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- ACES in Brazil at USP/ ESALQ in Piracicaba
- ACES/Engineering in Brazil at University of Vicosa

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Program Summaries

ACES in Costa Rica: VIDA Pre-Vet Study Tour

This is a high quality educational program for those who wish to gain clinical and practical experience in the field of Veterinary Medicine. The VIDA program focuses mainly on the sterilization of felines and canines in field clinics; however, participants will also gain experience in working with large animals.

ACES in Botswana: Wildlife Conservation and Communities

Wildtrax presents students with a hands-on research experience through a 2-month summer module, or 2-week winter break experience on Communities & Wildlife Conservation Research Field Training Studies in Botswana. Students begin with a lecture series at the research camp to understand the dynamic coexistence of humans and wildlife. After the course work, students join the research team to learn field techniques and collect data.

ACES Tanzania: Summer Wildlife Management

Another WildTrax program, this experience places students in Tanzania. Students will attend a 2 week course at the College of African Wildlife Management-Mweka and then go on a 2 week excursion through wildlife parks, visiting local villages, researchers and other conservation organizations. The curriculum focuses on how changes in land use and resource availability in Tanzanian ecosystems can be managed to assist local communities while conserving biodiversity.

ACES African Wildlife Discovery Study Tour to South Africa

This group will be led by professional field guide and accompanied by a UIUC faculty member. Examples of wildlife experiences on previous tours include: Tracking and identification of leopards, observing hierarchical system of feeding at a lion kill, and exclusive interactive visit to Southern Africa's most successful wildlife rehabilitation center. The majority of time spent in South Africa will be at remote locations in the bush.

ACES Study & Intern in France at EI Purpan

This program in the south of France involves 1 month of courses studying French language as well as viticulture and enology. The second month of the program, students participate in an internship on a French vineyard, dairy or other agricultural site while living with a host family. There is also a semester program at Purpan with courses in animal and food production.

ACES in New Zealand at Massey University

Massey is New Zealand's premiere institution for the life sciences and agriculture. The city of Palmerston North is conveniently close to west coast beaches, and within easy driving distance to the Hawke's Bay wine region, skiing and snowboarding at Mt. Ruapehu, and New Zealand's capital city, Wellington. A summer study tour is offered with an internship in Hawke's Bay or students can study at Massey for an entire semester.

ACES Provider: American Farm School in Greece

The Dimitris Perrotis College of Agricultural Studies in Thessaloniki, Greece, offers a six-week program that fuses practical, hands-on agricultural work experience with a unique introduction to the culture and traditions of Greece. The program includes classroom and fieldwork exploration of the dynamic and varied world of Greek agriculture and food industry, as well as exposure to daily life in Greece. There is also a semester program available.

ACES in Sweden at SLU in Uppsala

SLU's objective is to develop mankind's understanding and sustainable use of biological natural resources. The university conducts research and offers educational programs in areas related to the use and preservation of biological resources. Courses are taken in English.

IAGE: Evolution, Ecology and Conservation (GAIAS)

Through coursework and related excursions to some of the world's tallest volcanoes and the most bio-diverse tropical forests, in addition to the Galapagos' Archipelago Islands, students in this program examine how diverse ecosystems shape evolutionary processes and the role that distinct social, cultural and economic conditions play in the protection or transformation of these unique environments.

ACES in the Netherlands at WUR in Wageningen

Wageningen University and Research Centre is one of the leading and most internationalized universities in Europe, located about an hour south of Utrecht. The language of instruction in many courses is English. It is an ideal site for students interested in crop science and environmental science.