

Short-Term Study Abroad Program Information

Please provide the following information:

Study Abroad Program Name: Maymester in Australia and New Zealand: Natural History of the South Pacific
 Study Abroad (SABD) Course ID: SABD 1169
 Study Abroad (SABD) Course CRN: TBD
 Semester Program will be Offered: Maymester 2019
 Part of Term (Select Part of Term that most closely aligns with program dates)* : May Session
[Click Here for Part of Term Dates \("Classes Begin" and "Classes End"\)](#)
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 Program Start Date (First meeting with enrolled students): 5/11/2019
 Program End Date (Last meeting with enrolled students): 6/3/2019
 Travel Start Date: 5/9/2019
 Travel End Date: 6/3/2019
 Anticipated Number of Total Students Participating in Program: 32
 Anticipated Number of UGA Students: 31
 Anticipated Number of Transient Students: 1
 Anticipated Number of Undergraduate Students in the Program: 32
 Total Number of Credit Hours Taken by Each Undergraduate Student: 6
 Anticipated Number of Graduate Students in the Program: 0
 Total Number of Credit Hours Taken by Each Graduate Student: 6

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

Course Title	Course Prefix	Course Number	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**
Natural History of the South Pacific	BIOL(FANR)	3460	3	Lecture	Mark Farmer	Biology	5/11/2019	6/3/2019	35.25	20.75	45.63
Field Studies in Natural Resources	FANR(ANTH)(ECOL) (GEOG)(INTL)	4271/6271	3	Lecture	Dorset Trapnell	Plant Biology	5/11/2019	6/3/2019	48.75	14.25	55.88

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

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

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

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

UGA Discover Abroad Maymester in Australia and New Zealand:

Natural History of the South Pacific

SABD 1169

May 9 - June 3, 2019

Instructors: Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell | Program Assistant: Ansley Silva

		BIOL 3460		FANR 4271	
		Lecture	Field/Lab	Lecture	Field/Lab
Sun, Apr 15	Pre-departure Orientation	1.50		1.50	
13:00 - 16:00	Dr. Michael Tarrant, Dr. Mark Farmer, and Dr. Dorset Trapnell				
On your own	Pre-departure lecture: Welcome to Discover Abroad Dr. Michael Tarrant	0.75		0.75	
On your own	Pre-departure lecture: Introduction to New Zealand Dr. Michael Tarrant	0.50		0.50	
On your own	Pre-departure lecture: Introduction to Australia Dr. Michael Tarrant	0.50		0.50	
Thu, May 9	Depart U.S. for New Zealand				
21:30	NZ 1 departs LAX for ZQN via AKL (arrives 11:20am in Queenstown)				
23:30	NZ 19 departs LAX for ZQN via RAR and AKL (arrives 1:55pm in Queenstown)				
Sat, May 11	Day 1: Arrive Queenstown (D)				
<p>Upon arrival in Auckland International Airport, proceed through customs and transfer to the Auckland Domestic terminal.</p> <p>Remember to contact your loved ones and let them know you have safely arrived.</p> <p>Tag your Instagram photos with #DAPurple18 and @ugadiscoverabroad</p> <p>Throughout the program: always come prepared to take notes in class and on all field activities.</p> <p>In Queenstown, purchase a lunch to pack on the hike tomorrow.</p> <p>Wifi is available for free at Pinewood. Grab a code before the front office closes - 1 per device.</p> <p>Bring your water bottles to orientation tonight: Dinner will be during orientation.</p> <p>Please keep track of your passport.</p> <p>Fresh Choice supermarket, 64 George Rd., 03 441 1252, open 7:00 - 23:00 Mon - Sun. Get snacks for hike tomorrow.</p> <p><i>Faculty/Staff to purchase groceries for 3 student breakfasts. Fresh Choice supermarket, 64 George Rd., 03 441 1252, open 7:00 - 23:00 Mon - Sun.</i></p> <p><i>Faculty/Staff to order pizzas for dinner tonight from: Hell Pizza, 3 Searle Ln; Tel. 03 441 2666 (online at https://hellpizza.com/69) .</i></p> <p><i>PA to gather digital introductions onto one computer well before showtime.</i></p>					
06:15	NZ5 arrives AKL (proceed to customs and then the domestic terminal)				
11:20	NZ615 arrives from Auckland (15 people)				
12:00	Coach departs for accommodations in Queenstown Look for "UGA" sign in arrivals hall Professional Touring, Morgan McCammon, GM; Tel. 02 7673 0001				

12:30	Check in to accommodations		
12:45 - 15:30	Queenstown scavenger hunt and lunch on your own		
13:55	NZ 621 arrives from Auckland (20 people)		
14:30	Coach departs for accommodations in Queenstown		
15:30 - 16:00	Scavenger hunt debrief Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell Meet back at Pinewood reception area and move to The Hub		0.50
16:00 - 16:30	Survey A Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell The Hub		0.50
16:30 - 17:30	Orientation I: Introduction to program themes and risk management Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell The Hub	0.50	0.50
17:30 - 18:30	Digital Introductions and Hell Pizza dinner Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell The Hub		1.00
18:30 - 19:30	Orientation II: Academic expectations and introduction to the thematic essay Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell The Hub	0.50	0.50
Accommodation: Pinewood Lodge, 48 Hamilton Rd., Queenstown; Tel. 03.442.8273			

Sun, May 12 Day 2: Queenstown (B)

Field gear. Pack a lunch or snack for hike.

