

## PROGRAM FEES

### ALL INCLUSIVE (Estimated)

\$5000 for the 3 week program

#### INCLUDES

- ❖ In country transportation
- ❖ All meals and lodging
- ❖ National park entrance fees

**By comparison over \$9000  
for 2 weeks with National  
Geographic tours**

A \$500 deposit is due with the application, refundable if applicant is not accepted to the program or declines participation within a week of notification.

### *Study tour of Mt. Kilimanjaro (optional)* *\$1300 additional INCLUDES*

- ❖ One additional week in Tanzania
  - ❖ Personal guide to assist carrying equipment and with meal prep during the 5 day hike
  - ❖ A once in a lifetime experience
- #### DOES NOT INCLUDE
- Immunizations and medication
  - Visa and passport costs or tips
  - \$2300 (estimated) airfare to and from Tanzania
  - Tuition for 6 credit hrs. (out-of-state students pay only \$250 over in-state tuition (subject to change)

#### APPLICATIONS

Applications will be accepted October 15, 2009 through December 16, 2009.

Pick up applications from the ASI department or website at:  
[www.uga.edu/afstu](http://www.uga.edu/afstu)

### APPLY TO STUDY ABROAD TODAY

#### Program Faculty

- Dr. Lioba Moshi, Language & Culture [moshi@uga.edu](mailto:moshi@uga.edu)
- Dr. Sandra Whitney, Anthropology & Geology [swhitney@uga.edu](mailto:swhitney@uga.edu)
- Dr. Freda Scott-Giles, African Dance/Drama [fsgiles@uga.edu](mailto:fsgiles@uga.edu)
- Dr. Ibigbolade Aderibigbe, Introduction to Africa [iaderibi@uga.edu](mailto:iaderibi@uga.edu)
- Mwita Chacha, African Political Systems [mcchacha@uga.edu](mailto:mcchacha@uga.edu)
- Dr. Ron Nagao, Natural History [nagao@uga.edu](mailto:nagao@uga.edu)
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## STUDY ABROAD IN TANZANIA



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## Maymester Courses

The best classroom is the one without walls! We encourage motivated, adventurous students to join us in a fun and engaging experiential learning atmosphere on the ground in Africa. A range of academic topics are offered through our programs, topics which can only be covered traveling through a country as diverse as Tanzania. Expect to see and participate in activities you may never have the chance to experience again. Favorite learning environments of previous students include: local communities, Serengeti National park, the coral reefs of Zanzibar and the climb up to the peak of Kilimanjaro.

### COURSE OFFERINGS

#### **SWAH 3020: Swahili Studies**

**Instructor: Dr. Lioba Moshi**

(All students must participate in this class, credit is optional)

The course will explore aspects of the Swahili language and culture, its origins, civilization, and expansion from the coastal states to the hinterlands. The class and the readings will be in English, but students who have taken Swahili for two or more semesters will be encouraged to take advantage of being in the target language to strengthen their aural and oral skills. Students will be expected to interview (in English), speakers of Swahili on specific topics that will be assigned in class. The results of the interviews will be reported in a term paper.

#### **AFST/BIOL 3450: Natural History of Africa**

**Instructor: Dr. Ron Nagao and Kerrie Loyd**

During this course, students will acquire an understanding of basic ecology and conservation issues in Tanzania. We will: identify relationships between plants and animals from the arid savannah to the tropical coast; recognize the many ways living things are adapted to survive in their environment and discuss issues threatening conservation of some endangered species and habitats of sub-Saharan Africa today. Additionally, students learn to observe and record natural history experiences in a scientific field journal.

## Study Abroad Tanzania!

#### **AFST/GEOG/SOCI/CMLT/HIST/ANTH2100:**

**Introduction to Africa/African Religion**

**Instructor: Dr. Ibigbolade Aderibigbe**

This course is multi-disciplinary and provides students with an introduction to the study of Africa using Tanzania as a microcosm of continent. We will survey the geology, pre-history, natural history, modern history, cultures and politics of Africa as we travel across the country experiencing many of these topics as they are illustrated in Tanzania. We will draw comparisons with many other parts of Africa that contrast with our own first-hand experiences. This course fulfills one of the requirements for either the Certificate or Minor in Africa Studies.

This course will allow students the opportunity to explore the basic components of African Religion as basis for taking consecutive courses in African Religion. It should also foster a solid foundation for students taking upper courses in African Religion. In addition, it should provoke their thinking about religious values, particularly those of African Indigenous Religion, thereby, broadening the students' religious world views, with better understanding and appreciation of the African Religion in its unique background and yet with comparable valid religious values as other world Religions.

#### **INTL/AFST 4355: African Political Systems**

**Instructor: Mwita Chacha**

This class provides an introduction to contemporary African politics. The core questions that motivate the course are: Why are Africa's state structures weak? What accounts for Africa's slow economic growth? Why do some African countries suffer from political violence more than others? We will see that there is in fact great variation within Africa in the strength of states, economic growth and violence. We will aim to explain these variations by combining individual cases and apply the tools of political science, history and economics. The course is organized in two parts. First we take a quick tour of Africa's recent political history, including pre-colonial and colonial periods. Second, we examine the social, political and economic forces that shape contemporary politics.

May 7-May 31, 2010

#### **ANTH 1102/2120: Introduction to Anthropology** **Instructor: Dr. Sandra Whitney/Dr. Freda Scott-Giles**

This course will study variation in human biology and culture from the earliest beginnings to the present, including a visit to the "Cradle of Mankind" at Oldupai Gorge. We will observe various primates in their natural habitats. We will study the relationships between human biology, culture and the environment and we will compare contemporary cultural differences, both within and beyond Africa. This course fulfills one of the Core Curriculum requirements for social science.

#### **AFST/DRAM 4460/6460:**

**African Dance/Drama**

**Instructor: Dr. Freda Scott-Giles**

A society cannot be truly understood without some study and appreciation of its culture. Through study of Tanzania's unique performing traditions, particularly ngoma, its dance/drama, students will gain insight into the cultural identity of a nation that encompasses a rich multicultural heritage.



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