

Educational Tours

Europe / June 2016

GLOBAL STUDENT LEADERS SUMMIT

EXPLORING HUMAN RIGHTS

EDUCATION AS A HUMAN RIGHT

June 22–July 2

The World Leader in INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

Your teacher has partnered with EF because of our unmatched experience and worldwide presence, as well as our commitment to providing students with life-changing travel opportunities that are immersive and affordable. For 50 years, we've worked with educators across the globe to help millions of people become citizens of the world by breaking down barriers of language, culture and geography.

Affordable

We always offer the guaranteed lowest prices so more students have the opportunity to travel and experience the world.

Fully Accredited

We're fully accredited, just like your school, so you can earn high school and even college credit while on tour.

Safety We're c

We're committed to your safety. With 500 schools and offices in over 50 countries, local EF staff can react quickly and in person wherever you travel.

Insight

We believe in experiential learning at the most important sites. Your Tour Director is with you at every step, providing their own perspective and local tips.



Program price includes



Full-time, expert Tour Director

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Sightseeing

 sightseeing tour led by an expert, licensed local guides;
walking tour



Entrances

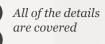
Peace Palace; Humanity House; Anne Frank House; European Commission; Eiffel Tower; Seine cruise; UNESCO; Centre Pompidou; United Nations



weShare

Our online platform for a deeper learning experience both pre- and post-tour

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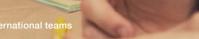


Round-trip flights on major carriers; Comfortable motorcoach; 9 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms; Breakfast and dinner daily; Lunch on days 4 and 5



Student Leadership Conference

Conference registration; Keynote addresses; Expert workshops; Student workshops; Innovation Village



BE PART OF THE SOLUTION

"To deny people their human rights is to challenge their very humanity." – NELSON MANDELA

What do you consider your human rights to be? The right to an education? The right to individuality? Freedom from discrimination? When people treat each other with dignity and respect, human rights become second nature. But when people are denied basic and fundamental freedoms, what is our responsibility? How can we create the condition for peace through mutual respect and understanding?

These are the questions we will examine at our 2016 Global Student Leaders Summit, Exploring Human Rights, in The Hague, Netherlands. This extraordinary event combines an educational tour and two-day leadership conference in The Hague, the "judicial capital of the world." You will learn from world-renowned experts and work together with peers from the United States and Europe to design and present your own solution to human rights issues.

What to expect on your Summit

1 Immersive Travel

Your tour of The Hague, Brussels, Paris and Geneva brings the Human Rights theme to life as you gain knowledge and hands-on experience through cultural and education-focused activities.

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Thought Leadership

World-renowned speakers and human rights experts lead discussions and workshops to inspire and educate you. Past speakers have included AI Gore, Jane Goodall and Sir Ken Robinson. Keynote speakers for the 2016 Europe Summit will be announced in the fall of 2015.

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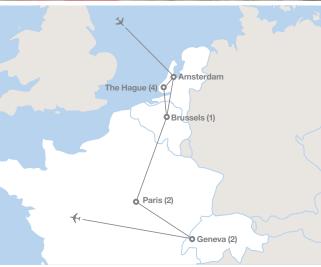
Design Thinking

Working in small international teams, you will learn the design thinking process—a creative problem-solving technique used by companies like Apple and Google—and then use it to propose your own solutions to today's human rights challenges.

4 Online Learning

weShare, our online learning platform, gives you a place to research, reflect and share how you plan to impact local change as part of your final project. You can even earn high school credit.









Dutch Parliament buildings in The Hague

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Highlights of what you'll experience on your 11-day tour to The Hague, Brussels, Paris and Geneva:



JNESCO

You know their World Heritage Sites. Now discover how the UN agency promotes peace through education and understanding.



ANNE FRANK HOUSE See where a young girl refused to lose hope in the face of Nazi persecution, and where she penned a diary that forever inspires.



PEACE PALACE Visit the home of international law where nations have been resolving their disputes for more than a century.

Itinerary June 22–July 2, 2016

Days 1-2: Amsterdam / The Hague

Fly overnight to Amsterdam and meet your Tour Director at the airport. Then transfer to The Hague, seat of the Dutch government.

Day 3: The Hague

Get acquainted with The Hague today and learn why it's the "City of International Peace and Justice." You'll visit the 19th century Peace Palace, a symbol of the global peace movement and home to the International Court of Justice and the permanent court of arbitration.

You'll also explore the Humanity House, a museum established by the Red Cross to increase understanding and awareness of humanitarian issues. Creative exhibits allow you to explore human rights issues, reflect on your own personal freedoms and consider ways you contribute to a life of peace and free will.

Days 4-5: The Hague The leadership conference begins as you connect with students from all over the world in this inspiring and innovative setting. Over the course of two days you will hear from worldrenowned keynote speakers, work with local and global experts, and collaborate with peers in small international teams. You will learn the design thinking process to develop solutions to today's human rights challenges and be inspired to take action back home.

Day 6: Amsterdam / Brussels

Travel to Amsterdam, where you'll explore the city's charming bridges and canals on a walking tour. You'll also visit the Anne Frank House. Step inside the 500-square-foot secret annex where young Anne and her family hid from Nazi occupiers for more than two years, until their capture in 1944. Anne's diary has been published in more than 60 languages around the world, a vivid reminder of Jewish persecution. Then continue to the Belgian capital of Brussels.

Day 7: Brussels / Paris

This morning, visit the European Commission, the executive body

of the European Union, and learn about how the EU actively promotes and defends human rights.

Then travel to Paris, where you'll be introduced to the city on a Seine river cruise. Cap your day with a visit to the iconic Eiffel Tower.

Day 8: Paris

Visit UNESCO, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, for an inside look at how this global agency uses education and international collaboration to promote peace and security. Established in 1945, UNESCO now has 145 member States.

Then experience the Centre Pompidou. Home to the Musée National d'Art Moderne, the largest museum for modern art in Europe, Centre Pompidou's high-tech architecture of brightly colored exposed pipes and beams drew both adulation and criticism when it was completed in 1977. The multicultural complex is also home to IRCAM, a center for music and acoustic research, and a vast public library, providing a variety of diverse educational discoveries around every corner.

Day 9: Geneva

Travel by TGV train to Geneva, a global center of diplomacy and home to more international organizations than any other city in the world. Begin your exploration of the sites of Geneva on a guided walk through the city.

Day 10: Geneva

Visit the United Nations office in Geneva. Located in the Palais des Nations, which was home to the League of Nations until 1938, it hosts unique collections of art and knowledge—a "living museum" donated by governments and individuals as expressions of their commitments to improving human rights, international peace and the well-being of the world's people.

Day 11: Depart for home

Return home, prepared to be part of the solution.