

Iceland

May 7-14, 2024

This opportunity is more than just a trip; it promises breathtaking landscapes but also an academic exploration into the cultural, environmental, geological, and ecological aspects of Iceland.

Registration Deadline: February 6th - Visit [WorldStrides Registration](#) and use Trip ID: 213250.

- Feb 6th: \$685 (deposit)
- Feb 29th: \$1726
- March 31st: \$1725

For 15 or more participants but less than 20:

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Your investment includes airfares, accommodations, all activities, and most meals.

Itinerary Overview:

- Day 1 (May 7th): Arrival and Welcome Dinner
- Day 2-4: Exploring Reykjavik, Golden Circle Tour, and Geothermal Springs
- Day 5-7: South Coast Wonders, Glaciers, and Waterfalls
- Day 8 (May 14th): Departure

Academic Highlights:

1. **Reykjavik Walking Tour:** We'll embark on a guided walk in Reykjavik, unraveling its historical and cultural landmarks, connecting the environment, language, and Icelandic culture.
2. **Whale Watching:** Witness the habitat of large marine mammals, linking our environmental science discussions to the real-life interplay between culture and nature.
3. **Free Day & University of Iceland Visit:** Enjoy a day for personal exploration and visit the University of Iceland. Engage in talks with environmental science faculty, linking our knowledge to Iceland's specific ecological challenges.
4. **Volcano Hike:** Explore Iceland's cool geological features on a road trip and volcano hike. Witness the newest lava field, understanding how our studies in environmental science have real-world impacts.
5. **Golden Circle:** Visit Thingvellir National Park, where Iceland's democratic history meets its geological wonders. See Gullfoss Waterfall, Langjökull Glacier, and Strokkur geyser, discussing their cultural and environmental importance.
6. **Borgarfjörður Tour:** Immerse yourself in Iceland's culture through visits to Deildartunguhver, Reykholt, and beautiful waterfalls at Hraunfossand Barnafoss. Delve into discussions on how language preserves stories and influences our perception of the world.

Don't miss this chance to be part of this amazing experience. For more information, visit [WorldStrides](#) with Trip ID: 213250 or contact Program Coordinator, Daniel Elias, PhD. at delias@ncwu.edu or 252.985.5256. Trip open to NCWU students, alumni and friends of NCWU.

