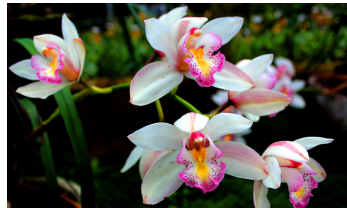


PANAMA

Comparative Study in Panamanian & U.S. Agricultural Practices Spring Break 2019



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

During this trip, students will engage in learning experiences that explore the history, culture and agriculture of Panama, and will compare and contrast Panamanian agricultural practices with those of the U.S. Students will have the opportunity to visit and learn from owners of successful livestock operations (dairy, stocker cattle, poultry and equine) and producers of agricultural staples (fruit, hand rolled cigars, salt flats, pineapple, sugarcane, coffee, coconuts and shrimp). Students will travel by boat through locks of the Panama Canal, see native species of animals including crocodiles, lizards, monkeys, sloths, and birds, visit a world-class orchid farm and visit the cloud forest.

Program Type: Spring Break Embedded Course

Program Directors: Dr. Kathi Jogan, kjogan@uark.edu

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Program Application Deadline: Fall 2018

Program Dates: March 16 - March 24, 2019*

Program Costs: (Est.) \$2,200 + Airfare (Est.) \$1,100 + UA Tuition

Course Credit: 2 Credit Hours - ANSC 4452/5452, ANSC 4652/5652, ANSC 410V, AFLS 410V(H), ANSC 510V

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



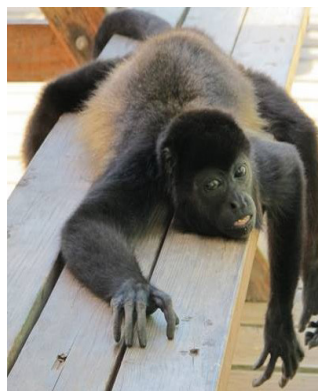
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OPPORTUNITIES

- Go on a walking tour on the winding cobblestone streets and enjoy the colonial architecture of Panama City
- Experience a partial Panama Canal transit, travel through the historic locks
- See native species including crocodiles, lizards, monkeys, sloths and birds while boating on the Panama Canal
- Visit a Pineapple plantation and see the entire process from planting to packaging
- Visit a small-scale organic poultry farm
- Visit cigar, sugarcane and shrimp farms
- Visit beef and dairy cattle operations and a renowned horse farm
- Learn about medicinal plants and native fruit
- Walk in the cloud forest
- Tour a coffee farm
- Visit one of the world's largest orchid farms



To learn more about this program and apply, visit bumpersinternational.uark.edu or contact the program director.