

A large red wooden torii gate stands in a body of water, with mountains and a city visible in the background.

Experience Japan

Study Away Spring 2026

MBA5880 Leadership: Inside and Out **1 credit hour**

Explore mindful and servant leadership through readings, reflections, and discussions shaped by both you and your professor. During the first half of spring semester, we'll dive into leadership philosophies and how they apply to everyday life through a hybrid approach of limited class meetings, online engagement, and independent work. Then, over spring break, we'll take our learning abroad to Japan, where we'll visit cultural landmarks, communities, organizations, and religious sites to gain fresh perspectives on leadership in a global context.



Course dates:

January 12 and
February 9, 2026
6–8 p.m.

February 23, 2026
6–7 p.m.



Travel dates:

March 6–14, 2026



Travel costs: \$4,800

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

A scenic view of Mount Fuji in the background, a city in the middle ground, and a traditional Japanese pagoda in the foreground.

Trip Highlights

- » Hiroshima
- » Tokyo
- » Kyoto
- » Nara

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 October 6, 2025.



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



Pay the remaining balance by November 6, 2025.



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