BATTLEFIELD STUDY TOUR JUNE 8-23 2024

Are you an outstanding graduate student, undergraduate, or very recent graduate from a Canadian university who wants to understand the role Canadians played in the liberation of Europe in the World Wars?

This year's tour is a special event marking the 100th Anniversary of the Royal Canadian Air Force

RCAF Centennial Tour

Professor Graham Broad (King's at Western) and Dr. Mike Bechthold will lead the group that will place a special emphasis on the contribution of Canada's Air Force to victory. The group will travel to the UK where they will tour sites in Yorkshire, Cambridge and London. They will then travel to France where Vimy Ridge and First World War aerodromes and battlefields will be visited before touring the important sites in Normandy, including Dieppe, Juno Beach, the Falaise Gap and Verrieres Ridge.



The Foundation offers a bursary to each successful applicant, but requires them to contribute \$1250 towards the cost of the tour, which includes air and ground travel from Toronto, accommodation, meals and study materials. Travel to and from Toronto is not covered and must be defrayed by the applicant.

Students will be expected to prepare for the trip, lead on-site discussions, including a short biography of a Canadian buried or memorialized along our route. They will also be expected to contribute to social media coverage of the trip. Candidates will have to submit two letters of reference (one of which must be from a professor), transcripts (unofficial are acceptable) and complete the registration form at the following link: https://forms.gle/ NtQ8BB6UUMxdTJAZ6

Applications for this year's tour are due Friday,15 March 2024.

For more information contact Dr. Broad or Dr. Bechthold at cbftour2024@gmail.com.

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