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LONDON WEST END AND BEYOND

SCENES & SIGHTS OF LONDON

Dmitry Troyanovsky '98
Associate Professor of Theater Arts

November 16 - 23, 2026

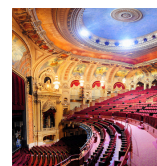
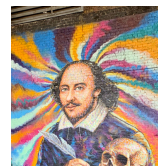


Experience the magic of London through the lens of theatre on this exceptional 8-day cultural journey. Explore the city's rich, dramatic heritage with guided visits to the Globe Theatre and the National Theatre, including a special backstage tour. Enjoy three performances at acclaimed theatres that showcase the diversity and brilliance of London's stages. Discover history and artistry at the British Museum, and savor the city's charm with a leisurely lunch cruise on the Thames. From literary Bloomsbury to the vibrant West End, immerse yourself in the stories, sights, and sounds that make London a global capital of culture. Don't miss this chance to step into the spotlight in one of the world's great theatre cities.



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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- **VISIT** iconic landmarks of British culture and history, including the British Museum and Shakespeare's Globe Theatre
- **EXPLORE** the creative heartbeat of London with a behind-the-scenes tour of the National Theatre
- **EXPERIENCE** the magic of live performance with tickets to three theatre productions
- **DISCOVER** British theatre through expert-led conversations and exclusive access to historic venues
- **LEARN** from theatre professionals and scholars who bring centuries of performance history to life
- **ENJOY** timeless London charm at The Montague on the Gardens, a boutique four-star hotel nestled in the heart of Bloomsbury



Dmitry Troyanovsky '98 Associate Professor of Theater Arts

Dmitry Troyanovsky '98 is an associate professor of theater arts at Brandeis. Director Troyanovsky stages productions, teaches, leads workshops, and develops new theatrical material at national and international institutions, including the Shanghai Dramatic Arts Center in China, American Repertory Theatre, Opera Idaho, Bard Music Festival, Asolo Repertory Theatre, Baryshnikov Arts Center, Shanghai Theatre Academy, Moscow Art Theatre School, and 92nd Street Y in New York, among other educational institutions. A refugee from the former Soviet Union (now Ukraine), Troyanovsky brings an outsider experience to his work. He is an MFA graduate of the American Repertory Theatre Institute for the Advanced Theatre Training at Harvard University and earned his BA from Brandeis University.

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Dear Alumni and Friends,

This November, immerse yourself in London's timeless elegance and cultural richness on an eight-day journey that celebrates one of the world's great theatre capitals.

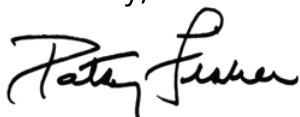
Begin in the heart of the city with guided visits to the British Museum and the lively streets of Bloomsbury. Discover London's vibrant cultural scene as you explore iconic landmarks such as Shakespeare's Globe Theatre and the National Theatre, complete with exclusive backstage access that reveals the magic behind the curtain.

Enhance your journey with tickets to three unforgettable performances showcasing the very best of contemporary and classical theatre. Savor a scenic lunch cruise along the River Thames, offering views of London's historic skyline, and enjoy the charm and comfort of your stay at The Montague on the Gardens, a four-star boutique hotel in the literary heart of the city.

In partnership with local guides and theatre professionals, our program will be led by Dmitry Troyanovsky '98, associate professor of theater arts at Brandeis, who will enrich and inform the journey with expert insights into stage production, translation, and the performing arts. Through thoughtful discussions and behind-the-scenes experiences, Professor Troyanovsky will help bring London's rich dramatic tradition to life.

To reserve your space or for more information, call our tour operator, EPIX Travels, at (203) 604-1365, visit brandeis.epixtravels.com, or email info@epixtravels.com. Space is limited for this exclusive Brandeis journey, so inquire today.

Sincerely,



F. Patricia Fisher
Vice President, Alumni Relations
Brandeis University

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Day 1 - Monday, November 16

United States

Depart home for London.

Day 2 - Tuesday, November 17

London, England

Check into the beautiful Montague on the Gardens and enjoy an afternoon at leisure. Later this evening, gather for the group's welcome dinner.

