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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

One might best describe this course by saying, “It’s like walking through the pages of the National Geographic.” We will study Amazonian rainforests, tropical alpine tundra and woodlands at 12,000 feet above sea level, and the renowned Galápagos Islands. Throughout our studies, we will reflect on issues of conservation and development. Lectures will highlight historical and cultural aspects as well as biological attributes, and as we walk along ancient streets and trails, one can imagine the civilizations of long ago.



Comparative Ecology of Latin America

Ecuador

WANG CENTER J-TERM STUDY AWAY



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS*

- Snorkeling opportunities at virtually all stops in the Galápagos Islands
- Tropical alpine studies at altitudes above 12,000 feet
- Ecological studies in the upper Amazon Basin

*May be subject to change

Educating to achieve a just, healthy, sustainable and peaceful world, both locally and globally.

ACADEMICS

- BIOL 366 -- 4 credits. Earns credit for Biology majors or as an "Envt and Science" credit for Environmental Studies major/minor.

Prerequisite: BIOL 226 or consent of instructor.

Program fee will be finalized by April 1, 2015. Check the Wang Center/ Study Away Website for final pricing.

Fees generally include the following (check website for more details):

- Airfare
- Lodging
- Study tours
- Foreign travel insurance
- Most meals

Participants in this program may apply for a Global Scholar Award. Please contact the Wang Center for additional information and the application.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- February 20, 2015 - Application available
- February 25, 2015 - Information session 6pm - Rieke 210
- March 31st - Supplemental application* due at 9:00am
- April 20, 2015 - Application deadline (\$50 non-refundable application fee)
- May 8, 2015 - Notifications sent
- May 22, 2015 - Confirmation deadline (\$300 confirmation deposit)

*Supplemental application required. Check website for details.

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