Faculty/Staff call Real Journeys to confirm departure time for Deep Cove: 0800.656.501.

06:30 - 07:30	Self-catered group breakfast and pack lunch for hike		
08:00 - 09:00	Assignment due: First full day quiz (AU, NZ, and Discover Abroad pre-departure lectures) Dr. Dorset Trapnell The Hub		1.00
9:00 - 10:00	Module NZ overview discussion Dr. Mark Farmer The Hub	1.00	
10:00 - 10:15	Risk management plan for Doubtful Sound Ansley Silva The Hub		0.25
10:30 - 13:30	Natural history of the Southern Alps: Queenstown Hill hike (500m climb) Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell Lunch on your own	1.50	1.50
15:00 - 17:00	Module NZ overview 205-word essay preparation		

17:30 - 18:30 **Assignment due: Organism presentations** 1.00
 Dr. Mark Farmer
 The Hub

 Dinner on your own

Accommodation: Pinewood Lodge, 48 Hamilton Rd., Queenstown; Tel. 03.442.8273

Mon, May 13 Day 3: Queenstown (B)

Plan a visit to the grocery store for a snack for tomorrow's ride to tide you over until a more substantial lunch or dinner upon arrival at Doubtful Sound.

Plan ahead for tomorrow. Pack into a smaller bag, large luggage to be stored at Pinewood.

7:30 - 8:30 Self-catered group breakfast and clean up

Free day

19:00 - 21:00 Module NZ overview topics quiz preparation

Accommodation: Pinewood Lodge, 48 Hamilton Rd., Queenstown; Tel. 03 442 8273

Tue, May 14 Day 4: Queenstown to Deep Cove (B, L, D)

Double check that you have all your belongings. Store luggage where indicated by faculty. Leave Sleeping bag, towel, pillow case (or use a t-shirt), and rain gear required. Insect repellent recommended for protection against sand flies. Bring your backpack with academic materials and medications. Big luggage will be stored at Pinewood. Clean up groups check with Bob Hughes regarding duties.

Deep Cove field guide is PC Taylor, 02.7221.7402.

Faculty/Staff verify with Pinewood where to store luggage (usually the bike shed).

Group will meet Bob Hughes at Deep Cove, 03 928 5262.

PA to assign and remind dinner cleanup group to check in with Bob to see what needs to be done and when.

Faculty/Staff remind driver to stop in Te Anau supermarket to pick up groceries for Deep Cove (already paid)

Faculty/Staff divide group up in half (Takahe and Weka) for activities. Keep debate groupings in mind.

For lectures, plug into the TV instead of using projector. HDMI and VGA cables and adapters included in projector kit.

06:30 - 07:30 Self-catered group breakfast and kitchen cleanup

07:30 - 08:00 Store luggage and non-perishable food where indicated by faculty

08:00 Coach depart for Manapouri Visitor Center (174 km - approx. 2.5 hours)

Professional Touring, Morgan McCammon, GM; Tel. 02 7673 0001

en route Biology lecture: Podcast I 1.50
 Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell

10:00 - 11:00 Introduction to Fiordland National Park: Self-guided tour of exhibits 0.50

Fiordland National Park Visitor Center, Lakefront Dr., Te Anau, 03.249.7924

12:00	Boat departs from Manapouri visitor center (check-in by 11:40) approx. 1 hour Pearl Harbour, Waiiau St., Manapouri; Tel. 03 249 6602		
13:15	Coach depart for Deep Cove (approx. 40 minutes) Group lunch and clean up		
14:30 - 16:00	Module Fiordland discussion and introduction to the Fiordland SSI Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell	1.50	
16:00 - 17:30	Introduction to Fiordland National Park and World Heritage Site PC Taylor, Eglinton Experiences LTD Deep Cove dining area	1.50	
17:30 - 19:00	Group dinner and cleanup		
19:30 - 20:30	Assignment due: Organism presentations Dr. Mark Farmer	1.00	
20:30 - 22:00	Group Weka: Observing glowworms and listening for kiwis Ecology of nocturnal wildlife PC Taylor, Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell		
20:30 - 22:00	Group Takaha Module Fiordland topics quiz preparation		
Accommodation: Deep Cove Hostel, Doubtful Sound; Tel. 03.218.7655			

Wed, May 15 Day 5: Deep Cove (B, L, D)

Field gear for cruise and any hikes.

Cruise participants to pack lunch after breakfast.

