SUMMER IN SEOUL - CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY

Come learn about how culture shapes your emotions, motivations, judgments and relationships in the heart of South Korea, home to Kpop, Kdramas, high tech giants like Samsung and LG, ten UNESCO World Heritage sites, the DMZ, and 5,000 years of history. In this immersive capstone course, we’ll visit major cultural, artistic, and historic hubs of Seoul and Busan to explore the many ways cultural heritage shapes race, politics, God, relationships, money, and the kind of phone you use. We’ll help you gain a better appreciation for the ways in which human culture and psyche interact, and ultimately enhance your ability to effectively understand and interact with the variations in human behavior.

Highlights*
You’ll get to experience South Korea from its dance academies to its shrines through a host of hands-on experiences including:

- Guided visits of historic villages and royal palaces
- Walking tours of both the glittry excesses of posh Gangnam (made famous by Psy’s internation hit, “Gangnam Style”) and the gritty neighborhood featured in the Oscar-winning movie “Parasite”
- Overnight excursions beyond Seoul to Busan and Gwangju
- Temple stay at Jingwansa Temple

*Activities subject to change

COURSE(S)
PSYC 190 (3 units)

DATES ABROAD
June 20 - June 30, 2022

DETAILS
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