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## NRES Study Abroad Programs

### Faculty-led Programs

- ACES in Morocco: Culture & Agriculture (Hort 298)
- ACES in Tanzania: Summer Wildlife Management (NRES 285 credit)
- ACES in Sierra Leone - Winter Break (ACE 499 credit)
- ACES in Costa Rica: Soil Diversity & Land Use (NRES 285 credit)

### Summer Programs

- ACES in Brazil at University of Viçosa
- ACES in Taiwan at NTU: Biodiversity, Agriculture and Culture of Taiwan (NRES 285 credit)
- ACES Study & Intern in New Zealand: Massey University
- ACES in Botswana: Wildlife Conservation and Communities (NRES 285 credit)

### Semester Programs

- ACES in Vienna
- ACES in Sierra Leone
- ACES in the Netherlands: Wageningen University
- ACES in Denmark: University of Copenhagen
- ACES in Sweden: SLU in Uppsala
- ACES in New Zealand: Massey University
- ACES Provider: Thailand, ISDSI
- ACES in Costa Rica: Environment and Society
- ACES in the UK: University of Reading
- ACES in Australia: University of Sydney

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# Program Summaries

## **ACES in Tanzania: Summer Wildlife Management**

This faculty-led program provides students with a hands-on experience in the conservation of natural and cultural resources across wilderness, rural, and urban regions of Tanzania. Students will attend courses at the world renowned College of African Wildlife Management-Mweka (Mweka) and participate in selected projects that reflect the multifaceted demands facing conservationists in Africa. Students finish the program with a learning wildlife Safari.

## **ACES in Taiwan at NTU: Biodiversity, Agriculture and Culture of Taiwan**

During the month-long course, students visit National Parks, Experimental Forests & Farms and Research Institutes. Students explore from the ocean to low, mid, and high elevation, to see why and how an island as small could be endowed with such high biodiversity. Students also get hands-on experiences with the bamboo and tea culture, as well as the Chinese calligraphy and language.

## **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 in Brazil at University of Viçosa**

This program, offered in summer or full semester. There are a variety of academic programs in which to enroll as well as internship and research opportunities. The semester program requires at least 1-2 semesters of Portuguese language while the summer program does not require Portuguese. In both programs students study Portuguese.

## **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.

## **ACES in Denmark at University of Copenhagen**

This program is best suited for spring semester. Taught in English, UC offers a wide variety of courses in natural resource management, development economics, agricultural policy and more. The charming, yet bustling city of Copenhagen offers a fabulous window to Danish culture.

## **ACES in New Zealand at Massey University**

Massey is New Zealand's premiere institution for the life sciences and agriculture. A summer study tour is also offered with an internship in Hawke's Bay or students can study at Massey for an entire semester.

## **Illinois in Costa Rica: Environment and Society**

Costa Rica is a global leader in progressive environmental policy with a small carbon footprint, significant land area dedicated to reserves. Develop your environmental leadership during a semester abroad, learning about this critical connection between environment and society and exploring Costa Rica's biodiversity from multiple angles