07:00 - 08:00	Group breakfast and clean up Deep Cove dining area		
08:30 - 09:00	Assignment due: Module NZ overview 250-word essay Assignment due: Module NZ overview topics quiz Dr. Dorset Trapnell	0.50	
09:00 - 10:00	Visitor capacities in Fiordland National Park PC Taylor Deep Cove dining area	1.00	
10:30 - 13:00	Group Takaha Forest succession: Helena Falls guided walk PC Taylor Group lunch and clean up	0.50	2.00
11:30 - 14:30	Group Weka Social and natural history of the fiords: Interpretive cruise Depart from pier outside Deep Cove lodge (be there 15 minutes early) Group Takaha lunch		

14:00 - 16:00	Group Takahe Brasell Point: Guided plant identification walk PC Taylor	1.00	1.00
15:00 - 18:00	Group Weka: Fiordland SSI preparation I		
16:00 - 18:00	Group Takahe: Fiordland SSI preparation I		
17:30 - 19:00	Group dinner and clean up Deep Cove dining area		
19:30 - 20:30	Group Weka: Module Fiordland SSI preparation I		
19:30 - 21:00	Group Takahe: Observing glowworms and listening for kiwis Ecology of nocturnal wildlife PC Taylor, Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell		1.50
19:30 - 21:00	Group Weka Module Fiordland topics quiz preparation		
Accommodation: Deep Cove Hostel, Doubtful Sound; Tel. 03.218.7655			

Thu, May 16 Day 6: Deep Cove (B, L, D)

Field gear for cruise and any hikes.

Cruise participants to pack lunch after breakfast

Have bags packed tonight. Bring them down to breakfast tomorrow morning - cleanup of hostel will start after breakfast.

Faculty/field guide to collect plant samples for the species ID quiz tomorrow night. Put samples out for review tonight, then store in some water in the refrigerator or outside.

07:00 - 08:00	Group breakfast and clean up Deep Cove dining area		
09:00 - 10:00	Collaborative decision making in Fiordland National Park: Guardians of the Fiordland versus DOC PC Taylor		1.00
10:30 - 13:00	Group Weka Forest succession: Helena Falls guided walk PC Taylor		
11:30 - 14:30	Group Takahe Social and natural history of the fiords: Interpretive cruise Depart from pier outside Deep Cove lodge (be there 15 minutes early)		3.00
	Group Weka lunch		
14:00 - 16:00	Group Weka Brasell Point: Guided plant identification walk PC Taylor		
15:00 - 18:00	Group Takahe: Module Fiordland SSI preparation II		
16:00 - 18:00	Group Weka: Module Fiordland SSI preparation II		
18:00 - 19:30	Group dinner and cleanup Deep Cove dining area		

19:30 - 21:30 Assignment due: Module Fiordland SSI 2.00
 Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorset Trapnell, Ansley Silva, and PC Taylor
 Deep Cove dining area

Accommodation: Deep Cove Hostel, Doubtful Sound; Tel. 03.218.7655

Fri, May 17 Day 7: Deep Cove to Queenstown (B, L)

Hostel must be cleaned up before departure, including mopping the bathrooms, sweeping, cleaning up any trash. Bob Hughes will instruct. □

Pack a lunch before clean up.

Faculty and field guide to set up species ID quiz.

For biology topics quiz, split students into two groups and administer quiz at the same time in both student lodges.

Faculty/Staff call Simon Cameron (02 1221 9554) and Fork Farm (02 7223 0398) today to confirm meeting tomorrow.

Faculty/Staff to purchase groceries for tomorrow's breakfast (take leftovers to Aoraki).

John Charteris arrived with the Green group. His mobile is 027.710.1429. He will travel to Aoraki with you.

06:30 - 07:30 Group breakfast; pack take-away lunches
 Deep Cove dining area

07:30 - 09:00 Clean up hostel

09:00 - 09:30 Assignment due: Fiordland species ID quiz 0.50
 Dr. Dorset Trapnell and PC Taylor

09:45 Coach departs for Manapouri visitor center (via boat)

12:00 Coach departs for Queenstown (174 km)
 Professional Touring
 Morgan McCammon, GM, 027.673.0001

en route Indigenous birds of New Zealand (weather permitting) 0.50
 Te Anau Wildlife Park
 Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell

en route Biology lecture: Podcast II 1.00
 Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell

en route Risk management plan for Aoraki/Mt. Cook 0.25
 Ansley Silva

16:30 - 17:00 Assignment due: Biology topics quiz 0.50
 Dr. Mark Farmer
 The Hub

17:00 - 17:30 Assignment due: Queenstown and Fiordland topics quiz 0.50
 Dr. Dorset Trapnell
 The Hub

17:30 - 18:30 Module NZ overview feedback 1.00
 Dr. Mark Farmer
 The Hub

Dinner on your own

Accommodation: Pinewood Lodge, 48 Hamilton Rd., Queenstown; Tel. 03.442.8273

Sat, May 18 Day 8: Queenstown to Aoraki/Mt. Cook (B, L, D)

Double check that you have all your belongings. Make sure rooms and dining areas are clean. Be out of rooms by time indicated. Leave keys on kitchen table.

Field gear: Closed toe shoes required at Fork Farm. No toilet facilities at either farm.

