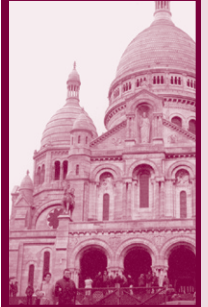



# Summer in Paris

with the Coast Community  
College District

Program dates: July 1 - August 1, 2006

*ACCENT International Consortium for Academic Programs Abroad*





***I***mmerse yourself in experiential learning – Spend the Summer in Paris with ACCENT and the Coast Community College District. Explore Parisian cathedrals, monuments, churches, museums and galleries, as Paris becomes an extension of your classroom while you attend French language classes at the University of Paris - Sorbonne as well as a French Civilization class with visiting faculty at the ACCENT Center. Participants on the Summer in Paris program live in double rooms at the Cité Universitaire international residence campus in Paris and have the opportunity to attend cultural events and optional social activities organized by the ACCENT Paris Center staff. The ACCENT Paris Center also provides support and guidance to students studying abroad. If you have questions about any aspect of this program, please feel free to contact us: ACCENT (800) 869-9291 or Professor Lia Raileanu at (949) 552-6698 or [lraileanu@gwc.cccd.edu](mailto:lraileanu@gwc.cccd.edu).

### **Participant Services: The ACCENT Centers**

ACCENT is an independent study abroad program provider with a multinational team of staff members who all have personal experiences in study abroad. With more than 20 years of experience coordinating high-quality overseas study programs, ACCENT works in partnership with U.S. colleges and universities to develop academically challenging and culturally enriching overseas study experiences in Paris, Florence, London, Madrid and Rome. Each city is home to a fully staffed ACCENT Center that serves as a home base for program participants. The ACCENT San Francisco Center coordinates program enrollment and pre-departure preparation for students helping to make their transition to living overseas as smooth as possible.

The ACCENT Paris Center is located in the historic Bastille district of central Paris, within easy métro/bus reach of the Sorbonne, the Latin Quarter and the city of lights' incomparable museums and monuments. The ACCENT Center is open during the week for students to use the resource/lending library, computer lab, wireless connectivity, and study annex. The ACCENT staff in Paris provides a wide variety of on-site student services and is an invaluable resource for students who want to find out more about their host city.

### **Transferable Academic Credit**

The Summer in Paris program is offered for transferable college credit through Orange Coast College or Golden West College. Orange Coast and Golden West Colleges are accredited California Community Colleges that will provide a transcript upon request for the coursework completed overseas. All courses are transferable to the University of California and California State University systems. Please verify the transferability of courses with your advisor or registrar before you apply.

### **Application and Enrollment**

The Summer in Paris program is open to students who are at least 18 years of age at the time of application. Program space is limited. Students should send in the enclosed application with the \$250 non-refundable first payment as soon as possible to ACCENT. Upon receipt of your application and first payment, the Coast Community College District and ACCENT will send you additional application and enrollment forms. Applications must be received by April 20, 2006. Beyond April 20, limited enrollment is allowed when space permits.

# Paris, France

## July 1 - August 1, 2006

## Academic Curriculum

During the overseas orientation, students complete a placement exam at the Sorbonne to determine the class level appropriate to their language skills. Classes range in size from 15-25 students. Students can expect to be in class approximately four hours per day, five days per week. French language tutorials will be available to all students.

Students with no prior French take the Elementary French 1 course taught by Professor Raileanu at the ACCENT Center. This course does not require a placement test.

French CCC/GWC/OCC 180: Elementary French 1 5 semester units  
Will enable students to understand native French and to express themselves in basic situations. Emphasis on listening, comprehension and speaking with opportunities outside the classroom for reinforcement. This course is specially designed for students with no prior study of French.

*The following classes are held in the morning at the Sorbonne.*

French CCC/GWC/OCC 185: Elementary French 2 5 semester units  
This course develops knowledge of the spoken and written expression as well as knowledge of vocabulary, grammar, and phonetics. Includes 10 hours of small group phonetics work. Taught entirely in French at the University of Paris – Sorbonne.

