

FINANCIAL AID

Limited supplemental scholarships are available to K-State students for study abroad. Scholarship applications are available in the Office of International Programs, 304 Fairchild Hall. The scholarship application deadline is October 20, 2008.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

The Study Abroad application, payment information, and other materials can be found on the web at

www.k-state.edu/oip/faculty/facultyled/



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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Monday, September 8, 15, and 22, 2008

4:30 p.m.

207 Seaton Hall

Winter Intercession '08-'09

PERU

service learning



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PROGRAM

Spend intercession exploring the ancient cities of the Incas. Students travel to Cusco, capital of the Incan empire. From there, they learn about the ancient Quechuan culture, explore Machu Picchu, travel through the Sacred Valley, and experience life with a host family while helping to build an adobe structure. A visit to Arequipa exposes them to the influence of the Spanish on the Peruvian culture, and a side trip to the Uros Islands at Lake Titicaca allows students to experience first-hand, the diminishing of an indigenous group, the Uros Indians, as modern civilization encroaches on their lifestyle.

FACULTY LEADER

Vicky Borchers teaches students in the third, fourth, and fifth years in the interior architecture and product design curriculum. Her emphasis is on technology and incorporating computer-aided planning and design into daily work by students. Vicky is the recipient of the 2006 Commerce Bank Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching Award.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to K-State undergraduate and graduate students in all majors. Must have at least sophomore standing and 2.5 GPA.

DATES

Depart U.S. on December 27, 2008
Return to U.S. on January 15, 2009

ACCOMODATIONS

Hotels and homestays with local families

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

During the 18 days, students visit ancient sites associated with the Incan empire and learn the history behind the Quechuan society and their fall during the Spanish occupation. Lectures and guided tours are given on-site at Machu Picchu, Cusco, Ollantaytambo, and Písaq to explain the historical and cultural impact of each location in the Incan empire.

Students participate in a weaving class taught by the Chinchero weavers and learn the ancient techniques of dying, spinning, and weaving using a backstrap loom. Students are expected to keep a journal, through photo journalism, sketching, and writing about their experiences throughout the course. In addition, they are expected to participate in all scheduled activities.

CREDIT

Three hours of undergraduate for IAPD 406 or graduate credit for IAPD 830 will be granted by K-State University upon successful completion of the program. (IAPD: *Interior Architecture and Product Design*)

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour Machu Picchu
- Hike to Lake Condenado and Lake Sachavacayoc
- Canoe trip to Puerto Maldonado
- Cusco city tour with visit to Cathedral and Koricancha
- Tour Ollantaytambo
- Visit ceramics studio of Pablo Seminario
- Raft on the Urubamba
- Visit to market and weaving workshop
- Visit to the Uros floating reed islands
- Tour Sillustani ruins

COST

Program Fees Collected: \$3,251.42 (includes round trip airfare between Miami and Peru, accommodations, group meals, in-country transportation, admission to cultural sites, study abroad fee, and international medical insurance.)

Tuition and Fees: Tuition and Fees for 3 credits. Division of Continuing Education (DCE) Fee \$21.50

Anticipated Additional Expenses: Individual meals, transportation to/from Miami, and books.

Payment Options

Check (checks should be made out to Kansas State University. If you submit a check, be sure the following information is listed on the check: student name, program name, location, name of instructor who is teaching the course, and K-State student ID number)

Credit Card (A 2.9% credit card service fee will be added to all payments made with a credit card)

Cash

Payments for program fees should be made to the Office of International Programs, Study Abroad Program, 304 Fairchild Hall. K-State tuition, DCE fee, and tuition surcharge will be billed to student iSIS accounts.

Payment Schedule for Program Fees:

1/3 due October 1, 2008

1/3 due October 15, 2008

1/3 due November 1, 2008