Field guide for Aoraki is John Charteris.

PA to perform passport check before departure for Aoraki

Call Phill Hunt and Simon Cameron well before arrival to confirm your arrival time.

Faculty/Staff to purchase 3L for students (approx. \$480). Also purchase for group: 2B and 2D (approx. \$700).

Don't forget to take John Charteris with you!

06:00 - 06:30 Self-catered group breakfast and cleanup

06:30 - 07:00 Pack coach with luggage and food from kitchen

07:00 Coach departs for Aoraki Mt. Cook (353 km) via Fork Farm and Ben Ohau Station

Stop at Mrs. Jones Fruit stand for toilet break (54 km) (opens at 8:00)

09:15 - 10:45 Lake District land management: Romney wool, commodity prices, and making a living on a family farm
Phill Hunt; Tel. 02 7223 0398
Fork Farm, 100 Maungawera Valley Rd., off Albert Rd. outside of Wanaka (118 km) 1.00 0.50

11:00 - 12:30 Supermarket stop and lunch stop in Wanaka (132 km)
Purchase 3 lunches (\$15 per student)
New World supermarket
20 Dunmore St., 03.3443.0048, open 7:30 - 21:00 daily

en route Biology lecture: Podcast III 1.50
Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell

Stop at the Wrinkly Rams for a toilet break (merino viewing) (254 km)

14:30 - 16:00 High Country land management: Merino wool, water issues, and land tenure 1.00 0.50
Simon Cameron; Tel. 02 1221 9554
Ben Ohau Station, Glen Lyon Rd., Twizel, 5.27 kms from State Hwy. 8 (289 km)

17:00 Check in at accommodations (353 km)

17:30 - 19:00 Group prepared dinner
Lodge group area

19:00 - 20:00 Introduction to land tenure and Module Aoraki discussion 1.00
Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorset Trapnell, and John Charteris
Lodge group area

20:00 - 21:00 **Assignment due: Organism presentations** 1.00
Dr. Mark Farmer

Lodge group area

Accommodations: Aoraki/Mt. Cook Alpine Lodge, Mt Cook Village; Tel. 03.435.1860

Sun, May 19 Day 09: Aoraki/Mt. Cook (B, L, D)

Field gear. Pack lunch for hike.

Faculty and field guide to collect plant samples for species ID quiz.

07:00 - 08:00 Self-catered group breakfast and clean up

08:30 - 09:30 Introduction to Aoraki/Mt. Cook 1.00
LEOTC Educator at Aoraki/Mt. Cook
Mt. Cook Visitor's Center, 03.435.1819

09:30 - 10:30 Introduction to alpine systems
John Charteris
(use the visitor center meeting room after the LEOTC talk)

11:00 - 15:00 Managing for ecology and people in the Southern Alps: An Interpretive Walk 0.50 1.00 0.50 1.00
John Charteris

16:30 - 17:30 Module Canterbury Plains discussion 1.00
Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell and John Charteris
Lodge group area

17:30 - 19:00 Group prepared dinner and clean up

18:00 - 19:00 Mountain Rescuers film - screened during dinner

19:00 - 20:00 Assignment due: Organism presentations 1.00

20:00 - 22:00 Module Aoraki topics quiz preparation

Accommodations: Aoraki/Mt. Cook Alpine Lodge, Mt Cook Village; Tel. 03.435.1860

Mon, May 20 Day 10: Aoraki/Mt. Cook to Kaikoura (B, L, D)

Double check that you have all your belongings. Leave key in door for room check.

Pack a lunch or purchase food en route.

Kaikoura: Sleeping bags and towels required. Wifi available.

Faculty and field guide to set up species ID quiz.

Kaikoura New World supermarket, 124 Beach Rd., 03 319 5723, open 07:30 - 21:00 Mon - Sun.

Top up breakfast things as needed.

Faculty/Staff to call Encounter Kaikoura to confirm dolphin swim details 0800.733.365

PA to do passport check as students enter coach before departure

Pizzas pre-ordered and paid for from Black Rabbit pizza: 03.319.6360.

Preorder fish and chips/burger/veg burger for tomorrow night from Cods n Cray - email to Gael at pwbtd@gmail.com. Check at 03.319.5845 to make sure all is well.

06:00 - 07:00 Self-catered group breakfast and cleanup. Pack food on coach.