French OCC/GWC 280: Intermediate French 3 4 semester units  
Continuation of French 185. Further study and review of French grammar and vocabulary. Oral work, reading of contemporary French materials and written composition of current topics at the intermediate level. Includes 10 hours of small group phonetics work. Taught entirely in French at the University of Paris – Sorbonne.

French OCC/GWC 285: Intermediate French 4 4 semester units  
Continuation of French 280. Speaking, reading and writing at a more advanced level. Includes 10 hours of small group phonetics work. Taught entirely in French at the University of Paris – Sorbonne.

French GWC 290: Advanced French 5 3 semester units  
Further develops foreign language skills with listening comprehension, speaking, reading and writing. It includes text study and advanced grammar as well as 10 hours of small group phonetics work. Language lab at students' disposition. Taught entirely in French at the University of Paris – Sorbonne.

*The following course, taught by Professor Raileanu, is held in the afternoons and includes visits to museums and historical sites.*

French GWC 200AB: Advanced Conversation/Civilization 2 semester units  
The course will focus on improving listening comprehension and oral competency to facilitate communication. It will be held at different sites throughout Paris to introduce students to the culture and history of France through onsite lectures and discussion.



## Program Leader

Lia Raileanu teaches the Beginning French course for the Summer in Paris program. Professor Raileanu is a Golden West and Orange Coast College French instructor. She is a professor, writer, workshop presenter and teacher consultant, highly specialized in the methodology of teaching foreign languages. A successful organizer and inspiring teacher, she has conducted the Summer in Paris program with the Coast Community College District since 1992.

## Cultural Program

Cultural learning is an integral part of the program. Guided visits of the following museums and historical sites are a mandatory part of the program for all students: Versailles, the Louvre, the Musée d'Orsay, the Centre Pompidou, the Picasso museum, Latin Quarter, St. Germain Quarter, the Marais, Montmartre, Tuileries Gardens, Bridges of the Seine River, the Opera house, as well as visits to several other historical monuments. Students also take part in a cultural activity series that includes one performance of ballet, opera or classical music. Other excursions included in the program are three one-day excursions to Versailles, Chartres/Giverny and the Loire Valley. An optional three-day, two-night excursion to Normandy and Brittany is available as well (\$260). *Excursions are chosen based on the academic curriculum and are subject to change.*

**Program Timetable:**  
Application due: with first payment  
Final payment due: April 20  
Departure from U.S.: June 30  
Arrival in Paris: July 1  
Overseas orientation: July 2  
Classes begin: July 3  
Return to U.S.: August 1

# SUMMER IN PARIS

## WITH THE COAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

Program space is limited. Participants should send in this application with the \$250 non-refundable first payment as soon as possible. Upon receipt of your application and first payment, ACCENT and the Coast Community College District will send you additional application and enrollment forms as well as optional group flight information. Applications must be received by April 20, 2006. Beyond April 20 limited enrollment is allowed, when space permits and first and final payments have been received by the ACCENT San Francisco Center.

*Please note that ACCENT does not accept post-dated checks, credit cards or credit card checks.*

I have carefully read the brochure for the Summer in Paris program and wish to apply. I agree to the terms and conditions stated in the program brochure, including the payment and refund policies. I understand that if there are any changes in the terms and conditions ACCENT will notify me in writing. The applicant shall be the client of ACCENT for all purposes. Any applicable refunds will be returned to the applicant regardless of the source of payment. *Please type or print clearly in black ink.*

Name		Signature	
School Attending	Year in School	Major	
Current Address	How long can you be reached at your current address?		
City	State	Zip	
Home Phone	Work Phone	Cell Phone	Please indicate the best times to reach you and at which number
Email	Sex		
Permanent Address			
City	State	Zip	Permanent Phone
Country of Citizenship	Date of Birth (participants must be at least 18 years old at time of application)		
How did you hear about this program? (please be as specific as possible)		Have you previously attended an ACCENT program? If so, which program? When? Where?	

