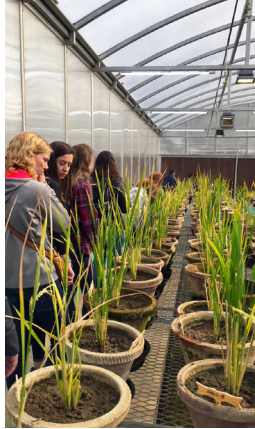


INDIA

Experiential Learning in Indian Agriculture January Intersession 2019



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Indian agriculture accounts for one of the largest markets of agricultural products, food, fiber, and fuel. This program provides the opportunity to develop a global perspective and broaden understanding of Indian agriculture, farming, and food supply chain. India's agricultural system consists of big and small land-holding and subsistence farming, and heavily relies on locally-grown produce. Students will visit research centers, rural communities, and agricultural industries, and learn about India's agricultural system.

Program Type: Faculty-led Intersession

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Program Application Deadline: October 1, 2018

Program Dates: December 30 - January 12, 2019*

Program Costs: (Est.) \$2,500 + Airfare (Est.) \$2,000 + UA Tuition

Course Credit: 3 Credit Hours

AFLS 401V, AFLS 401V(H), AFLS 501V-3

**Prices and travel dates to be confirmed by September 1, 2018.*



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OPPORTUNITIES

Cultural Experience Experience Indian society, culture, and religions by traveling through cities, towns, and villages. Interact with Indian farmers, students, and professionals at academic institutions and extension centers.

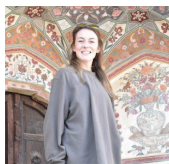
Agriculture Experience diverse farms by visiting rice, wheat, sugarcane, and horticultural farms.



Rural India Visit villages and rural communities, and learn about women's issues through seminars from NGOs.

Fabrics of India Learn about textiles, dress designing, hand weaving, embroidery, and block printing.

MEET PREVIOUS STUDENTS



“Having the opportunity to visit multiple universities and villages around India, I was able to see the importance of research in fields such as genetics, plant breeding, and agriculture to farmers and members of the population, as they rely on the subsequent techniques and technologies to aid in affordably feeding the population.”

~Holly Wren, Environmental, Soil & Water Science major, 2018

HIGHLIGHTS

New Delhi & Old Delhi Experience street-side shopping, traditional art and handicrafts, and Indian cuisine. See ancient medieval, colonial, and modern architecture, including Qutub Minar and Humayun's tomb.

Jaipur Visit the princely state of Rajasthan; see palaces of the Rajput era. Experience the colorful markets of handmade fabrics, jewelry, marble, and wood carvings.

Agra Visit Taj Mahal, the iconic image of India. Tour Agra, the historical capital of Mughal.



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