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Learning, Service, Renewal

*United Theological Seminary
Cross Cultural Program
in the Holy Land*

25 May—4 June 2014
Elective: Jerusalem—Then and Now
(returning 6 June 2014)



Program Conditions

The Program Conditions represent mutual obligations and responsibilities. All travel, especially international travel, involves a broad range of arrangements and variables, both predictable and unpredictable. The Society for Biblical Studies wants to assist you as best we can. To help us, it is important for you to read the Program Conditions carefully and call The Society for Biblical Studies if you have any questions or need clarification. A few minutes of your time at this stage will go a long way. If you have any questions about any aspect of the program prior to registration or in preparation for the journey, we are eager to assist you. You can reach us by phone or email during normal business hours. When you sign and return the original registration form (photocopies and scans are not accepted), we will assume that you have read, understood and accept the terms contained herein. You can also browse our web site (www.sbsedu.org) to learn more about us. Especially, please read our FAQ pages for general information.

Direct Enrollment Credit: If you enroll by sending your original Registration Form directly to us via U.S. postal mail, The Society for Biblical Studies will give you a credit in the amount of \$150. Registrations sent through third parties are ineligible for this credit. You must send us your original Registration Form. Photocopies and scans are not accepted. If you need to modify your original registration form after

the time of your enrollment, you must send your specific modification request directly to The Society for Biblical Studies by U.S. postal mail or email. The Society for Biblical Studies will acknowledge your request for a modification by email.

Included in the Price (\$4,215) of the Program: Roundtrip airfare from Dayton (DAY); lodging in student caliber hotels; breakfast and dinner daily; ground transportation during the program and entrance fees for sites indicated on the course outline; instruction/lectures/guiding; airport and departure taxes; facilities and security fees; hotel tips, including tips for waiters, reception, and housekeeping; administrative fees; airline taxes and surcharges. The price is based on 40 people in the group. If the group is smaller than this, a surcharge may be assessed.

Program price does not include: Transfers to, from or between domestic (U.S.) airports; optional costs such as single room supplements and travel insurance; personal expenses such as laundry; optional passport and/or visa service; individual travel arrangements; beverages at meals; lunches; excess baggage fees; portage; tips for bus drivers and guides (variable, about \$5-\$10 per person per day); passports and foreign visas; airline baggage fees or fees and surcharges imposed after the time of pricing.

Registration and Payment: You are

registered in the program only when The Society for Biblical Studies receives your completed and signed registration form along with your \$300 deposit. Registration is due 90 days prior to departure (25 February 2014). Late registrations will incur a \$50 fee. If you are a student of United Theological Seminary, The Society for Biblical Studies will invoice you, based on the information and elections in your registration form and send your invoice and statements to UTS for payment. We will send you a copy of your invoice once you are enrolled. If you are a UTS student, please do not send any payments to The Society for Biblical Studies, unless you make a change or incur a fee within 30 days of the departure date. Changes made and charges incurred within that date will require payment with a credit card.

Non-UTS students: If you are not a UTS student, SBS will send your invoice directly to you and you will assume responsibility for your payment. Payment and registration deadlines are the same for all passengers.

The registrant's canceled check is his/her receipt. If you request periodic account statements, you will be charged a \$100 administrative fee.

Deadlines: Registration is due 90 days prior to departure (25 February 2014). Late registrations will incur a \$50 fee per registrant. Full payment must be made 90 days prior to departure, 25 February

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The Society for Biblical Studies, Inc., pledges its commitment to maintain the highest standards of program authenticity and quality. We will exercise the highest level of care for each of its passengers. However, The Society for Biblical Studies, Inc. can neither accept responsibility nor assume liability for the performance and/or delivery of services of any travel vendors, including those that arrange transportation or accommodations, or purveyors of any components of tours and/or programs. The Society for Biblical Studies, Inc. frequently contracts with professional tour operators, not only to enable us to fulfill our obligations to our travelers and enable our travelers to enjoy a broader range of services and experiences, but also where it is required by local laws. The Society for Biblical Studies' Responsibility will be strictly limited to activities over which The Society for Biblical Studies, Inc. has sole, exclusive and absolute control. In addition, The Society for Biblical Studies, Inc. reserves the right, in order to maintain the quality of the program, to provide the highest level of care of its travelers, and/or to improve the program or secure the safety of the travelers, to alter and/or adjust the daily itinerary. The Society for Biblical Studies, Inc. assumes full responsibility for the accuracy of the information it disseminates at the time of its publication, but we accept no responsibility for any information not disseminated directly by The Society for Biblical Studies to our travelers.

