10 Plays in 10 Days: An Immersive Theatergoing Experience
In Stratford, Ontario
Summer 2, 2020

WHAT: A 10-day trip to the Stratford Festival in Stratford, Ontario in Canada. We’ll see ten plays in ten days and attend special interactive workshops and talk-back sessions with directors and cast members. The Stratford Festival stages musicals and contemporary drama as well as Shakespeare performances, and we’ll see a variety of plays. A few plays on this year’s summer schedule: *Hamlet*, *Chicago*, *Richard III*, *Much Ado About Nothing*, as well as World Premieres of *Frankenstein Revived* and *Hamlet 9-11*. For more about the productions, visit https://www.stratfordfestival.ca/WhatsOn/NextSeason.

WHERE: Stratford is a full of things to do, yet still has a small-town feel. Aside from lots of theater, it has art galleries, fun restaurants and parks, and shopping and museums. If schedules allow, Toronto is an easy train ride away, and you’ll be able to get there and back on our one free day.

WHEN: July, 2020. Exact travel dates to be determined.

HOUSING: Students will be housed in a Stratford hotel, within walking distance of theaters and attractions.

CREDITS: You will have a chance to earn 3 credits during Summer 2020. Undergraduates can enroll in ENG 489: Shakespeare in Performance; William Honors College students can enroll in a special Honors Colloquium. Graduate Students can enroll in ENG 589: Shakespeare in Performance.

ESTIMATED COST: $1900; includes tickets to 10 plays, 4 tours, 4 talk backs, 2 interactive workshops. It also covers accommodation and breakfasts. $50 deposit due on November 8; second $950 deposit due on January 20.

ADDITIONAL COST: Tuition costs are not included; the following costs are also not factored in: transportation to Stratford (a 350-mile drive; shared van is available for approximately $200); most meals aside from breakfast; your own additional travel and entertainment; souvenirs and miscellaneous.

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