07:00 - 07:30 Pack coach

07:30 - 08:00 Assignment due: Aoraki species ID quiz 0.50
Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell

08:15	Coach departs for Kaikoura				
en route	Biology lecture: Podcast IV Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell	1.50			
en route	Lake Tekapo and hydro power John Charteris		0.50		
en route	Risk management plan for Kaikoura Ansley Silva		0.25		
en route	Rakaia braided river ecosystem: Impact of irrigation and hydropower on water resources and module discussion: Canterbury Plains HWY 1 outside of Ashburton John Charteris	0.25	0.25		
17:30 - 18:00	Assignment due: Module Aoraki topics quiz Top 10 conference room		0.50		
18:00	Group dinner - Black Rabbit pizzas Top 10 conference room				
18:30 - 19:30	Biology lecture: Extinction Dr. Mark Farmer Top 10 conference room	1.00			
19:30 - 21:0	Module Canterbury Plains 250-word essay preparation				
Accommodation: Kaikoura Top 10, 34 Beach Rd., Kaikoura; Tel. 03.319.5362					

Tue, May 21 Day 11: Kaikoura (B, L, D)

For the dolphin swim: bring a small bag with a towel and change of clothes for after the swim (you will be cold). You will wear a full wetsuit with mask and snorkel while swimming. You will be able to change on the boat, and there are showers back at the Encounter Kaikoura building.

Be prepared to go directly to the peninsula hike. Have water and extra snacks if you need them.

Passport check at evening lecture.

PA to hand out and collect signed dolphin swim waivers (at Top 10 front desk) to students prior to Encounter Kaikoura.

PA/Faculty to do passport check in preparation for Sydney

07:00 - 08:00	Self-catered group breakfast and clean up Group kitchen				
8:15	Coach departs for Encounter Kaikoura				
08:30 - 12:00	Dolphin Encounter: The dusky dolphin Encounter Kaikoura, 96 Esplanade, 0800.733.365		0.50	2.00	
12:00 - 13:00	Encounter Kaikoura: The business Dennis Buurman, owner Encounter Kaikoura conference room Sack lunch served		1.00		
13:30 - 16:30	Ecology of the Kaikoura Peninsula: guided walk (low tide 12:07)	0.50	0.75	0.50	0.75

John Charteris

18:00 Assignment due: Module Canterbury Plains

18:00 - 19:30 Module Kaikoura discussion and fish & chips dinner (or burger/veg burger)

Top 10 conference room

19:30 - 20:30 Assignment due: Organism presentations

1.00

Dr. Mark Farmer

Top 10 conference room

Accommodation: Kaikoura Top 10, 34 Beach Rd., Kaikoura; Tel. 03.319.5362

Wed, May 22 Day 12: Kaikoura to Brisbane (B)

Double check that you have all your belongings. Leave key in door for room check.

Brisbane recommendation (if you're not going to see Imagine Dragons tonight): Go out to dinner, see South Bank Parklands, and come back in to do work and get an early night's rest. Your first activity is at 08:00 tomorrow morning, which means you need to be out of your room, downstairs, and checked out ready to go by 07:30.

Plan ahead: tomorrow you will be traveling with just a small bag. Luggage weight limit for LEI is just 12kg. No need to bring sleeping bags or towels. Bring swimwear and warmer layer for evenings. Bring sunscreen, academic materials, all necessary medicines and toiletries. Closed-toe shoes required for reef walking (or use those provided on LEI).

Faculty/Staff to purchase Optus SIM cards at the airport for emergency phones for use in Australia. International plan.

Faculty/Staff to purchase some granola bars and yoghurt cups for tomorrow breakfast on the bus.

Faculty/Staff to call LEI and verify flight times for tomorrow: 1800 072 200. Reservation #1222.

07:00 - 08:00 Self-catered group breakfast and cleanup

08:00 - 09:00 Assignment due: Kaikoura biology topics quiz

1.00

Dr. Mark Farmer

Top 10 conference room

09:00 - 09:30 Pack coach

09:30 Coach departs for Christchurch International airport (180 km)

en route Biology lecture: Podcast V

1.00

en route Risk management plans for LEI and Carnarvon Gorge
Ansley Silva

0.50

Lunch on own at the airport

15:30 NZ 805 departs CHC for BNE (meal included) (arrives 17:30)

en route Module Kaikoura preparation (in airport/on plane)

18:30 Coach departs for accommodations
Original Tours, Steve Hosie, 0418.729.024

Dinner on your own

19:30 - 21:30 Module Kaikoura preparation

Accommodations: Astor Metropole Hotel, 193 Wickham Terrace, Spring Hill, Brisbane; Tel.

Thu, May 23 Day 13: Brisbane to Lady Elliot Island (L, D)

Double check that you have all your belongings, and be sure to leave your room neat and tidy.

The LEI itinerary is a sample itinerary. The actual itinerary will be posted daily on white board in dining area or classroom.

The itinerary below is a sample of the subjects/activities to be covered.

Mealtimes to be determined by LEI staff.

Your LEI field guides are Dr. Lindsey Harrington and Dr. Jayna DeVore.

047.810.4636 and 043.547.2772 respectively.

High tide: 10:46; Low tide: 16:45; Sunset: 17:12

There are two field guides for LEI. Please make sure that all water activities are supervised with a minimum of 1 staff per 10 students.

Faculty/Staff discuss food waste on LEI and NO taking food from buffet to rooms. Tell students who are diving to politely request for the chef to set aside a plate for their return if they miss a meal.