Please return this application and the \$250 non-refundable first payment, made payable to ACCENT, to:

ACCENT • 870 Market Street, Suite 1026 • San Francisco, CA 94102

## Program Price: \$3100

plus a \$150 refundable security deposit

### Program Price Includes

- Double room in the residence halls of the Cité Universitaire
- Day excursions to Chartres/Giverny, Versailles and the Loire Valley including transportation and guided visits
- Cultural activity series including one evening ballet, concert or opera performance
- Visits led by the program leader to major museums and other cultural sites in Paris
- Overseas orientation program with a guided tour of Paris
- Paris bus and métro pass (Carte Orange)
- Overseas information and resource center with ACCENT Paris on-site staff
- Transfers from and to Paris airport for group flight participants
- Medical Insurance through CCCD, please contact CCCD at 714.438.4706 for more information and an application

### Program Price Does Not Include

- Round-trip airfare from Los Angeles (estimated airfare \$1000 - \$1200)
- Coast Community College District tuition (see description)
- Optional single room in student residence supplement (\$250)
- Optional three-day, two-night excursion to Normandy and Brittany (\$260)
- Personal expenses, books, passports, visas, and anything not listed as included
- Meals

### Student Housing

Students may choose to live in double or single rooms in residence halls at the Cité Universitaire. The Cité Universitaire, an international residence campus of the University of Paris for students from around the world, is located within easy reach of central Paris by métro. The Maison Internationale on the Cité campus houses a restaurant, café, library, theater, bank, swimming pool and sports facilities. The supplement for a single room at the Cité is \$250. Housing is provided from the first day of the program (July 1, 2006).

### Payment Schedule

Non-refundable first payment \$250  
Final payment due April 20, 2006 \$3000

The above breakdowns include the \$150 refundable security deposit. The payment schedule is the applicant's contractual obligation. Failure to make each payment when due shall automatically cancel participant from the program one week after payment due date. All payments are effective the day they are received by the ACCENT San Francisco Center. ACCENT, in its sole discretion, may reinstate an applicant subject to availability of space and late enrollment fees. All prices and fees reflect exchange rates current as of 8/05 and are subject to change. ACCENT charges a \$20 bounced check fee for each check received that is not promptly paid by your bank in the normal course of business.

### Transportation

All participants must check-in at the ACCENT Paris Center July 1, 2006 between 9am and 5pm (Note: most transatlantic flights depart one day before their arrival date). ACCENT will organize an optional round-trip group flight from Los Angeles. Airfare is not included in the program fee. Group flight participants will be met at the airport in Paris and transferred to their housing. Group flight participants returning to the U.S. on the group return date will receive transportation to the Paris airport. Participants on the Summer in Paris program will receive detailed optional group flight information approximately four months prior to departure. Estimated airfare \$1000 - \$1200.

### CCCD Tuition & Fees

Academic credit for this program is awarded by Orange Coast or Golden West College. An \$18 per unit enrollment fee must be paid to CCCD at the time of registration. Nonresidents of California pay \$154 per unit. Fees are set by the State of California and are subject to change. For more information, please contact Professor Lia Raileanu at 949.552.6698.

### Cancellations

All cancellations must be made in writing to ACCENT and the Coast Community College District, and are effective the date of receipt. Participants are liable for payments until written cancellation is received.

#### Cancellation Fees:

70 days or more prior to start of program	\$250
50 to 69 days prior to start of program	\$500
30 to 49 days prior to start of program	\$750
8 to 29 days prior to start of program	\$1000
0 to 7 days prior to start of program	No Refund

ACCENT, and not the Coast Community College District, is responsible for all travel arrangements and any liability arising there from. The Coast Community College District is NOT liable for any damages arising out of the services described herein, including, but not limited to any promises or representations, whether expressed or implied. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to in any way bind the District, the District Governing Board, any of their agents, employees or representatives to any promises, obligations, covenants or duties whether expressed or implied herein.

ACCENT is not responsible for the academic segment of the program except as specified in the contract between ACCENT and the Coast Community College District. Nor is ACCENT responsible for airline delays of any kind, or for expenses or loss incurred as a result of such delays. With regard to transportation/travel, regardless of the type of vehicle, ACCENT acts for the passenger as agent only. ACCENT assumes no liability for accident, injury, damage, or loss in any vehicle, or as a result of default by any person or company engaged in transporting the passenger. CST #1013432-40.

### For more information on the Summer in Paris program

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