Study Away Programs – Summer 2019

Information Session for Social Sciences Sponsored Programs
Jan 24, 6:00-7:30pm, Fisher 124

All majors welcome! Fulfill GenEd! Info at: http://www.mtu.edu/social-sciences/undergraduate/study-abroad/

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Costa Rica: Sustainability & Society

Study sustainability in the Costa Rican mountains/cloud forest in the ecotourism community of Monteverde. Work with community on sustainability projects and learn how Costa Rica plans to lead the world in happiness and carbon emission reductions.

Dates: May 12-June 22, Track A (6 weeks)

Costs: Program fee: $3,995 + MTU Tuition (7-9 credits)

Classes: SS 3315 Population & Environment (3 credits); SS 4700 Communities & Research (3 credits); SS 3990 Costa Rica Cultural Immersion (1-3 credits). All upper-level HASS courses. No prior Spanish required.

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Ghana: African studies, health, & development

Study in the vibrant African city of Accra. Take courses in African studies, international development and health, and service learning. Tour world renowned cultural and natural heritage sites around the country.

Dates: May 29 - July 5, 2019

Costs: Whichever is greater: program fee of $3,680 or cost of summer Michigan Tech tuition for credit taken. Price includes tuition, housing, and various program services and field trips.

Classes offered: SS 3910 African Histories and Cultures with Dr. Henquinet and/or choose from Global Health (3 cr), Social Service Delivery Systems (3 cr), The African Storyteller/Literature (3 cr), Contemporary Issues in Africa – Developing Countries (3 cr), Twi Language (1 cr), African Music and Dance (1 cr), and Service Learning (1 cr). (Michigan Tech course equivalencies available upon request.)

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United Kingdom: History and Heritage

A faculty –led study away program based at the University of Cumbria in Northwest England. 2019 will be the program’s 10th summer.

Dates: July 6 – August 10, 2019, Track B

Costs: Program fee: $3,600 + MTU Tuition (9 or 12 credits)

Classes offered: All take a 3 credit anthropological overview – SS 3990, and then may chose two addition courses from a section from SS, HU and VPA.