



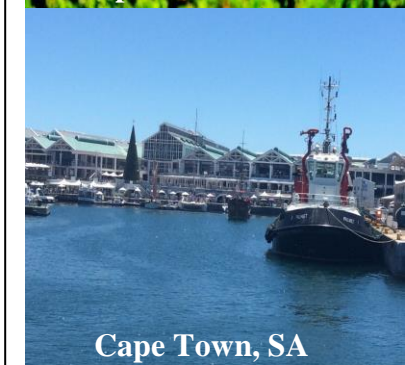
Study Abroad South Africa: A Focus on Food Security, Wildlife and Conservation ALS 3954 (3 credit hours)



Winter Session: Dec. 28, 2018 – Jan. 12, 2019



Cape Town winelands



Cape Town, SA



South Africa Agriculture



All about meat

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Program Overview: South Africa is the most ecologically and culturally diverse country in Africa. The two-week study abroad program in South Africa through the University Stellenbosch will focus on food production, distribution and utilization as well as the potential wildlife contributions to agriculture and food security.

Excursions

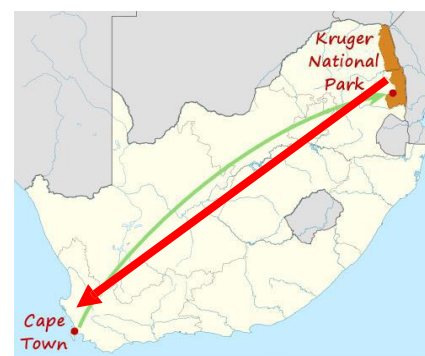
- 2 days -Kruger National Park
 - Focus on the big 5 and wildlife conservation.
- 3 days - Visit large and smallholder farms
 - Focus on mixed farming systems.
- 3 days - Crop production and soil/land management.
- Explore food security issues (availability (production constraints), accessibility (income inequality), and utilization (nutrition, access to water etc.)
- Wildlife production systems for food security.
- Last few days - University of Stellenbosch (lecture on campus on variety of topics)
- Cape Town – visit the university, winery, other cultural activities – shark cage diving and hunting (optional with additional fees)

How to Apply

- Register for Winter Session -ALS 3954 – Study Abroad South Africa
- Visit the GEO website for application materials. (<https://www.globaleducation.vt.edu/>).
- Submit completed application online

Resources and Financial Aid

- Scholarship and Financial Aid Office (www.finaid.vt.edu)
- College of Agriculture and Life sciences (CALS and CSES)
- Global Education Office (GEO) (<https://www.globaleducation.vt.edu/>)



The BIG 5



Robben Island

Estimated Cost

Program fee: \$3,900. The program fee includes all lodging, some meals, in country transportation, entrance fees to Kruger National Park, Robben Island and airfare. **Tuition not included.**

Exchange rate

1 USD = 12-13 South Africa Rand