491	(\$4722 - \$4094 credit) = \$628
TOTAL	\$5125	\$5227

OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES		
• airfare (\$1500 est.), meals, cell phone, local transportation, supplies, passport, incidentals)	\$2765 approx.	\$2765 approx.

*Tuition for Ohio Guaranteed students will differ slightly.

For further details about costs, available scholarships, curriculum, and the aforementioned comments of Greek in Greece alums, go to <https://www.ohio.edu/global/goglobal/programs/greek.cfm>. Or contact Prof. Jim Andrews at andrewsj@ohio.edu.