

Short-Term Study Abroad Program Information

Please provide the following information:

Study Abroad Program Name: Surfing & Sustainability: Political Ecology in Costa Rica
Study Abroad (SABD) Course ID: SABD 1062
Study Abroad (SABD) Course CRN: TBD
Semester Program will be Offered: Short Summer II - 2025
Program Leader/Contact Name: Dr. Peter Brosius
Program Leader/Contact Phone Number: 706.410.5068
Program Leader/Contact Email Address: pbrosius@uga.edu
Program Start Date (*First meeting with enrolled students*): 7/5/2025
Program End Date (*Last meeting with enrolled students*): 8/2/2025
Travel Start Date: 7/5/2025
Travel End Date: 8/2/2025
Anticipated Number of Total Students Participating in Program: 15
 Anticipated Number of UGA Students: 11
 Anticipated Number of Transient Students: 4
Anticipated Number of Undergraduate Students in the Program: 15
 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: NA

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

Course Title	Course Prefix	Course Number	CRN(s)	Credit Hours	Course Type	Instructor(s)	Department of Instructor(s)	Course Start Date	Course End Date	Total Lecture Hours	Total Field/ Lab Hours	Total Contact Hours*
Conservation and Development in Costa Rica	ANTH(GEOG)	4275/6275		3	Lecture	Pete Brosius	Anthropology	7/5/2025	8/2/2025	35.00	10.75	40.38
The Anthropology of Surfing	ANTH	4285/6285		3	Lecture	Pete Brosius	Anthropology	7/5/2025	8/2/2025	28.50	18.25	37.63

*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.

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Academic Itinerary

Study Abroad Program Name: Surfing & Sustainability: Political Ecology in Costa Rica
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Program Start and End Dates: 7/5/25 - 8/2/25
Instructors and Courses Taught:

<u>Instructor</u>	<u>Course(s) Taught</u>
Pete Brosius	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285

*All courses should be taught independently. Please include individual class days and times for each course.

**If multiple courses are offered in the program, please use a new column for each course.

Date/Time	Activity Description	Instructor(s)	Contact Hours			
			ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275		ANTH 4285/6285	
			Lecture	Field	Lecture	Field
Wednesday, July 05						
5:00-6:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Uvita welcome: Program and safety orientation/meet and greet local team	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	
7:00-8:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Joint Program Orientation	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	
July 6						
11:00am - 12:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: lecture		1.00			
3:30-5:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Community Walking Journey and Debrief	Pete Brosius		0.75		0.75
July 7						
9:00am - noon	ANTH 4285/6285 Field: Ethnography of local surf scene; meeting local	Pete Brosius				3.00
1:00pm-2:00pm	ANTH4285/6285: Meeting with professional woman surfer Leilani McGonagle	Pete Brosius				0.50
7:30-8:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, 4285/6285: Movie – Cracking the Golden Egg: Tourism on Costa Rica's Pacific Coast	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	
July 8						
9:30-10:30am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
1:30-4:30pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture	Pete Brosius & Luciana Gulielmone (guest lecturer)			3.00	
8:00-9:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Movie: Nuestras Aguas, Nuestras Vidas	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	
July 9						
1:30 - 2:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field (tour of Yoga Farm)	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
4:30 - 5:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
July 10						
3:00pm - 4:00pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture				1.00	
4:00 - 5:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture	Pete Brosius / Travis Bays (guest lecturer)	0.50		0.50	
5:00 - 6:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Community Walking Journey and Debrief			0.50		0.50
7:30-8:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	
July 11						
10:00 am - 12:00 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	2.00			
2:00 - 3:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Ethnography activity	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
5:00 - 6:00pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture				1.00	
7:30-8:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	