07:00 Coach transfer to Hervey Bay Airport (293 km)
Original Tours, Steve Hosie, 0418.729.024

on bus Assignment due: Module Kaikoura

TBD Flights to LEI

TBD Introduction to the island: Basic safety and other rules
LEI Staff 0.50

12:30 - 13:30 Group lunch
LEI dining room

13:30 - 14:30 Introduction to GBR SSI: Carmichael mine and Abbot Point port expansion
Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell 1.00

TBD Supervised lagoon snorkel 1.00
Dr. Jayna DeVore and Dr. Lindsay Harrington

16:00 - 17:00 Module Canterbury Plains feedback
Dr. Mark Farmer 1.00

18:30 - 19:30 Group dinner

19:30 - 21:00 Animals of the Great Barrier Reef 1.50
Dr. Jayna DeVore and Dr. Lindsay Harrington

21:00 - 22:00 Optional: Island night walk to search for nocturnal wildlife

Accommodations: Lady Elliot Island Eco Resort, PO Box 348, Runaway Bay QLD; Tel.

Fri, May 24 Day 14: LEI (B, L, D)

This is a sample itinerary. Your daily itinerary will be posted on white board in dining area or classroom.

The itinerary below is a sample of the subjects/activities to be covered.

Mealtimes to be determined by LEI staff.

Low tide: 06:00; Sunrise: 06:18; High tide: 11:47; Sunset: 17:12

07:00 - 08:00 Group breakfast
LEI dining room

08:00 - 09:30 Assignment due: Organism presentations 1.50
Dr. Mark Farmer

09:45 - 11:00 Reef community interactions: Guided boat snorkel I 1.00
Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorsett Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore and Dr. Lindsay Harrington

10:45 - 12:00 Reef community interactions: Guided boat snorkel II
Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorsett Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore and Dr. Lindsay Harrington

Group lunch

13:00 - 14:30 Reef diversity and interactions: Guided reef walk I 0.50 1.00
Dr. Jayna DeVore

Reef diversity and interactions group: Guided reef walk II
Dr. Lindsay Harrington

15:00 - 16:30 Introduction to GBR group research project 1.50
Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorsett Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore and Dr. Lindsay Harrington

16:30 - 17:30 Module Australia overview discussion 1.00
Dr. Mark Farmer

18:30 - 19:30 Group dinner
LEI dining room

19:30 - 21:00 Coral reef ecology 1.50
Drs. Jayna DeVore and Lindsay Harrington

Accommodations: Lady Elliot Island Eco Resort, PO Box 348, Runaway Bay QLD; Tel.

Sat, May 25 Day 15: LEI (B, L, D)

Sunrise: 06:19; Low tide: 07:07; High tide: 13:02; Sunset: 17:11

07:00 - 08:00 Group breakfast
LEI dining room

08:00 - 09:30 Threats to the Great Barrier Reef 1.50
Drs. Jayna DeVore and Lindsay Harrington

09:45 - 11:00 Reef community interactions: Guided boat snorkel I 1.00
Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorsett Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore and Dr. Lindsay Harrington

10:45 - 12:00 Reef community interactions: Guided boat snorkel II
Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorsett Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore and Dr. Lindsay Harrington

Group lunch

13:00 - 14:30	Group research project data collection Drs. Jayna DeVore and Lindsay Harrington		1.50
14:30 - 16:00	Group project analysis and presentation preparation Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorset Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore and Dr. Lindsay Harrington		1.50
16:00 - 18:00	SSI Preparation I		
18:30 - 19:30	Group dinner LEI dining room		
19:30 - 21:00	Global climate change across time Dr. Jayna Devore	1.50	
Accommodations: Lady Elliot Island Eco Resort, PO Box 348, Runaway Bay QLD; Tel.			

Sun, May 26 Day 16: LEI (B, L, D)

Sunrise: 06:19; Low tide: 08:19; High tide: 14:24; Sunset: 17:11			
07:00 - 08:00	Group breakfast LEI dining room		
08:00 - 09:30	Finalize group projects - meet with instructors Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorset Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore, and Dr. Lindsay Harrington		0.50
09:30 - 12:00	Module Australia overview topics quiz preparation		
TBD	Behind the scenes tour LEI staff		0.50 0.50
12:00 - 13:00	Group lunch LEI dining room		
15:00 - 17:00	SSI preparation II		
17:00 - 18:30	Assignment due: LEI group research project presentations Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorset Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore, and Dr. Lindsay Harrington		1.50
18:30 - 19:30	Group dinner LEI dining room		
19:30 - 21:30	Assignment due: LEI SSI simulation Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorset Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore, and Dr. Lindsay Harrington		2.00
21:30	Risk management plan for Carnarvon Gorge Ansley Silva		0.25
Accommodations: Lady Elliot Island Eco Resort, PO Box 348, Runaway Bay QLD; Tel.			

Mon, May 27 Day 17: LEI to Carnarvon Gorge (B, L)

Sunrise: 06:20; Low tide: 09:30

Check out of rooms by 10:00, place all tagged baggage in the departure lounge. Clear all tabs at main office.

Check for all your belongings, and be sure to leave your room neat and tidy.

Travel to Carnarvon Gorge will take about 10 hours with stops.

