

# Glasgow

17 – 21 June 2010



Since it became the European City of Culture in 1990, Glasgow has undergone a lengthy transformation, evident along the River Clyde and the recent restoration of the magnificent Kelvingrove Art Gallery. The city grew up around the cathedral founded by St Mungo in the 6th century and in 1451 the University was founded. Its reputation has rested on its heavy industries, its tenement blocks and its poverty, but to an art lover it has extremely rich treasures, in the form of exciting architecture by Alexander 'Greek' Thomson, Robert Adam, Charles Rennie Mackintosh, and well-known artworks of exceptional quality in 3 superb museums - Kelvingrove, The Burrell Collection and The Hunterian.

Our programme will be a full one to include buildings by Mackintosh (with a visit to Hill House in Helensburgh) and visits to the Cathedral and museums.

## Accommodation

Hotel \*\*\* **Single room supplement £80**

The Victorian House Hotel\*\*\* placed in the heart of the city (Victorian styled). Bed and Breakfast tariff in twin-share room with private facilities.

## Course Cost

**£415**

Inclusive of tuition, accommodation and breakfast.

## Travel Insurance

Travel by Train: Please make own arrangements if you require insurance  
 Travel by Aereo: Once tour is viable and if we have booked a flight for you through Travelpack, you can call Lorraine on 08444 930465 for an immediate quote (unless you already have insurance)

## Travel

**You can choose: train or aero (not included in course cost)**

Train from London Euston to Glasgow Central, takes 4 ½ hrs, costs ca. £100.  
 Flight from Gatwick/Heathrow to Glasgow, ca. £120.  
 Once tour is viable we will nominate train and flight so that you can travel in company.

## Local Transport

Transfers form airport or station to hotel are at own expense.	
<b>Group Size</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>Tutor(s)</b>	<b><i>Mary Hawkins</i></b>
<b>Related OU Courses</b>	<b>General Interest</b>
<b><i>Itinerary</i></b>	
<b>DAY 01</b>	
am Journey pm Glasgow School of Art, Willow Tea Rooms (Mackintosh)	
<b>DAY 02</b>	
am Cathedral, City Chambers, Trades Hall (Robert Adam) pm The Burrell Collection	
<b>DAY 03</b>	
am Kelvingrove Art Gallery pm Boat trip on the Clyde	
<b>DAY 04</b>	
am Hunterian Art Gallery pm Hill House, Helensburgh (Mackintosh)	
<b>DAY 05</b>	
am House of an Art Lover (Mackintosh) pm Departure and journey home.	
This itinerary and study programme is provisional and may be subject to change in response to local conditions	

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