Important information as you plan your HIP schedule:

- HIP students are charged for 16 credit hours. A minimum of 12 hours must be maintained throughout the semester. If you enroll in more than 16 credit hours, you will be charged for those hours.
- HUM 273, a French course, and a Bible course are required
- Every effort is made to offer the courses listed below each semester at HIP. Other courses may also be added for particular semesters. Contact international@harding.edu for more information.

FR 100 – French for Travelers (2)
Elements of French for students with no background in the language, with emphasis given to oral communication in everyday situations.

HUM 273 - World Civilization/Humanities (2-6)
REQUIRED. An integration of the disciplines of art, drama, history, literature, music, philosophy, religion, and science, and their influence in shaping ideas and values in the selected area of the world. The course content will reflect the context in which it will be taught. May substitute for 2-6 hours selected from the following: ART 101 (3 hrs), ENG 201 or 202 (3 hrs), HIST 110 or 111 (3 hrs), MUS 101 (3 hrs), PHIL 251 (3 hrs), THEA 101 (3 hrs), or up to 3 credits of global literacy. Determine how you intend to apply the credits, then enroll in the appropriate number of hours. (Example: Student wants credit for ENG 201 and MUS 101; therefore, will enroll in 6 credit hours.) Credit may not be increased after the semester is completed. After the semester abroad, students may apply the credits to the appropriate course(s). NOTE: This course may not be used to raise a grade in any course previously taken. This course may be repeated for credit, up to a maximum of 12 hours, provided the course is taken at different locations.

HUM 201 - International Studies (1-3)
Preparation for international experience in living and studying abroad. Enhancement in cultural sensitivity and practical matters of survival in a different cultural setting. Approximately 30 hours of classroom instruction. Research on the host country. (Fulfills 1-3 credits of the 6 hours required for Global Literacy.)

BNEW 313 – Paul (2 or 3) (or a similar course)
REQUIRED. The figure of Paul in the New Testament - as apostle, Roman citizen, missionary. Selected passages from Acts of the Apostles and Paul’s letters are examined. Background material relating to his apostleship to the Gentiles is examined in Europe and the Middle East.

BMIS 280 - The World Christian (On Line) (3)
This course may be taken only as a second Bible class. This introductory missions course focuses on key questions about God, his world and our mission in order to foster a world Christian mindset and values. This course establishes the foundation for subsequent missions courses.

COMM 101 – Communication Principles (3)
Instruction and practice in the theory and skills of public and interpersonal communication. Research, organization, and delivery of speeches. Development of critical listening skills for evaluative purposes. Emphasis on nonverbal, small group, and multicultural communication in a digitally connected world.