

Short-Term Study Abroad Program Information

Please provide the following information:

Study Abroad Program Name: Discover Abroad - Fiji: Ecotourism and Sustainability
 Study Abroad (SABD) Course ID: SABD 1097
 Study Abroad (SABD) Course CRN: 60525
 Semester Program will be Offered: Summer 2017
 Session (*Select Session that most closely aligns with program dates*)*: Short Session I (6/5 - 6/29)
 Program Director/Contact Name: Michael Tarrant
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 Program Start Date (*First meeting with enrolled students*): 5/31/2017
 Program End Date (*Last meeting with enrolled students*): 6/7/2017
 Travel Start Date: 5/29/2017
 Travel End Date: 6/7/2017
 Anticipated Number of Total Students Participating in Program: 36
 Anticipated Number of UGA Students: 33
 Anticipated Number of Transient Students: 3
 Anticipated Number of Undergraduate Students in the Program: 33
 Total Number of Credit Hours Taken by Each Undergraduate Student: 3
 Anticipated Number of Graduate Students in the Program: 0
 Total Number of Credit Hours Taken by Each Graduate Student: 3

Please list each course offered through the program on a separate row below:

Course Title	Course Prefix	Course Number	CRN(s)	Credit Hours	Schedule Type	Instructor(s)	Department of Instructor(s)	Course Start Date	Course End Date	Total Lecture Hours	Total Field/ Lab Hours	Total Contact Hours**
Field Studies in Sustainable Development	FANR	4273S/6273S	54606, 54607	3	LEC	Michael Tarrant, Mikell Gleason, and Logan Mintz	Warnell	31-May-17	7-Jun-17	32	16	40

*Please work with department schedulers and OIE to ensure that all academic courses are scheduled in the same Session as the program SABD course.

Please also complete the Academic Itinerary found on the second worksheet of this document.

**Total Contact Hours = Total Lecture Hours + (Total Field Hours / 2)
 Courses require 12.5 contact hours for each credit hour earned

For questions, please contact the Office of Curriculum Systems at currsys@uga.edu or 706-542-6358.

Sample Itinerary
Fiji: Ecotourism and Sustainability
Field Studies in Sustainable Development: Service-Learning

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Notes: This itinerary is a sample of potential program activities, deviations may be expected. All meals provided.

Destination	Date	Time	Topic	Contact Hours
Pre-departure			Program orientation	3L
Pre-departure			Online pre-departure lecture: An introduction to Fijian: The human and natural environments	2L
Nadi	Day 1	16:00	Group flights arrive	
		18:30 – 21:30	Welcome, dinner and orientation to Fiji (sulu pickup)	2L
Nadi to Botaira	Day 2	7:00	Breakfast	
		8:00 – 11:30	Depart for Denarau Harbor and Yasawa Flyer to Botaira Resort: Island tourism development	2F
		12:30	Lunch	
		15:00	Day one quiz	1L
		16:00 – 17:30	Introduction to service-learning, citizen science, and sustainability	1.5L
		18:30	Dinner	
		19:30 – 21:00	Debriefing for citizen science: Reef Check marine project overview	1.5L
Botaira	Day 3	7:30	Breakfast	
		8:30	Citizen science (marine) snorkel induction	1F
		10:00 - Noon	Introduction to Fiji's marine environment and group assignments	2L
		12:30	Lunch	
		13:30 – 16:30	Citizen science (marine) data collection, analysis, and presentation preparation	1L, 2F
		16:30 – 18:30	Module I reading: Community and the Fijian way of life	
		18:30	Dinner	
		19:30 – 20:30	Module I discussion	1L

Botaira	Day 4	7:30	Breakfast	
		8:30 – 10:00	Citizen science (marine) group presentations and discussion	1.5L
		10:30 – Noon	Citizen science (ecotourism) project overview and group assignments	1L, .5F
		12:30	Group lunch	
		13:30 – 16:30	Ecotourism project data collection, analysis, and presentation preparation	1L, 2F
		17:00	Module II reading: Tourism and the making of paradise	
		18:30	Dinner	
		19:30 – 21:30	Village homestay preparation, service-learning and ethnographic assignments	2L
Botaira to Soso	Day 5	7:30	Breakfast	
		8:30 – 10:00	Citizen science (ecotourism) group presentations and discussion	1.5L
		10:30	Module II reading and homestay packing	
		12:30	Lunch	
		13:30	Depart for Soso village	
		15:00	Sevusevu	1L
		16:30	Service-learning assignments	2F
		18:30	Dinner with homestay family	
		20:00 – 21:00	Module II discussion	1L
Soso village	Day 6	7:30	Breakfast with homestay family	
		8:30	Service-learning project	2.5F
		11:00	Module III reading: Fijian culture, vanua, and traditional knowledge	
		12:30	Lunch with homestay family	
		13:30	Ethnographic study: Interviews and data collection	1.5L
		15:30	Service-learning project	2F
		17:30	Module III reading	
		18:30	Dinner with homestay family	
		20:00	Module III discussion	1L

Soso to Nadi	Day 7	7:30	Breakfast with homestay family	
		9:00	Return to Botaira	
		10:30 - Noon	Homestay debriefing: service activities and ethnographic projects	1.5L
		12:30	Lunch at Botaira	
		14:00	Return to Nadi via Yawasa Flyer	
		18:30	Dinner	
Nadi	Day 8	7:30	Breakfast	
		8:30	Course evaluation	1L
		9:30	Final exam – concept quiz (open field notes)	2L
		11:30	Check-out of accommodations	
		Noon	Lunch	
		13:30	Coach depart for Latouka: Guided tour of vegetable market and handicraft market	1L, 2F
		17:30	Return to Nadi	
		19:00	Transfer to Nadi International Airport and depart for Los Angeles	

Contact Hours

Lecture hours: 32

Field hours 16 hours (using 2 field hours = 1 lecture hour): 8

Total contact hours = 40 (3 semester credits)