South Africa

May 10 – June 3
3 HOURS CREDIT

2013

Race, Gender and Class in Contemporary South Africa

Sponsored by the Department of African-American Studies

South Africa

Johannesburg, Durban & Cape Town, South Africa

TENTATIVE ITINERARY

Highlights of the program are provided below. The university reserves the right to alter travel and other arrangements if required by circumstances.

May 10, 13, 14
Daily classes held on campus

May 15
Depart Atlanta

May 17
Arrive in Johannesburg, Centre for Human Rights School of Social Work

May 18
Pretoria: Zulu and Ndebele culture centers and Pan-African Feast

May 19
Soweto: Apartheid Museum, Chris Hani Hospital and community development

May 20
Phoenix Zululand

May 21
Experience Zulu culture, afternoon at a game reserve

May 22
Abahlali base Mjondolo, lecture on apartheid zoning of Durban

May 23
Durban: discuss racialization policy under apartheid South Africa

May 24
Class reflection, meetings and project preparation

May 25
Fly to Cape Town, tour Robben Island

May 26
Cape Town Townships and District 6 Museum, dinner in a local home

May 27
Visit the Sikhula Sonke, a women-led trade union, to discuss labor and gender issues

May 28
Cape Town, Company Gardens, Castle of Good Hope and the Slave Museum

May 29
Return to Atlanta

May 31 – June 3
Wrap-up sessions and class conclusion

APPLICATION DEADLINE: December 7, 2012

Because program size is limited, early application is strongly advised. Individual interviews may be scheduled with students upon receipt of application.

CONTACT

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ACCOMMODATIONS
Participants will stay in two comfortable guest houses in the Johannesburg area, the Plum Pudding guest house and Arusha Lodge. Participants will also stay in two Holiday Inn Express hotels in Durban and Cape Town.

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.

ELIGIBILITY
The program is open to undergraduate and graduate students who meet all academic requirements of the Georgia State University College of Arts and Sciences and the Department of African-American Studies. Students from colleges and universities outside of Georgia State may be eligible contingent upon acceptance by the Program Director. Program size is limited and participation is contingent upon acceptance by the Program Director.

CREDITS AND COURSES
Participants who successfully complete the program’s course will receive three semester hours of course credit at Georgia State University. Undergraduate students should register for AAS4970 and graduate students should register for AAS6099. Students from other institutions should follow their institution’s regulations concerning transfer credits.

FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS
Georgia State University students may be eligible to apply for the IIE Study Abroad Scholarship and the Global Experience Scholarship. Visit www.gsu.edu/studyabroad or contact the Office of International Initiatives, Study Abroad Programs for more information about these and other scholarships.

Price Does NOT Include
- Georgia State tuition and fees
- Public transportation
- Passport fees
- Personal expenses and excess baggage charges
- Gratuity to drivers and guides
- Additional meals

APPLICATION INFORMATION
Students interested in applying should find this program’s listing at www.gsu.edu/studyabroad and begin an online application.

Transient Students: Please see the Transient Student page at www.gsu.edu/studyabroad.

International students at Georgia State who hold F-1 visas must contact the Office of International Students and Scholar Services at 404-413-2070 to discuss possible implications of study abroad for their immigration status.

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