



Brussels-Lux Study Tour Itinerary* 18-24 June 2023

Sunday, June 18

3:00 p.m. Hotel Check-In Available

6:00 p.m. **Tour Orientation Meeting**

Required meeting for all participants. Please be checked-in and present.

Amber-Bronze Room – Martin's Brussels EU Hotel, Floor 1

Dr. Claudia Matthes, Director of Studies International MA Programs, Institute for

Social Sciences, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany

7:30 p.m. **Dinner on own**

Monday, June 19

8:00 a.m. **Optional: Conversations over Breakfast**

9:10 a.m. **Depart for European Commission**

Meet in Martin's Brussels EU Hotel lobby

9:20 a.m. **European Commission**

Building Charlemagne Rue de la Loi 170

9:20 a.m. Arrival and Security Check

9:45 a.m. "The European Commission: the political executive of the European

Union" by Ms Marianna Baggio, Joint Research Centre

10:45 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. "Single Market" by Mr Matthieu Surjous, Directorate-General for

Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs

12:00 p.m. End of visit

12:00 p.m. Lunch on own

3:00 p.m. **European Union Council**

Justus Lipsius building Rue de la Loi 175

3:00 p.m. Arrival and Security Check

3:30 p.m. Presentation: "General Introduction to Council of EU/European Council" by Mr John Beaven, Resources Unit, Translation Service

4:30 p.m. **Dinner on own and free evening**

Tuesday, June 20

8:30 a.m. Optional: Conversations and Debrief over Breakfast

9:45 a.m. **Depart for European Parliament**

Meet in Martin's Brussels EU Hotel lobby

10:15 a.m. **European Parliament**

Paul-Henri Spaak building

Rue Wiertz 60

10:15 a.m. Arrival and check-in

10:30 a.m. Presentation 12:00 p.m. End of visit

12:00 p.m. Lunch on own

2:00 p.m. **House of European History**

Rue Belliard 135

2:00 p.m. Guided tour of Temporary exhibition "Throwaway"

3:00 p.m. Self-guided tour of Permanent exhibition

4:45 p.m. End of visit

5:00 p.m. **Parlamentarium**

Rue Wiertz 60

5:00 p.m. Self-guided, interactive visit

6:00 p.m. **Dinner on own and free evening**

Wednesday, June 21

7:30 a.m. **Depart for Luxembourg**

Meet in Martin's Brussels EU Hotel lobby

We will walk to Brussels Schuman together for our train departing at 7:52 a.m. We will arrive in Luxembourg at 10:49 a.m. *On the train, look for the blue stickers on the train windows. These are for our group.*

11:00 a.m. Walking Tour of Luxembourg

Bahareh Behmardi Sharifabad, Research Assistant & MA Candidate, Multilingualism/Multiculturalism, University of Luxembourg

Time for lunch on your own

2:30 p.m. **Depart for the Court of Justice of the European Union**

Meet at Place d'Armes

3:05 p.m. Court of Justice of the European Union

Rue Charles-Léon Hammes

3:05 p.m. Arrival and Security Check

3:30 p.m. Meeting with Mr S. Adam, Legal Secretary: "Discussion on the role of the Court of Justice in shaping the constitutional tenets of the European Union"

4:00 p.m. Presentation on the multilingualism of the Court of Justice by Mrs D. Brophy, Lawyer Linguist, Irish Translation Unit and Mrs A. Ní Fhloinn, Lawyer Linguist, Irish Translation Union

4:30 p.m. Guided tour of the Court's buildings

5:00 p.m. End of visit

6:00 p.m. **Depart for Brussels**

Train departs at 6:11 p.m.

We will arrive at Brussels Schuman at 9:08 p.m.

Thursday, June 22

7:15 a.m. **Depart for NATO HQ**

Meet in Martin's Brussels EU Hotel lobby

8:00 a.m. **NATO**

Léopold III Laan, 1110 Evere

8:00 a.m. Arrival and Security

8:45 a.m. Move to Washington Treaty Room in Public Square

9:00 a.m. NATO 101 with Philip Rogers, Director of Defense Operations, Office of the Defense Advisor

10:00 a.m. NATO-EU Relationship with Heidi Evans, Deputy Political Counsellor, U.S. Mission to NATO

11:00 a.m. Tour of NATO Headquarters Building with Mr. Nick Nguyen, Head of NATO Public Disclosure Unit

12:00 p.m. Lunch in NATO cafeteria (optional)

1:00 p.m. End of visit

1:00 p.m. **Return to EU Quarter**

3:30 p.m. **Experience Europe exhibition**

Rue Archimède 1

7:30 p.m. **Group Dinner at Martin's Brussels EU Hotel**

Friday, June 23

8:15 a.m. Optional: Conversations and Debrief over Breakfast

9:30 a.m. Depart for Permanent Representation of Sweden to the EU

Meet in Martin's Brussels EU Hotel lobby

10:00 a.m. Permanent Representation of Sweden to the EU

Square de Meeûs 30

12:00 p.m. **Lunch on own**

1:30 p.m. European Union External Action Service (EEAS)

Rond-Point Schuman 9A

1:30 p.m. Arrival and security check

2:00 p.m. EU-US relations by Ms Ruth Bajada, Head of Division for the United

States and Canada

3:00 p.m. The EU's response to Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine by

Mr Jon Kyst, Head of Sector, Russia Division and Mr Lucas Maurer,

Policy Officer, Ukraine Division

4:00 p.m. End of visit

4:00 p.m. **Dinner on own and free evening**

END OF TOUR

Saturday, June 24

11:00 a.m. Martin's Brussels EU Hotel Check-Out

^{*}Itinerary subject to changes.