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2014. A late fee of \$100 per registrant will apply thereafter.

Credit Cards: The Society for Biblical Studies accepts credit cards. All quoted prices reflect a discount of 3.9% for cash/check payment.

Passports and Visas: Each person must procure a passport valid for six months after your return. Those without US citizenship are responsible for proper re-entry documentation. All passengers must submit to The Society for Biblical Studies copies of their travel documents not later than 45 days prior to departure (10 April 2014). Procuring proper travel documents, including passports, is the responsibility of each participant. The Society for Biblical Studies will offer any and all assistance it can in guiding those who need proper travel documents to the proper authorities, as long as the request is communicated in writing directly from the participant to SBS. If any U.S. citizen requests full passport service on his/her registration form, SBS will assess an administrative fee of \$100 plus the cost of postage (overnight express U.S. postal mailing). Non U.S. citizens can also elect full passport service and additional charges will apply based on country of citizenship. Requests for passport assistance and service made after the time of registration are subject to additional service and handling charges. Additional visa charges may apply if we do not receive your passport details at least 60 days prior to departure.

Lodging: The price is based on double occupancy. Single occupancy is available at a supplemental cost (\$668 11 day, \$174 2 day). Registrants can stipulate roommate preferences in the registration form. If an odd number of registrations requires an unrequested (forced) single room to be assigned, the single room will be assigned to the latest person to register and a single room supplement will apply.

Luggage: The per person limit is one suitcase and one carry-on bag. Airlines sometimes impose additional limits.

Airline ticketing: Reservations are non-refundable *once ticketed*. Travel is in jet economy class aboard IATAN and ARC carriers only. Flight times and routing are subject to change by the airlines. Such changes may result in additional costs and charges. The Society for Biblical Studies is not responsible for such changes or delays and cannot reimburse expenses resulting from them. The Society for Biblical Studies does not recommend the purchase of budget tickets for domestic airline connections.

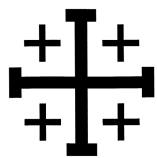
Domestic airfare: The Price of the program includes domestic air travel from Dayton (DAY) to the gateway city. If you would like to travel from a domestic departure city other than Dayton, you can indicate your preference in the Registration Form. A cost adjustment might apply. No administrative charge for a different departure city will apply if you indicate your preference on your original Registration Form. If your request is made after the time of your

original registration, an administrative fee of \$150 will apply in addition to any fare basis adjustment. If your request is made after ticketing occurs, additional airline change fees may apply.

Evaluation forms: SBS relies on evaluations to assess our performance and improve our programs. Each person will be provided with an evaluation form to help us assess the program. Each participant agrees to complete and return the signed evaluation form either on 4 June 2014 (for those on the 11 Day program) or 6 June (for those on the 13 Day program).

Cancellation conditions: The Society for Biblical Studies will make every effort to recuperate program payments in the event of an individual cancellation. However, our ability to do so is sometimes limited to the following schedule: From the day of registration to 90 days prior to departure, a full refund of the deposit will be made less an \$85 administration fee and any airline penalties. Cancellations made: 89-69 days prior to departure incur a \$85 charge plus any unrecoverable hotel or airline payments; 69-44 days prior to departure incur a charge of 20% of the total program cost plus any unrecoverable airline and hotel payments; 44-30 days prior to departure incur a charge of 55% of total program cost plus any unrecoverable airline and hotel payments; 30-3 days prior to departure incur a charge of 70% of total program cost plus any unrecoverable airline and hotel payments; 2 days or fewer prior to departure date to day of departure incur a charge of 100% of total program cost plus any unrecoverable airline and hotel payments. 100% of cancellation fees are covered by the optional travel insurance (see next page), if the premium has been paid and the reason for cancellation is insurable. The cost of the travel insurance premium is not refundable.

