

# STUDY in ISRAEL & JORDAN

(Jordan optional)
May 17 – June 7, 2020

with Dr. Hélène Dallaire & Dr. Joey Dodson

### "Historical Geography of the Bible"

May 17-June 7, 2020 (Israel only)
May 17-June 22, 2020 (Israel & UHL 2-week Jordan)

COST: \$4,350.00 now \$4030.00 (hotel double occupancy) + airfare
Optional UHL 2 week extension in Jordan (\$2730 return June 22<sup>nd</sup>)

<u>WHAT YOU WILL LEARN</u> - This intensive three-week course will introduce you to the geography, history, topography, geology, and archaeology of Israel. Field trips to biblical sites take place throughout the land of Israel and are supplemented with lectures, map study, excursions and special speakers (e.g., archaeologists, scholars).

<u>WHAT YOU WILL DO</u> - You will walk the streets of Old Testament, New Testament and the modern city of Jerusalem to understand ancient and modern events, cultures and religions. You will explore archaeological sites, see places where Old Testament prophets, first century disciples and Jesus lived and ministered. You will hike canyons, climb hills, and go down into valleys where biblical events took place. You will learn how biblical writers were influenced by the land of the Bible. You will swim in the Mediterranean Sea, Dead Sea and the Sea of Galilee. And you will meet fascinating people who live in the land.

<u>WHAT WILL YOU SEE</u> – In ISRAEL: Old and New Jerusalem, Western Wall, Temple Mount, Mount of Olives, Herodium, Bethlehem, Jericho, Gezer, Lachish, Ashkelon, Beth Shemesh, Arad, Masada, Qumran, EinGedi, Dead Sea, Nazareth, Caesarea, Megiddo, Hazor, Dan, Golan Heights, Capernaum, Sea of Galilee, etc.; In JORDAN (2-weeks): Petra, donkey ride up to Petra temple, the city of Amman, Madaba, Mt Nebo, Jabbok River, Jerash, take a jeep ride in Wadi Ram, have a meal in Bedouin tent, visit Aqaba at the Red Sea, etc.

For additional information, contact Dr. Hélène Dallaire at Helene.dallaire@denverseminary.edu

#### 1. IMPORTANT DATES:

- a. Departure from USA to Tel Aviv on Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (arrive Tel Aviv Monday May 18<sup>th</sup>)
- b. Departure from Israel to USA on Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020
- d. Optional Jordan 2 week extension return to USA on June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

#### 2. DESCRIPTION OF COURSES: See UHL website - "Historical Geography of the Bible"

- a. In Israel "From Dan to (south of) Beersheba"! (1 Kings 4:25) This course is designed to examine Biblical history in its geographical context. The country is examined first as a whole and then on a regional basis, observing how the character of each region and the routes that passed through it influenced the history of the area. Attention is given to the imagery used by the Biblical writers in connection with each region, as well as to the contributions of archaeology, other ancient texts, and anthropological models in understanding the Biblical world and its peoples. Readings, map work, and classroom lectures prepare students for their visits to historical/archaeological sites.
- b. In Jordan Lectures and ten days of field trips immerse the student in the rich history of the area in which the tribes of Reuben, Gad and the half-tribe of Manasseh established themselves, Moses died, Elijah departed in a chariot of fire and both John the Baptist and Jesus ministered! Regions examined include both those that were settled by the Israelites (Gilead and the Medeba Plateau) and those of their neighbors (Ammon, Moab and Edom). Since certain areas are accessible only by jeeps and pick-up trucks, this course is only for the adventurous.
- 3. COST for ISRAEL \$4,050.00 (hotel double occupancy) INCLUDES: Course registration, lodging, map materials, tuition (up to 4 credits transferable to DenSem), three meals a day, all field trips, DenSem administrative fee, instructor fee, site entrance fees, tips, special speakers, etc. The cost is the same for credit or audit.
  - a. DOES NOT INCLUDE: Airfare, \$50 sherut (taxi) rides between Tel Aviv airport and Jerusalem, Jordan extensions, private room, personal expenses, gifts!
  - b. Private room at hotel surcharge \$1,460.00
  - d. Optional UHL Jordan extension (2 weeks all inclusive; double occupancy) \$2730.

#### 5. PAYMENT due dates:

- a. **September** 1<sup>st</sup> **2019** Initial deposit (non-refundable) \$300.00 (the first 35 individuals who send in their \$300.00 deposit will be on the official list of participants. **Priority will be given to Denver Seminary students**. A waiting list will be created for additional inquiries over 35).
- b. **December 1**st **2019 -** Second payment \$1,000.00.
- a. February 28<sup>th</sup> 2020 Payment of balance (After February 28<sup>th</sup>, registration will be closed. Tour places and deposits associated with any unfulfilled payments will be forfeited. Cancellations must be submitted in writing to Dr. Hélène Dallaire via email <a href="helene.dallaire@denverseminary.edu">helene.dallaire@denverseminary.edu</a>).
- d. Payments can be made by check, paid in person, online, or paid by phone with credit card to:

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e. Payments can be made online at <a href="https://www.denverseminary.edu/israel">www.denverseminary.edu/israel</a>

#### 6. ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS:

- a. Course is offered for credit or audit. The cost is the same for credit or audit.
- b. Requirements **FOR CREDIT PARTICIPANTS**: (1) have minimum of 1 year of college OR currently enrolled in a graduate or undergraduate program (minimum 2.0 GPA); (2) GOOD PHYSICAL CONDITION hiking in rugged terrain, a lot of walking, stair climbing.
- c. Requirements **FOR NON-CREDIT PARTICIPANTS**: (1) 18 years old (mature 13 years of age or older allowed when accompanied by parent); (2) if 50 years old or more, need doctor's approval.

## **REGISTRATION FORM**

### Denver Seminary - ISRAEL & JORDAN 2020

# "Historical Geography of the Bible" University of the Holy Land Jerusalem, Israel

Please complete this registration form and send with initial deposit (\$300 non-refundable) by September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019 to:

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	UHL Israel portion only (Hotel housing - \$4050 + airfare)	Yes	No
2.	Hotel Single occupancy (add \$1460)	Yes	No
	UHL 2-week Jordan extension (add \$2730)	Yes	No
	I will take the course (cost is the same for credit or audit)	For credit	Not for credit