DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY  
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-FLINT  

WYATT EXPLORATION PROGRAM  
TRAVEL EXPEDITION  
Student Application  

The Department of History will select a group of history majors to participate in a travel expedition as part of the Wyatt Exploration Program. To be considered for participation, students should submit a completed application directly to the History Department by the posted deadline below. Applicants will be notified on the status of their application after a decision has been made.

In evaluating the applications, several things will be considered, but active participation in Wyatt Exploration Program activities (lecture series, etc.) during the current year will be a major consideration in the selection process. The department seeks to create a diverse team of students who have demonstrated their enthusiasm and engagement with the on-campus exploration activities, who are most likely to benefit from the travel expedition and who will work together most effectively as a group.

Most travel expenses for student explorers will be covered directly by the History Department but some expenses for incidentals, occasional meals and other small expenses may be the responsibility of the individual student.

By submitting this application, the applicant understands that the review committee will also examine university transcripts.

Things to remember when submitting your application:

- Attach your Wyatt Passport to the application form.
- Attach your essay to the application form.
- Confirm that you are a declared History major (this can be done through SIS or the registrar’s office).

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, 15 JANUARY 2016
Name: ___________________________ UM ID#: ___________________________
Address: ___________________________
City: ___________________________ State: _______ Zip: ___________________________
Telephone: ___________________________ Email: ___________________________

Please check the appropriate major:  
- HIS Major  
- HIS TCP  
- Pre-HIS TCP  
- HIS Honors

Please check off any of the following Wyatt Exploration events in which you have participated:
- Lecture: Robert Blyth (10/09/15)
- Lecture: Finbarr Whooley (11/13/15)
- Event: Kick-Off (09/11/15)
- Lecture: Vickie Larsen (09/23/15)
- Lecture: John Ellis (10/29/15)
- Lecture: Peggy Kahn (11/18/15)
- Event: Romeo & Juliet
- Event: London Pub Sing (12/09/15)

Please check off any of the following courses which you have completed or in which you are currently enrolled:
- HIS 325: History of the British Isles to 1606
- HIS 374/574: History of the British Empire since 1790
- ENG 303: Medieval Literature
- HIS 326: History of the British Isles 1606-1919
- HIS 382: History of the British Isles since 1919
- POL 345: European Politics

Have you applied for a Wyatt travel expedition before? If so, please give the years: ______

Have you participated in a Wyatt travel expedition before? If so, please give the year: ______

Please provide the names and departments of two UM Flint faculty members who would be willing to serve as a reference:

Name: ___________________________ Department: ___________________________
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Please address the following in your essay: Explain why a study abroad experience is important and why you are interested in this particular Wyatt program to London. Drawing on your participation in the Wyatt events on campus, coursework and reading, what themes or areas of special interests related to London do you hope to share with others and to learn more about through the trip? How will this program contribute to your academic, professional and personal goals? What makes you qualified to participate in this study abroad trip and what will you contribute to this program? Upon returning to Michigan, how will you apply your experiences? The essay should be approximately 1000 words, double spaced, and typed. Please attach your Wyatt Exploration Passport to this application. Your WEP Passport can be used in future years, so don’t forget to pick it up in the History Department after the selection of trip participants has been announced.

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