



Experience Ireland

Study Away Summer 2026

PSC2880 Brexit: Politics and Populism in the U.S. and UK| 4 credit hours

Step inside one of the biggest political shifts of our time: The UK's break from the European Union. In this course, we'll explore "Brexit" (2016–2020) through a comparative lens, exploring its parallels between populist political movements in the UK and United States. You'll learn tools used in political science and public policy while examining the social, economic, cultural, and political forces that have shaped politics in both countries since 2016.

Students will share travel and select itinerary items with fellow AU students in the ECN3880 The Economics of Brexit: Policy, Labor, and Trade course. This shared experience will give you an opportunity to explore Ireland together and make new connections while abroad.



Course dates:

May 11–14, 2026
1–5 p.m.



Travel dates:

May 17–28, 2026



Travel costs: \$4,990

Includes: airfare, lodging, ground transportation, excursions, and all meals.

Trip Highlights

- » Belfast Political and Mural Tour
- » Dublin Writers Museum
- » Europa Experience Dublin
- » GPO Museum
- » Kilmainham Gaol
- » Merry Ploughboy Irish Dinner
- » Stormont Parliament Buildings
- » Titanic Museum
- » Ulster Museum
- » Wicklow and Waterford Crystal Factory



INTERESTED IN TRAVELING FOR CREDIT IN 2026?

To participate in a Study Away course, interested students should:



Meet with the instructor and secure permission.



Meet with Mary Tarling, the Director of Global Engagement, in Institute 303 to discuss questions and secure permission.



Review and sign the Study Away Payment Agreement and Pre-Registration Request Form.



Submit the \$500 deposit to Student Accounts by December 5, 2025.



Be registered for the course by the Registrar after the deposit is received.



Pay the remaining balance by February 11, 2026.



CONTACT INFORMATION

Course and Itinerary Questions

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