

**ICELAND: Land Into Legend—  
*Northern Lights on the  
Saga Road***

**Wintermester 2021/22:**

**Dec. 27 -Jan. 6 (online)**

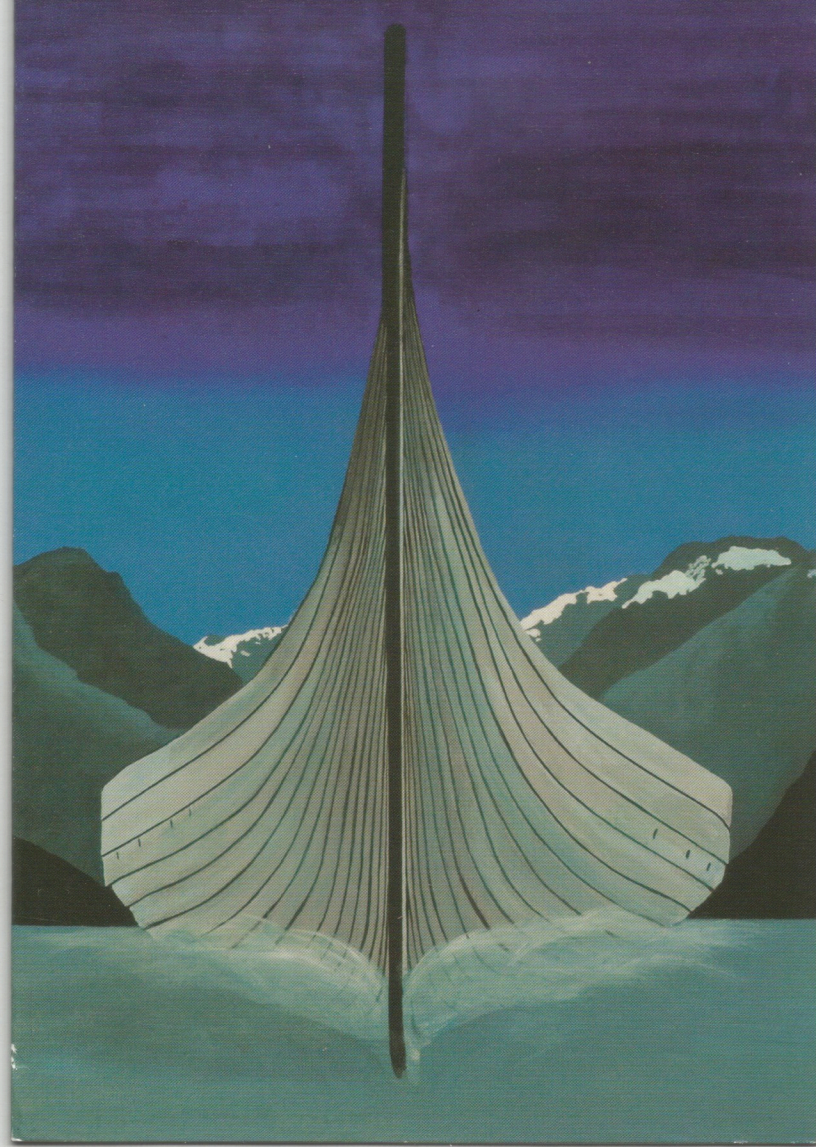
**Jan. 7-15 (travel)**

**ENGL 4954 (3 hr.)**

**Faculty: Jeff Mann and Jane Wemhoener**

*Experience the ancient sagas and Eddas  
of Old Norse in the world  
they immortalize:*

**ICELAND!**



Artist: Jan Peterson ([www.janapeterson.com](http://www.janapeterson.com))

An introduction to the language and literature of Old Norse, its place in world literature, and its impact on contemporary creative writing, this course follows two weeks of online class work with one week of travel around Iceland's Ring Road. Tutorials and writing "on the road" will explore the many ways that land informs and transforms legend and literature.

***Ice Caves, Hot Springs, Waterfalls, Geysers, Cliffs and Farm Valleys—see this  
world under the Northern Lights (if they deign to appear).***

**Costs:**

- Program Fee: \$2200
- Virginia Tech winter abroad tuition, 3 hrs. (See VT Bursar's site for tuition and fees.)
- International Airfare (variable, avg. \$800)
- VT Global Education Office Application and Processing Fees: \$100
- Passport Costs, if needed: \$145
- Daily Lunch and Dinner Costs in Iceland (variable, avg. \$350)

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