

Sustainable Development Abroad:
Poverty & Environmental Sustainability
Costa Rica & Panama
Jan Term 2020
Dr. Vange Ocasio



Whitworth in Panama
Jan Term 2018



Whitworth Students, Costa Rica

Course: **EC/DS/LAS 381, Credits: 3, meets Social Science, Global Perspectives**, counts for Economics/Math-Econ/Business majors/Environmental Studies, Development Studies, Latin American Studies minors.

All Majors Welcome! NO PREREQUISITES

Contact: Dr. Ocasio at vocasio@whitworth.edu To Apply: Visit WU website: **Academics/International Program/Off Campus Programs**

| Trip Highlights Include: | Tentative Itinerary | Estimated Costs | Other Information |
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| <p>-We will visit important places in Costa Rica and Panama.</p> <p>-We will visit indigenous communities in the San Blas Islands, fishing village in Tarcoles, San Jose, Panama City and the Panama Canal!</p> <p>-Classes are held at coffee shops, local establishments and the beach!!</p> <p>-Community Development Experience in poor villages</p> <p>-Will conduct fieldwork in the fishing village of Tarcoles</p> <p>-Sustainable fishing trip in Costa Rica</p> <p>-Trip along crocodile river in Costa Rica</p> <p>-Sustainability visits to Manuel Antonio National Park, coffee plantations and more.</p> <p>-Enjoy beautiful beaches in both Costa Rica and Panama.</p> | <p>Jan 3: Depart Spokane to Costa Rica, San Jose.</p> <p>Jan 4: Visit Manuel Antonio National Park</p> <p>Jan 5: Beach. Host Family Stay begins</p> <p>Jan 6: Class/Explore Costa Rica</p> <p>Jan 7: Class/Explore Costa Rica</p> <p>Jan 8: Class/Explore Costa Rica</p> <p>Jan 9: Class/Explore Costa Rica</p> <p>Jan 10: Class/Explore Costa Rica</p> <p>Jan 11: Fishing village of Tarcoles-Community development field work.</p> <p>Jan 12: Fishing village of Tarcoles</p> <p>Jan 13: Beach. Return to San Rafael de Heredia</p> <p>Jan 14: Class/Explore Costa Rica</p> <p>Jan 15: Class/Explore Costa Rica</p> <p>Jan 16: Depart to Panama</p> <p>Jan 17: Explore Panama City</p> <p>Jan 18: San Blas Islands</p> <p>Jan 19: Eco lodge – Sustainable farming field work</p> <p>Jan 20: Eco lodge</p> <p>Jan 21: Return to Costa Rica</p> <p>Jan 22: Final Project</p> <p>Jan 23: Return to Spokane</p> | <p>\$4,300</p> <p>Includes:</p> <p>Transportation</p> <p>Hotel stays</p> <p>Host Family Stays</p> <p>Most meals</p> <p>Airport exit fees</p> <p>Airfare</p> <p>Early Bird Special: The EBS is an incentive program that gives students a \$100 credit <i>if</i> they: make ALL payments in time according to the payment plan; turn in all required paperwork in accordance with Off-Campus Programs deadlines; and meet the Health Center’s deadlines for fulfilling the Travel Clinic requirement.</p> | <p>Payment Plan is:</p> <p>\$500 non-refundable deposit within 2 working days of acceptance into the program.</p> <p>15-May \$660</p> <p>15-June \$660</p> <p>15-July \$660</p> <p>15-August \$660</p> <p>15-September \$660</p> <p>15 October \$500</p> <p>Off-Campus Programs Contact Info:</p> <p>Ann Penfield 777-4581 apenfield@whitworth.edu</p> <p>Nick Vasiloff 777-4596 Nvasiloff@whitworth.edu</p> |

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