July 12						
9:30 - 10:30am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Coconut Farm Tour	Guest Speaker		0.50		0.50
3:30 - 4:30 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
7:30- 8:30pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture	Pete Brosius			1.00	
July 13						
10:00- 11:00am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
2:00 - 4:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Ethnography activity			1.00		1.00
5:00 - 6:00pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture	Pete Brosius			1.00	
July 14						
9:00 am -11:00 am	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture	Pete Brosius			2.00	
11:00 am - noon	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: meeting with locals			0.50		0.50
2:00 - 4:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Ethnography in Playa Hermosa	Pete Brosius		1.00		1.00
8:00 - 9:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	
July 15						
1:00 - 2:00 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
7:30-8:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50			0.50
July 16						
5:00 pm - 6:00pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture				1.00	
July 17						
9:00 - 10:00am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
11:00-12:00 pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Meeting with local surfboard shaper Denis Galioto					0.50
2:00 - 4:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Ethnography in Santa Teresa	Pete Brosius		1.00		1.00
7:30-8:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50			0.50
July 18						
11:00 - 12:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture/ talk meet Thomas and Christine Ritchie	Pete Brosius/talk	0.50		0.50	
3:00 - 4:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture: meet Carolina - Nicoya Peninsula Waterkeeper)	Pete Brosius / Guest speaker	0.50		0.50	
5:00 - 6:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
July 19						
11:00 - 12:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture: meet w/ Nat Grew and VICTORIA WESSEL (HACIENDA ARIO/CIRENAS	Pete Brosius / guest speakers	0.50		0.50	
7:30-8:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field:Activity at Nicoya Peninsula Waterkeeper)	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
July 20						
5:00 - 6:00 pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture	Pete Brosius			1.00	
7:30 - 8:30 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50			0.50
July 21						
9:00-11:00am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field Tree Planting w/ Costas Verdes	Pete Brosius		1.00		1.00
11:00am - 12:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture/ talk: Olas Verdes Resort w/ Karl Kish	Pete Brosius/guest speaker	0.50		0.50	
1:00-2:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture/ talk Local Development - meeting at the Civic Association	Pete Brosius/Bobbi Johnson (guest speaker)	0.50		0.50	
2:30 - 3:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Ethnographyn in Nosara	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
4:30 - 5:30 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture/ talk Meet w/ Luigi at Tico Surf	Pete Brosius / guest speaker	0.50		0.50	
5:30 - 6:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			

July 22						
9:00 - 10:00am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Visit Dump & Nosara Town	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
10:30 - 11:30am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Turtle Talk at Ostional		0.50		0.50	
3:00 - 4:00pm	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture				1.00	
July 23						
9:00 - 10:00am	ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture	Pete Brosius			1.00	
10:00 - 11:00am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: meeting with locals (Karina y Aldito)	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
1:30 - 2:30 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Ethnography in Playa Avellanes	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
8:00 - 9:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/ movie	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	
July 24						
9:00 - 10:00am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
10:30 - 11:30am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Ethnography in Playa Negra	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
2:30-3:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture / Talk J.W. Marriot Guanacaste Tour	Pete Brosius	0.50			0.50
7:30 - 8:30 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50			0.50
July 25						
9:00 - 10:00am	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
7:30 - 8:30 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50			0.50
July 26						
2:00 - 3:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Turtle Talk and visit at Las Baulas	Pete Brosius	0.50		0.50	
4:00 - 5:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
July 27						
1:00 - 2:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Field: Ethnography in Tamarindo	Pete Brosius		0.50		0.50
5:00 - 6:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
July 28						
1:30 - 3:30pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture and Field Meet w/ Laetitia (CEPIA) and Andrea (Waves)	Pete Brosius & guest speakers	1.00		1.00	
4:00 - 5:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275: Lecture	Pete Brosius	1.00			
7:30 - 8:30 pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Check in session/Movie	Pete Brosius	0.50			0.50
July 29						
1:00-3:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Review Session: Module Questions	Pete Brosius	1.00		1.00	
7-9pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Lecture /Talk Guest Speaker, Eladio Castro	Pete Brosius	1.00		1.00	

July 30	Day to work on presentations					
July 31						
3:00-6:00 pm	Student Final presentations	Pete Brosius	1.50		1.50	
August 1						
3:00-6:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Final Presentations	Pete Brosius	1.50		1.50	
7:00-9:00pm	ANTH(GEOG) 4275/6275, ANTH 4285/6285: Closing Session	Pete Brosius	1.00		1.00	
August 2						
6:00am	Transport to SJO					

Total Hours	Total Lecture Hours	35.00		28.50	
	Total Field/ Lab Hours		10.75		18.25

Total Contact Hours	40.38	37.63
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