



Las Vegas, Nevada

NHM 468

Virtuoso Travel Week International
Luxury Travel Convention

Details

4 days travel at \$750 plus tuition

3 Credit Hours

Instructed by: Candis Varnell

Travel dates: August 8-11, 2026

Priority Application Deadline: March 6, 2026

Students will learn:

- Build a strong foundation for your career by researching and reporting issues and trends in the luxury tourism industry.
- Gain a comprehensive understanding of the tourism industry through listening to and interviewing industry professionals.
- Hone your skills by participating in professional development sessions and analyzing valuable information.
- Evaluate different professions in the industry and their roles in the travel industry.

Who should go?

Open to students in all majors. Must be a Junior or Senior. Ideal for students majoring or minoring in: Hospitality Management, Business, Marketing, Finance, and Entrepreneurship. Designed for students interested in: the travel and tourism industry. Must have approval of department chair. No prerequisites required.

Prior to Departure

Meet with your Ole Miss instructor and fellow classmates virtually for an introduction to luxury travel and overview of the course.

During Travel

This course offers an incredible opportunity: flights are provided and covered by a sponsor. Students should take advantage of this cost-saving benefit. Shared accommodations will be provided at the Bellagio (or similar) hotel, offering a convenient base for your stay. Your instructor will share exact meeting times and locations before travel and will be available to you leading up to the course through Blackboard.

Costs

\$750 plus tuition, airfare to and from destination, lodging/accommodation during travel, select group dinners, and conference registration fee. Not included are tuition, most meals at travel site, and personal spending money.

Once accepted to a program, the student accepts financial responsibility for Study USA program fees and tuition and must adhere to the application and withdrawal policy.

Itinerary subject to change. Students should wait to make travel arrangements until after confirming dates and times with instructors



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