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Day 3 - Wednesday, November 18

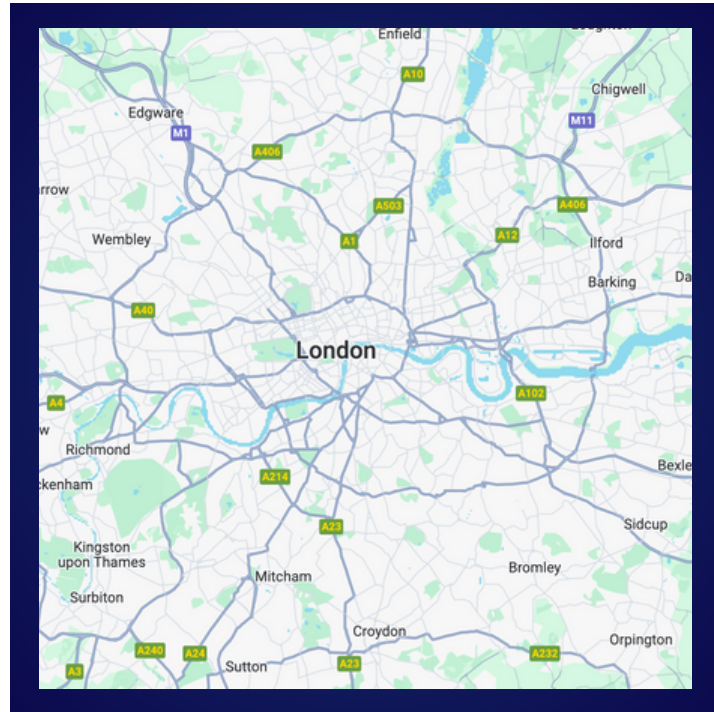
London, England

Enjoy a hearty breakfast at the hotel this morning before setting out for a guided visit to the world-renowned British Museum. Home to a vast collection of artifacts spanning thousands of years and cultures, including the Rosetta Stone, the Elgin Marbles, and the Egyptian mummies. This visit offers a fascinating window into the global human story. After the tour, relax and enjoy lunch at the museum's stylish restaurant, surrounded by the



architectural splendor of the Great Court. The afternoon is yours to explore London at your own pace, whether you choose to browse nearby shops, stroll through Russell Square, or return to the museum's galleries. This evening, reconvene with the group for a festive dinner at a local restaurant, sharing reflections and building camaraderie over fine food and conversation.

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Day 4 - Thursday, November 19

London, England

Begin your day with a thought-provoking group discussion. In the afternoon, step behind the curtain during an exclusive guided backstage tour of one of London's premier theatres, an insider's look at the sets, costumes, and technical artistry that bring performances to life. After some time to relax or explore, gather this evening for a delightful group dinner at a local restaurant, followed by a live theatre performance, immersing yourself in the magic of the London stage.

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Day 5 - Friday, November 20

London, England

Start your day with breakfast at the hotel, followed by a lively group discussion, offering more profound insight into the plays, performances, and venues featured in your London theatre experience. Then, step aboard for a scenic lunch cruise along the River Thames, taking in iconic views of London's skyline while enjoying a delicious meal on the water. Enjoy a behind-the-scenes backstage tour at one of the city's theatres this afternoon. Enjoy a festive dinner at a local restaurant, sharing reflections and building camaraderie over fine food and conversation. Followed by an evening performance showcasing the best of London's theatrical talent.

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Day 6 - Saturday, November 21

London, England

Today, we'll begin with a stimulating group discussion, and later in the afternoon, soak up some leisure time to explore London at your own pace with an optional visit to Camden Market, known for its eclectic mix of food stalls, vintage shops, and vibrant street culture. Later this evening, gather for a special group dinner and a captivating live theatre performance highlighting the energy and artistry of London's world-class stage scene.

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Day 7 - Sunday, November 22

London, England

Relish a morning at leisure before participating in the Brandeis Alumni Club of Great Britain's 39th Annual Thanksgiving Tea, a warm and festive gathering, and longest-running Alumni Association event. Enjoy an interactive program with Professor Troyanovsky, and a meet and greet with local London alumni. This evening, conclude your London journey with a festive farewell dinner at a local restaurant, raising a glass to a memorable week of culture, conversation, and connection.

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Day 8 - Monday, November 23

London, England

Today we end our adventure. Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before returning home.

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The Montague on the Gardens



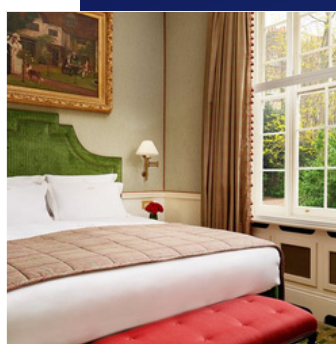
Experience timeless London charm at The Montague on the Gardens, a boutique hotel nestled in the heart of Bloomsbury. Just steps from the British Museum and the West End, this elegant Georgian townhouse offers refined comfort, impeccable service, and serene garden views. With plush rooms, afternoon tea, and a cozy bar that captures old-world glamour, it's the perfect retreat after a day of theater and sightseeing.

RATE PER PERSON

Doubles	\$5,850
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