Global Studies Seminar - WI

Spring 2011

A Bit of History

- Unique credit based class & 10 - 14 day travel experience
- Evolving 13 year partnership between
  - Madison College
  - Waukesha County Technical College
  - Southwest College in Northern Ireland
  - Kathe-Kollwitz Schule in Marburg, Germany.

A Bit of History

- Travel portion rotates between Germany, Northern Ireland and Wisconsin

Tri-national Global Studies Seminar Results

- During the last 11 years, over **500** students have gained international business related experience, perspective and relationships.

President Clinton meets students in Enniskillen, N. Ireland.

Tri-national Global Studies Seminar Results

- Staff Development
- Institutional Learning
- Creative Ideas Developed and Implemented

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Focus Topic: Sustainability

Working & Learning

- Presentations on home history and initiatives.
- Tri-national work teams
- Site visits to German, N. Ireland or U.S. businesses

Synthesizing learning

- Creating a final presentation on sustainability

•Presenting to instructors, peers and community visitors

Celebrating Accomplishments

LEARNING OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

Learning Through Experiencing

Learning Through Hosting

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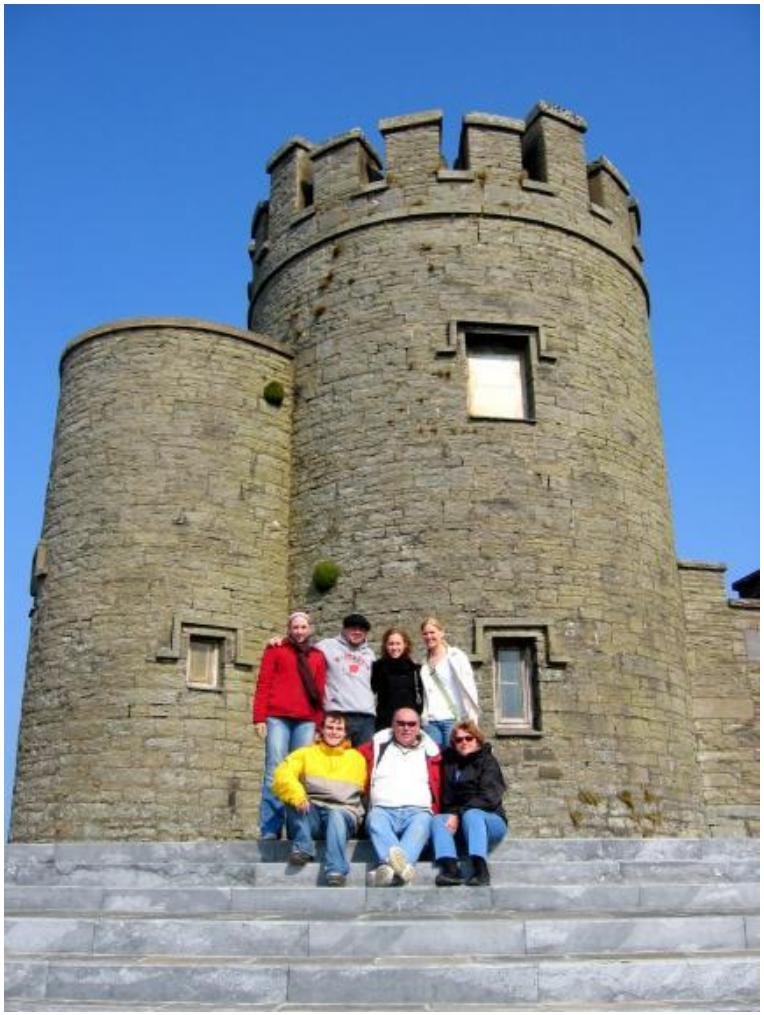

Lessons Learned

- Long term commitment
- Institutional support
- Creativity with funding
- Strong, ongoing communication
- Adaptability of program
- Continuity
- Balance of flexibility / structure
- Learning in class & outside