(tentative) Program Itinerary

Monday, May 7, 2017 (day 1 travel day)

Depart the U.S. on an overnight flight to Dublin.

Tuesday, May 8th, 2017 (day 2)

Welcome to Dublin! The Irish capital seduces its visitors with its charms that are both sophisticated and gritty. It is a financial center, home to unrivaled literary legacy, and the cobbled-stoned, pub-laden stereotype you have heard about.

Depending on when you arrive, you will be greeted by a tour guide and take a private coach to the hotel. Otherwise you will be responsible for getting yourself to the hotel. Enjoy a free evening in Dublin.

Overnight in Barnacles Hostel

Dublin





Barnacles Hostel

Wednesday, May 9th, 2017 (day 3)

Breakfast is included at the hotel.

Afterwards, the group will take a tour of Dublin City, visit Trinity College, and St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Lunch is on your own, but a welcome dinner will be provided to the group in the evening.

Overnight in Barnacles Hostel



St. Patrick's Cathedral Trinity College Library



Thursday, May 10th, 2017 (day 4)

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before your studies continue in Dublin today. Transportation will be on your own today and will likely include a bit of walking!

Security Visits arranged by Steve Hooper.

Overnight in Barnacles Hostel

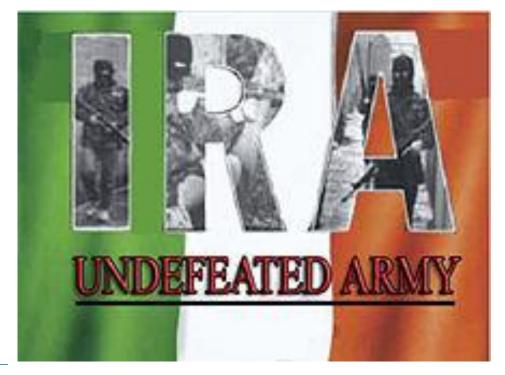


Friday, May 11th, 2017 (day 5)

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before your studies continue in Dublin today. Transportation will be on your own today and will likely include a bit of walking!

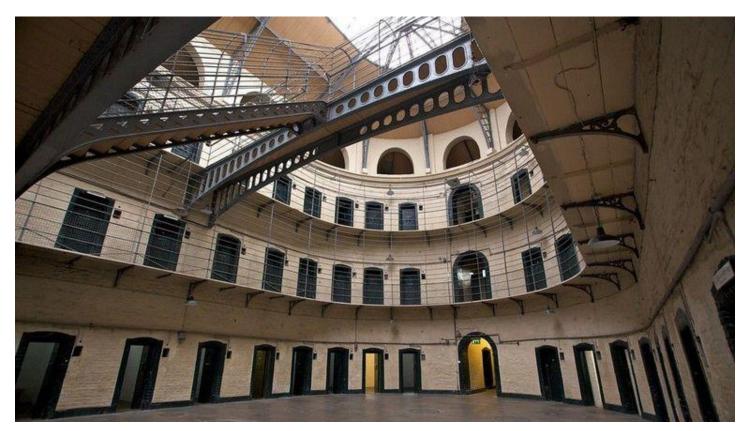
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Breakfast is included at your hotel.

National Security Tour: Kilmainham Gaol, a former prison where Irish revolutionaries, including leaders of the 1916 Easter Rising were imprisoned and executed by the British.



Kilmainham Gaol Easter Rising 1916



Sunday, May 13th, 2017 (day 7)

Following breakfast at the hotel, you'll the Guinness Storehouse and travel to Northern Ireland.

Overnight: Vagabonds Belfast

Guinness Storehouse/Belfast Murals





Monday, May 14 (day 8)

Following breakfast, you'll check out of your Belfast lodging this morning to travel to Derry.

Visit to Northern Ireland Assembly and Bloody Sunday Centre and Museum.

Overnight: Travel Lodge, Derry.



Northern Ireland Assembly



Tuesday, May 15th (day 9)

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel, then check out. Today you will travel to Galway. You will have a Galway City Tour.

Overnight: Barnacles Hostel



Galway...Barnacles Hostel

Wednesday, May 16th (day 10)

You'll have breakfast at the hotel before setting out for today's adventures.

You will spend the day at the Cliffs of Moher.





Thursday, May 17 (day 11)

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel, check out, and transfer to Dublin.

Free day in Dublin. Farewell dinner in the evening.



Friday, May 18 (day 12 travel day)

You'll have breakfast at the hotel and end the program. Stay in Ireland to continue to travel, go to Europe or return to the states!