Travel and cancellation insurance: United Theological Seminary requires that each participant purchase travel insurance through us. The premium is based on your age and total cost of your journey. ***The purchase of travel insurance does not entitle the buyer to reimbursement for any expense for any reason. Claims must be for "insurable" reasons and these are carefully defined by the travel insurance company.*** Travel insurance premiums are not refundable and the travel insurance purchased through The Society for Biblical Studies ***is not*** "cancel any time for any reason" travel insurance.



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Registration Form

Personal information:

Name : _____
(as it appears on your Passport)

Title: _____
(Rev., Mr., Mrs., Ms.)

Name: _____
(what you like to be called)

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Business phone: _____

Home phone: _____

Mobile phone: _____

Email: _____

Program name: UTS Holy Land

Departure date: 25 May 2014

Group leader: Dr. Richard Eslinger

Passport information:

Please submit with your registration a legible photocopy of a US passport (or other travel document) valid for 180 days after your return date.

Passport number: _____

Date of issue: _____
(day/month/year)

Date of expiration: _____
(day/month/year)

Authority: _____

Date of birth: _____
(day/month/year)

Country of citizenship: _____

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Travel Insurance: (for more info call 781.641.4453)

Coverage Schedule:

Trip cancellation.....Up to trip cost*
Trip interruption.....150% Trip cancellation limit*
Travel delay.....\$150/day after 6 hours, up to \$1,000
Missed connection \$300
Loss of Baggage/Personal effects.....\$1,000
Baggage delay.....\$200 after 24 hrs.
Emergency Medical/Dental.....\$10,000
Medical Evacuation/Repatriation \$50,000
24 hr. Accidental Death & Dismemberment.....\$10,000
24 hr. Assistance.....Included
* Contact SBS for full details and policy limits

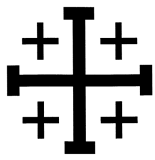
Plan rates (subject to change until time of purchase):

Trip cost	Up to age 35	Age 36-60	Age 61-70	Age 71-75	Age 76-80
\$3,001-\$3,500	\$173	\$189	\$255	\$417	\$463
\$3,501-\$4,000	\$194	\$204	\$284	\$457	\$498
\$4,001-\$4,500	\$207	\$226	\$349	\$485	\$526
\$4,501-\$5,000	\$232	\$253	\$386	\$517	\$571
\$5,001-\$5,500	\$267	\$292	\$421	\$527	\$608
\$5,501-\$6,000	\$322	\$354	\$454	\$578	\$642
\$6,001-\$6,500	\$377	\$417	\$495	\$615	\$682
\$6,501-\$7,000	\$427	\$469	\$545	\$670	\$772

☐ I accept the travel insurance

Beneficiary: _____

*subject to change



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Electives (please check any box that applies):

- ☐ I would like to have a single room. I understand that single rooms are subject to availability and that my account will be charged a single room supplement (\$668 11 day, \$174 2 day).
- ☐ Roommate preference: _____
Roommate preferences cannot be guaranteed. If you do not specify a roommate preference, a roommate will be assigned as long as one is available. In the event that no roommate is available, a single room supplement will be added to your account.
- ☐ I would like to enroll in the elective: Jerusalem—Then and Now (\$755).
- ☐ Please check this box if you would like to travel from a domestic city other than Dayton, Ohio and indicate your domestic departure city preference _____ (a cost adjustment might apply and changes subsequent to enrollment incur an additional administrative fee).
- ☐ I would like to have full passport and visa assistance (\$100 plus postage).
- ☐ I would like to alter my departure or return date to accommodate personal travel (\$150). I understand that this travel is “on my own”.
- ☐ Please check this box if you will use frequent flyer miles for your air arrangements or

otherwise will join the journey in Israel. A “ground only” charge will apply (\$3,065).

- ☐ I would like to have a receipt and periodic statements of my account mailed to me (\$100).

**\$300 DEPOSIT PER
PERSON PLUS ANY
INSURANCE
PREMIUM AND A
PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR
PASSPORT PICTURE
PAGE IS REQUIRED
WITH REGISTRATION.**

Participant's Signature*

*Your registration and deposit represents your acceptance of the Program Conditions and certifies that you have read the FAQ pages of our web site (www.sbsedu.org).

*Please visit the FAQ pages for further information about Program Conditions, registration, how to prepare for travel and general information about S.B.S.

*Incomplete registration form *may* result in a late fee (\$100) and additional administrative charges (\$100).