Norway: Anthropology

FAGERNES & VASET, NORWAY - The Kingdom of Norway is an ideal location for the study of anthropology. Students will be based in the Valdres valley, a popular tourism destination, not only because of its mountainous natural beauty but also because of its cultural and historical significance. During this program, students will have the opportunity to engage with local residents with longstanding ancestral ties to the region, observe traditional transhumance practices by taking part in work on traditional summer farms, visit 900-year old stave churches and iron age archaeological sites, and learn about Norwegian culture, language, and preservation projects first-hand from local specialists and community activists.

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Apply by February 1, 2016 at:
www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad
Students will register for a total of 6 credits:

- **ANT 308**: Field Experience Abroad (3 credits)
- **ANT 330**: Ethnology of Selected World Areas (3 credits)

**Language of instruction**: English

### Excursions & Highlights
- Gain hands-on cultural and linguistic anthropology experience by working with local Norwegian families, farmers, scholars, and cultural activists
- Excursions include Oslo, Valdres Folk Museum, Lomen and Hedalen Stave Churches, summer mountain farms, Viking era and pre-Viking era burial sites, the Einang Rune Stone, and Må Church Ruins

### Cost

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**What's Included?**
- Round trip flight from Grand Rapids
- All transportation
- All meals
- Accommodation
- All field trips

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- Personal expenses ($300)
- Additional meals ($300)
- Passport/photos ($140)
- ISIC card ($28 - optional)

**Total Estimated Cost**: $8,621

### How do I pay for study abroad?

Students can use financial aid, scholarships, grants, personal funds and alternative loans to fund study abroad. Scholarship options include but are not limited to the Faculty-Led Program Grant ($1,500).

For more information on funding, visit [www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad](http://www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad)

*All program information including courses, duration of program, dates and other logistics are subject to change. Fee subject to adjustment based on actual exchange rates and international airfare. Programs may be cancelled due to extenuating circumstances.*