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Sociology Student Spotlight

EMMA FRIEH

Emma participated in the first “Study Away” Sociology program in New York City this summer! She described the experience as “unforgettable,” saying, “I saw the city from a completely different perspective compared to that of a tourist and learned to see the connection between urban space, gentrification, and inequality that I now see as extremely relevant to phenomena occurring in Buffalo as well.”



Emma is currently working on an honors project about workplace discrimination and the different experiences of lesbians compared to heterosexual women. She plans to attend graduate school next year to earn a PhD in sociology, focusing on gender, sexuality, inequality, and social theory.

Congratulations, Emma!