**Program Description**

The five-week, six-credit Doha summer program is an opportunity for students to study at Georgetown University's GU-Q campus in Education City, a unique international center of learning established by the Qatar Foundation. Program participants take two courses in disciplines such as international affairs, comparative political systems, or the liberal arts with an emphasis on Middle East culture and politics. These courses are taught by GU-Q faculty, many of whom are visiting professors from Georgetown's Main Campus. GU-Q's Office of Student Affairs organizes a series of activities that help connect program participants to Doha and introduce them to Arab culture. Students enjoy regular contact with GU-Q full-time students as well as Qatari and international students enrolled at Education City's other institutions of higher learning. Participants thus have the opportunity to build friendships with full-time students and to explore the ethnic and cultural diversity of the host country.

Education City, Qatar Foundation, and GU-Q provide a range of support services including 24/7 emergency response, an on-site medical clinic, and sports facilities. GU-Q also has its own Health and Wellness office as well as an Office of Academic Services.

**Academics**

The program consists of two, three-credit courses. Upon successful completion of the program, students receive six Georgetown credits. Courses can fulfill degree requirements for the College and the School of Foreign Service in majors including (but not limited to) History, Government, International Politics, Culture and Politics, and Regional and Comparative Studies. In 2016, there will be approximately 10 available courses for students to choose from. For course options for summer 2016, please email Debbie Brown browndl@georgetown.edu.
Accommodations

Students are responsible for arranging their own housing through the Qatar Foundation (QF). Please use the following link for more information:

http://qatar.sfs.georgetown.edu/campus-life/services/housing-and-residential-life

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Withdrawals, Refunds, and Cancellation

Your acceptance form and program deposit are considered a good-faith commitment to participate on your Georgetown University summer program. Withdrawal from a summer program must be made in writing to the summer program coordinator. Please note that application fees and program deposits are non-refundable. Georgetown University will refund recoverable tuition and costs as determined by our partner institutions. Refunds will be calculated from the date the Office of Global Education is notified in writing of your intent to withdraw. Georgetown University is not responsible for indirect costs paid directly by the student, including but not limited to passport fees, vaccinations, and transportation costs.

Georgetown University reserves the right to adjust program fees or cancel any program without prior notification; however, every effort will be made to provide information on cancellations in a timely manner. In the event of cancellation, Georgetown University will refund program deposits and 100% of recoverable program fees.