

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

In PHIL 226, students apply ethical theories to determine what we should do in response to environmental issues and dilemmas such as whether animals and ecosystems have rights, what kind of value nature possesses, the proper focus of an environmental ethic, and what ecology has to do with economics and justice. This J-Term course uses its distinctive setting at Holden Village in the Cascades to tangibly explore the themes of the course. Holden Village, located on the site of a former mine, just completed an extensive remediation process and will serve as a central case study for the class.



WANG CENTER J-TERM STUDY AWAY

Environmental Ethics Holden Village



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS*

- Winter hiking
- Snowshoeing
- Cross-country skiing
- Garbology
- · Avalanche and outdoor safety training
- Befriending other ELCA-affiliated college students
- Time for digital detox
- Holden's average snowfall: 270 inches

*May be subject to change

Educating to achieve a just, healthy, sustainable and peaceful world, both locally and globally.

ACADEMICS

 PHIL 226 (PH) and ENVT Environment and Sensibility credit -- 4 credits PREREQUISITE: None

Please check the online program brochure page for program fee. Global Scholar Award funding still available.

Fees generally include the following (check website for more details):

- Bus and boat transportation
- Lodging
- All meals

Participants in this program may apply for a Global Scholar Award. Please contact the Wang Center for additional information and the application.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- February 8, 2017 Application available
- November 15, 2017 Application deadline (\$50 non-refundable application fee) Early applications highly encouraged
- Two weeks after acceptance Confirmation deadline (\$300 confirmation deposit)

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