Make yourself comfortable for travel. You may want to have your sleeping bag, iPod, etc.

Faculty/Staff ask for earliest flight times departing LEI

Faculty/Staff purchase 4 lunches for each student (\$640) = today through travel day to Brisbane.

07:00 - 08:00 Group breakfast
LEI dining room

08:00 - 08:30 Assignment due: LEI biology quiz 0.50
Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorset Trapnell, Dr. Jayna DeVore, and Dr. Lindsay Harrington

08:30 - 09:00 Assignment due: Module Australia overview topics quiz 0.50
Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell

09:00 - 10:00 Group discussion and synthesis of themes 1.00
Drs. Mark Farmer, Dorset Trapnell, Lindsay Harrington and Jayna DeVore

TBD Flights to Hervey Bay

Coach transfer to Carnarvon Gorge
Original Tours, Steve Hosie, 0418.729.024

en route Supermarket stop (4 L, snacks = \$20)
Woolworths, Hervey Bay (Pialba), Taylor St.; 07 4183 9024

en route Module Kaikoura feedback 0.50

Dinner on your own en route

22:00 Check into accommodations at Carnarvon Gorge

Accommodations: Carnarvon Wilderness Lodge, 4043 O'Briens Rd.; Tel. 07.4984.4503

Tue, May 28 Day 18: Carnarvon Gorge (B, L, D)

Field gear. Pack lunch for long hike.

Activities may change depending on weather

Closed toe shoes recommended for hikes.

Breakfast and dinner will be prepared by Original Tours, but students are expected to clean up after each meal.

PA make cleanup crews and hiking teams.

07:00 - 08:00 Group breakfast (Group Kookaburra clean up)

07:00 Assignment due: Module LEI research report

08:00 - 09:00 Introduction to Carnarvon National Park 1.00
Simon Ling, Australia Nature Guides
04.0874.1292

09:00 Coach departs for Carnarvon Gorge National Park

09:30 - 16:30	Group Emu: Cultural and ecological adaptation in Carnarvon Gorge Guided walk to the Carnarvon Gorge Art Gallery, Module Carnarvon Gorge discussion Simon Ling, Australia Nature Guides	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00
09:30 - 12:00	Group Kookaburra: Effects of geology on cultural adaptation Guided walk up Boolimba bluff, Module Carnarvon Gorge discussion Dr. Mark Farmer			1.00	1.50
14:00 - 16:00	Group Kookaburra: Module Carnarvon Gorge 250-word essay and quiz preparation				
16:30 - 17:30	Assignment due: Organism presentations Dr. Mark Farmer	1.00			
17:30 - 18:00	How to wash dishes and clean-up effectively (Kookaburra) Steve Hosie				
18:00 - 19:30	Group dinner (Group Kookaburra clean up)				
19:30 - 21:00	Group Emu: Ecology of nocturnal wildlife Guided spotlighting walk Simon Ling		1.50		

Accommodations: Carnarvon Wilderness Lodge, 4043 O'Briens Rd.; Tel. 07.4984.4503

Wed, May 29 Day 19: Carnarvon Gorge (B, L, D)

Field gear. Pack lunch for long hike.

07:00 - 08:00	Group breakfast (Group Emu clean up)				
08:00	Coach departs for Carnarvon Gorge National Park				
08:30 - 15:30	Group Kookaburra: Cultural and ecological adaptation in Carnarvon Gorge Guided walk to the Carnarvon Gorge Art Gallery, Module Carnarvon Gorge discussion Simon Ling, Australia Nature Guides				
08:30 - 12:00	Group Emu: Effects of geology on cultural adaptation Guided walk up Boolimba bluff, Module Carnarvon Gorge discussion Dr. Dorset Trapnell				
14:00 - 16:00	Group Emu: Module Carnarvon Gorge 250-word essay and quiz preparation				
16:30 - 17:00	Assignment due: Carnarvon Gorge biology quiz Dr. Mark Farmer	0.50			
17:30 - 18:00	How to wash dishes and clean-up effectively (Emu) Steve Hosie				
18:00 - 19:30	Group dinner (Group Emu clean up)				
19:30 - 21:00	Group Kookaburra: Ecology of nocturnal wildlife Guided spotlighting walk				

