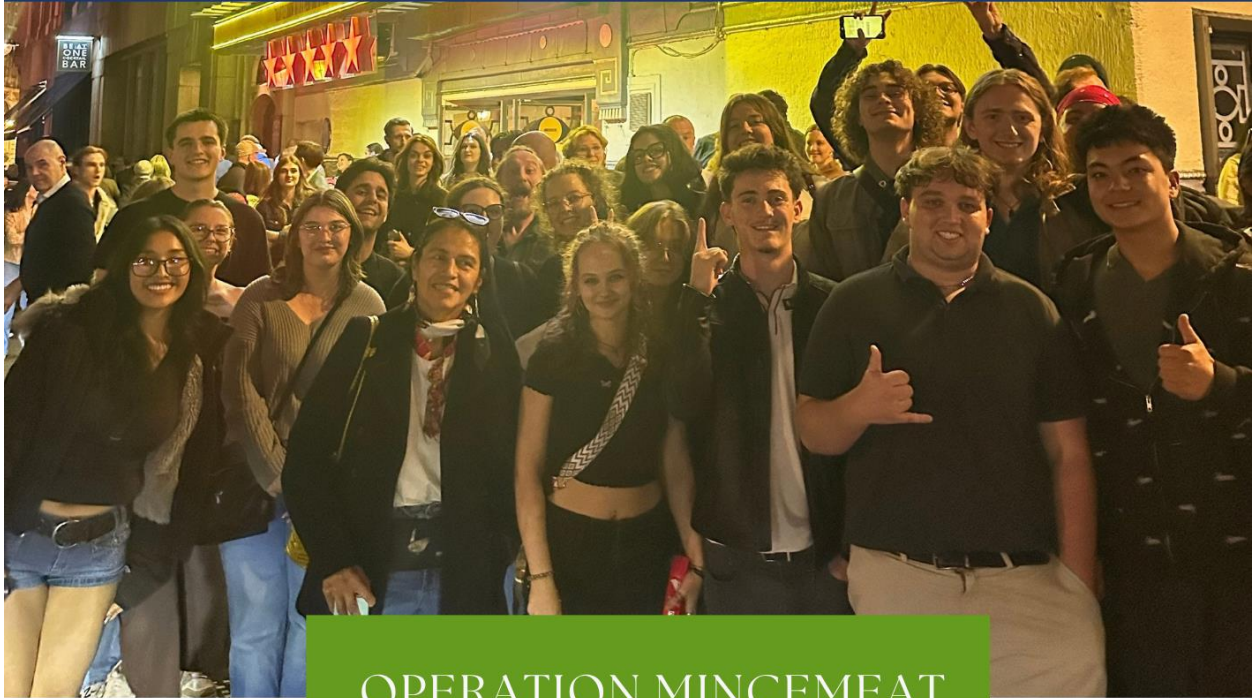


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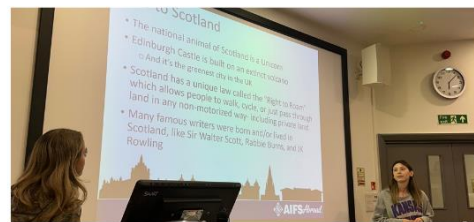
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OPERATION MINCEMEAT

WEST END EXPERIENCE

In weeks two and three, the students had the choice of two West End performances: *Operation Mincemeat* or *The Comedy About Spies*. Both wonderful shows, that the students enjoyed - and both completely sold out!



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Faculty have mentioned how engaged students have been in class, but the faculty have also put together some great visits and speakers to take advantage of being in London. In week 2 classes could be found at the V&A, Whole Foods, The Globe, and a walking tour of South Bank. This week classes were out at Battersea Power Station, National History Museum, and Kensington Gardens.



Today the students should be at their first stop on today's excursion, Stonehenge. Afterward they will make their way to Salisbury to spend the rest of the afternoon. Tomorrow they will go on a guided tour of the Houses of Parliament. The students also had a Pre-Departure Orientation for the optional Scotland Excursion next weekend.

Most students seem to be settling in well and finding their stride. The team has been enjoying their outreach meetings with the students, learning more about them, but also learning more about their experience so far. One student mentioned it was their first time leaving the U.S. and when asked how they were finding the transition to London, they said it was much easier than expected. They spoke about their weekend in Amsterdam and the travel they have already booked for the rest of the semester, including Norway, Italy, and Spain! And students who were previously homesick and anxious about their time in London have been out exploring, making friends, and engaging well in the classroom!

