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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

In this two-month course, students will student teach for approximately 6 weeks in primary schools located in the Windhoek area and volunteer in a local community organization. All students will learn about the historical aspects of education in Namibia and compare and contrast educational practices between Namibia and the United States. This experience will be augmented by study tours to historically significant sites such as the Ondao Mobile Primary School, Old Location and Katutura as well as by the interactions and discussions with native Namibians.

NOTE: This program is open to non-Education majors.



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Comparative Education

Namibia



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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS*

- Student-teaching in local schools
- Short-term internship for non-education majors
- Volunteer work in Katutura, a township of Windhoek
- Study tour that includes visiting mobile schools in the North
- Visits to Etosha and Namib-Naukluft National Parks.
- A climb up the highest sand dune

*May be subject to change

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ACADEMICS

- EDUC 385--4 credits (4-week or 7-week option)

Program fee will be finalized by April 1, 2018. Check the Wang Center/Study Away Website for final pricing.

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

- Airfare
- Lodging
- Study tours
- Foreign travel insurance
- Some 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 7, 2018 - Application available
- April 15, 2018 - Application deadline (\$50 non-refundable application fee)
- May 4, 2018 - Notifications sent
- May 18, 2018 - Confirmation deadline (\$300 confirmation deposit)

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