	Simon Ling		
21:00	Southern skies astronomy At the airstrip, dress warmly or bring sleeping bags Simon Ling		1.00
Accommodations: Carnarvon Wilderness Lodge, 4043 O'Briens Rd.; Tel. 07.4984.4503			
Thu, May 30 Day 20: Carnarvon Gorge to Brisbane (B, L)			
Double check that you have all your belongings. Clean out the refrigerators in your rooms and dispose of trash in central bins. Pack coach before breakfast. Make yourself comfortable with travel. Pack lunch for travel to Brisbane or purchase food en route. Travel to Brisbane will take about 10 hours with stops <i>Faculty/Staff to purchase some granola bars and yoghurt cups for tomorrow breakfast on the bus.</i>			
06:30 - 07:30	Group breakfast (Emu/Kookaburra clean up)		
07:30 - 08:00	Assignment due: Carnarvon Gorge topics quiz Dr. Dorset Trapnell and Simon Ling		0.50
08:00	Coach departs for Brisbane (720 km)		
en route	Biology lecture: Podcast VI Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell		1.00
18:30	Check into accommodations Dinner on your own		
Accommodations: Astor Metropole Hotel, 193 Wickham Terrace, Spring Hill, Brisbane; Tel.			
Fri, May 31 Day 21: Brisbane to Sydney			
Check for all your belongings, and be sure to leave your room neat and tidy. www.vividsydney.com: starting May 25 Sydney will be lit up at night! <i>Faculty/Staff to call Taronga Zoo when you leave airport to give them ETA.</i>			
06:30	Coach departs for Brisbane Airport		
at airport	Assignment due: Module Carnarvon Gorge		
9:05	VA 932 departs BNE for SYD		
11:15	Coach transfer to Taronga Zoo Bradleys Head Rd., Mossman, 02.9969.2777 Coach Charter Specialist; Tel. 02.9585.1422		
12:00 - 15:00	Introduction to Australian wildlife - self-guided tour of the zoo Lunch on your own at the zoo		2.00
15:00 - 16:30	Leadership for a sustainable future at the Taronga Zoo Lauren Cole, Taronga Institute of Science and Learning, 0421.825.108		1.50

16:30 Coach transfer to Sydney Harbour YHA

17:00 Check in at accommodations

Dinner on own

Accommodations: Sydney Harbour YHA, 110 Cumberland St., The Rocks, NSW 2000; Tel.

Sat, Jun 1 Day 22: Sydney (B)

Sunrise: 06:48

Faculty/Staff to check in with Donna at AIIA to confirm use of the room tomorrow.

Faculty pre-order initial pizzas at the Australian Hotel for tomorrow night. Next door to the YHA.

08:00 - 08:30 Group breakfast
YHA group dining room

09:00 - 10:00 Module Australia overview discussion 1.00
Dr. Dorset Trapnell
Meet at Circular Quay outside the Museum of Contemporary Art on the lawn

10:00 - 12:00 Giba Nura: History of the Rocks from an Aboriginal Perspective 1.00 1.00
Sydney Learning Adventures; Tel. 04 0802 4452 (Joana Ravatu)
Divide into two groups

12:00 - 12:30 Giba Nura debrief discussion 0.50
Dr. Dorset Trapnell
Meet back next to the Rocks Museum

Free afternoon

19:00 - 21:00 Module Australia 250-word essay preparation

Accommodations: Sydney Harbour YHA, 110 Cumberland St., The Rocks, NSW 2000; Tel.

Sun, Jun 2 Day 23: Sydney (B, D)

Sunrise: 06:49

Are you going to Fiji? Don't forget that there will be an exam on the second day over the Fiji pre-departure lecture.

Are you traveling after this program? Update your side travel itinerary on goabroad.uga.edu

You can upload Module thematic essay directly to eLC under "Assignments" in "Tools."

Passport check today at surveys and evals.

PA has hard copies of Survey B and the debrief letter.

08:00 - 08:30 Group breakfast
YHA group dining room

Walk to Glover Cottages (AIIA)
124 Kent St.; Tel. 02 9247 8504 (Donna)
Emergency contact: Jenny Sayle; Tel. 04 3161 9242

09:00 Assignment due: Module Australia overview 250-word essay

09:00 - 09:30 Module Carnarvon Gorge 250-word essay feedback 0.50
Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell

	Glover Cottages conference room		
09:30 - 10:30	Survey B Dr. Mark Farmer, Dr. Dorset Trapnell, and Ansley Silva Glover Cottages conference room		0.50
10:30 - 11:30	Evaluations Dr. Mark Farmer and Dr. Dorset Trapnell Glover Cottages conference room	0.50	0.50
11:30 - 12:00	Take-home final exam: Instructions and review Dr. Mark Farmer Glover Cottages conference room	0.50	
	Free afternoon		
18:00	Group dinner The Australian Hotel, 100 Cumberland St.		
Accommodations: Sydney Harbour YHA, 110 Cumberland St., The Rocks, NSW 2000; Tel.			

Mon, Jun 3 Day 24: Sydney to USA or Fiji (B)

Sunrise: 06:50			
Remove only sheets and pillow cases from bed and place in baskets in group dining room. Double <i>Faculty/Staff to check for passports as students get on coach before departure.</i>			
07:00 - 07:30	Group breakfast YHA group dining room		
08:00	Coach departs for SYD International Airport		
11:50	US-bound students: NZ104 departs SYD for AKL		
13:00	Fiji-bound students: FJ910 departs SYD for NAN (4 F, 2 M + AS)		

Post-program

Assignment due: Thematic essay due 7 days after end of program via eLC

Assignment due: Biology final exam due 7 days after end of program

Lecture Hours	35.25		48.75	
Field Hours (2 field hours = 1 lecture hour)	10.38	20.75	7.13	14.25
Total Contact Hours	45.63		55.88	