INDIA: FINANCIAL & MANAGERIAL DECISION-MAKING IN EMERGING MARKETS

Winter Break Study Abroad Program: December 11-24 2015

The Program

This program provides an opportunity to examine the business climate in the emerging markets together with field experience in India. The focus is on Financial and Managerial Issues faced by companies in emerging markets. The overall course objectives are to:

- Explore the role of the State (in the context of a national economy) and the role of the financial and managerial systems for companies, focusing on examples in India.
- Analyze and understand the challenges of international and financial management within the Indian economy;
- Study the role and influence of financial markets and institutions on corporate finance, information technology and managerial decisions;
- Examine management and negotiation issues in a cross-cultural environment.

ELIGIBILITY The program is open to undergraduate students who are sophomores, juniors or seniors, and have successfully completed MGS 3100 and FI 3300 by Fall 2015. Program size is limited and participation is contingent upon acceptance by the Program Directors.

Tentative Itinerary

- December 11: Depart for Hyderabad
- December 13-18: Weeklong sessions at ISB Hyderabad
- December 19-20: Sightseeing in Delhi and Agra
- December 21: Depart for Chandigarh
- December 22-23: Sessions at ISB Mohali
- December 23: Depart for Delhi
- December 24: Depart for Atlanta

Program Directors

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: September 15, 2015
ACCOMMODATIONS & COST

Hyderabad and Chandigarh: Students will stay on the Indian School of Business campus in their Executive Housing facilities. The Indian School of Business is our host institution in India. It is AACSB accredited and ranked among the top institutions globally by the Financial Times.

Delhi and Agra: Students will stay in four or five star hotels (double occupancy)

DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS

Students with documented disabilities who may need accommodations during their study abroad experience should discuss these needs with the Program Director and the Office of Disability Services at the time of application.

CREDITS AND COURSES

Students will register for 3 credits of FI 4410 and 3 credits of MGS 4410 for a total of 6 credits. FI students may use the MGS 4410 credits as general RCB elective credits. Similarly, MGS students may use the FI 4410 credits as general RCB elective credits, if they wish to do so. In any case, the total credits earned from the study abroad will be 6. Students from other institutions should follow their institution’s regulations concerning transfer credits.

COST

Program cost may vary at any time according to currency fluctuations and changing travel arrangements. The program cost is tentatively set at $4,800, PLUS regular Georgia State University tuition and fees. Non-resident/out-of-state students will pay in-state tuition plus a $250 fee in addition to the program cost.

Cost includes:

- Hotel accommodations
- Round-trip airfare
- All ground transportation, excursions and entrance fees, tour guides
- Company visits, lecture sessions
- All meals, with an exception of two dinners when we are sightseeing in New Delhi and Agra.
- Hotels
- Health/Evacuation/Repatriation insurance

Cost does NOT include:

- Georgia State Tuition & Fees
- Public transportation in Hyderabad for any personal trips.
- Passport
- Personal expenses & excess baggage fees

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