



MENORCA, SPAIN > SUMMER ABROAD



Boston University's program in the Mediterranean will take place at two sites: Torre d'en Galmés and Isla del Rey. The program will consist of a six-week excavation campaign combined with lectures, a heritage management project, laboratory work, and study tours of the island's cultural and historical monuments, as well as relevant ecological and natural sites. Lectures will set Menorca within a larger Mediterranean context, focusing on the island as a crossroads of civilization throughout its history.

Menorca Field School in Archaeology and Heritage Management

FIELD WORK

Participants will work at the Iron Age site of Torre d'en Galmés, a megalithic settlement with an occupation from the first millennium to through the Middle Ages. Some of the best documented periods are the Talayotic, Carthaginian, Roman and Medieval. In addition, the heritage management project will take place in the Isla del Rey, a small island in the port of Mahón. In the 18th century a large hospital was built under Menorca's British rule, and remains an icon of the European Enlightenment.

Fieldwork will include survey, excavation, drawing, geoarchaeological sampling, lab techniques, as well as preservation theory and practice.

COURSES

CAS AR 503 Archaeological Field Methods, 4 cr.

CAS AR 580 Studies in Archaeological Heritage Management: Cultural Heritage of Menorca, 4 cr.

DIRECTORS

The program is co-directed by Drs. Amalia Pérez-Juez, Ricardo Elia and Paul Goldberg. Students can draw on the interdisciplinary expertise of three distinguished faculty members who have decades of field experience.

HOUSING

Students and staff will stay at a hotel located in the capital city of Mahón, within easy reach of the island's spectacular beaches.

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ADMISSIONS

- No previous field work experience is required
- Students admitted to the program must be able to engage in field work in hot temperatures for significant periods of time
- No prior language study is required
- Refer to our policy on eligibility/admissions at: www.bu.edu/abroad/admissions

PROGRAM DATES

Summer Term: Early June-Mid July

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Summer Term: March 1

SUMMER 2014 PROGRAM COST

\$8,800. Cost includes tuition, housing, board, field trips, overseas medical insurance, and emergency travel assistance coverage. Financial aid is available.