The Lisbon Portugal study abroad program gives students the exciting opportunity to experience one of Europe’s oldest and most vibrant countries. Founded in 1143, Portugal boasts a rich history extending back to the ancient Celtic and Roman inhabitants. Portugal’s contemporary culture bears influences from Iberian, African, South American, and Asian sources due to Portugal’s history of empire, which extended across the globe. Based in Lisbon, the country’s capital, we will explore Portuguese culture by visiting medieval and Renaissance castles, monasteries and convents, royal palaces, and world-class museums. Walking through Lisbon’s medieval streets, we will immerse ourselves in the musical, culinary, literary, and artistic traditions of this fascinating country.

DATES
6 May–24 June 2023 (approximately)

HOUSING
Students will live in dormitory-style housing. The housing facility is centrally located within walking distance of museums, churches, and metro and bus services.

COURSES
Students will register for 6 credit hours during the program from the following courses:
PORT 325—Survey of Luso-Brazilian Linguistics (3 credit hours)
PORT 395R—Contemporary Culture of Portugal (3 credit hours)
PORT 447R—Special Topics in Cultures of Portugal (3 credit hours)

Students may not take any other courses on this program, including BYU Online courses, without approval by the program director and ISP.

COST
$5,900–$6,400

Includes Latter-day Saint, undergraduate full tuition (increased cost for graduate and non-Latter-day Saint students), instruction materials, housing, metro and bus pass, excursions, some admissions and meals, and international health coverage.

Does not include airfare, most meals, and personal expenses.
TRAVEL
Students are responsible for purchasing their own airfare to and from the program sites. Airline reservations must be made through BYU Travel. Students should contact a BYU Travel agent.

BYU Travel
280 HRCB | (801) 422-6293 | travel@byu.edu

PREPARATION
All students accepted into the program are expected to register for a one credit, pre-departure preparation class, IAS 201R, which will run during the second block of winter semester 2023.

Part-time BYU students and non-BYU students will need to pay an additional tuition fee. Accompanying spouses need to be credit-bearing participants on the program. Spouses will also need to apply online and take the preparation course.

Students must meet all country- and program-specific COVID and health requirements for travel.

FUNDING SOURCES
Regular BYU tuition scholarships, Pell Grants, and Federal Insured Student Loans may be applied to study abroad programs.

Students who submit the financial aid section of the ISP application and who have a current FAFSA form on file at the Financial Aid Office (A-41 ASB) will be considered for a study abroad scholarship and may be considered for other scholarships.

Private grants and scholarships outside of BYU may also assist (see kennedy.byu.edu/scholarships).

The College of Humanities offers scholarships and grants of between $1,000–3,500 (based on financial need) for those who are majors/2nd majors and between $500–1,750 (based on financial need) for those who are minors in the College.

APPLICATION PROCESS
Students must be 18 years of age or older to participate.
Complete the online application at kennedy.byu.edu/isp-apply. The application requires a $35 fee. Applicants will be interviewed once the application is complete. Students will be notified via e-mail of their acceptance into the program. The first payment is due upon acceptance.

Deadline: 23 January 2023

FACULTY

3161 JFSB, (801) 422-2496, michael_childs@byu.edu

SCHEDULE AND TIME COMMITMENT
Students should plan to be in Lisbon from 5 May to 22 June and refrain from scheduling late arrivals or early departures.

INTERESTED STUDENTS SHOULD CONTACT
International Study Programs
101 HRCB | (801) 422-3686
isp@byu.edu | kennedy.byu.edu/isp

PROGRAM ADJUSTMENTS
International Study Programs (ISP) reserves the right to cancel this program, revise its offerings, or make any adjustments to the preliminary cost. If it becomes necessary for ISP to cancel a program, all program payments made to BYU ISP will be refunded to the student’s BYU Financial account. ISP is the only office authorized to cancel any of its programs.