FACULTY-LED STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS  

INDIA  
SUMMER 2017

PROGRAM SNAPSHOT  The course will address global health, and specifically prevention through participation in a community-based health and literacy camp in India that has been established by Arodhum, a non-profit organization. Arodhum focuses on development in often overlooked rural communities by identifying, nurturing, and developing the potential that exists in rural children. Arodhum has also developed wellness health camps which provide a systematic way to ensure preventative health care for rural children.

COURSES AND PROFESSORS  
Psychology 454: Special Topics in Psychology: Service Learning  
Culture, school readiness, and health for children in rural Karnataka, India  
with Ramani Durvasula and Kaveri Subrahmanyam  
Course Description: This course is a study abroad course on culture, school readiness and health with a strong service learning component. The service learning activities will be conducted at two rural sites near Bangalore, a major metropolitan city in India. We will focus on the role of culture in individual development and behavior, with a focus on the developmental milestones necessary for school readiness and positive health behaviors. Students will examine key theories and research that underlie contemporary thinking about the role of culture in human development.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
- GPA of 2.75 or higher  
- Hotel Accommodations Provided  
- Most Meals Provided  
- Domestic Transportation Provided  
- Medical Insurance Provided  
- Fieldtrips Provided  
- One 3-Unit Course Provided  
- AIRFARE NOT PROVIDED

For more information, please visit our Cal State LA Study Abroad website here  
Or view videos about this program on YouTube here

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Course Program Name:  Field Experience in Psychology-India

Please complete and return to Amy Wang in Room 217 of the Golden Eagle Building.

Term: Summer 2017

Application Package:
• A non-refundable deposit fee of $300 (Click here to pay online, attach receipt to the application
• A copy of your passport biographical page, including the passport expiration date
• Official transcripts from all post-secondary institutions (or a copy of a Cal State LA transcript))

CONTACT INFORMATION

Name ____________________________________________________________

Last  First  Middle

Cell Phone (________) ____________________________________________ Home Phone (________) ____________________________________________

E-mail __________________________________________________________ CIN __________________________________________________________

Current Address:

Street/Residence Hall and Room

City, State/Province, and Zip/Postal Code

Permanent Address:

Street

City, State/Province, and Zip/Postal Code

COURSE INFORMATION

Courses included in the program:

• Psychology 454: Special Topics in Psychology: Service Learning Culture, school readiness, and health for children in rural Karnataka, India
ESSAY QUESTIONNAIRE
Answer each question below with a brief descriptive response (7-10 sentences).

1. Why did you choose to participate in this course program?

2. Explain how your coursework and educational experience have prepared you to study abroad.

3. What do you hope to get out of your time abroad? How do you think study abroad will impact you academically and in your career path? How do you want your study abroad experience to affect you in terms of personal growth and global awareness?
SCHOLASTIC AND OTHER INFORMATION
Current Class Level: □ Fr □ So □ Jr □ Sr  Cumulative grade point average: ______________________________
Major: __________________________________________ Minor: ____________________________
Are you currently receiving financial aid? □ Yes □ No
Are you currently enrolled in the honors program? □ Yes □ No  Marital Status: □ Single □ Married

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND
Number of units completed to date: __________________________ Number of units enrolled in current term: __________________________
Expected graduation date: _________________________________
Do you have any incomplete grades, missing grades, or other deficiencies (e.g. failure to complete required proficiency tests)? □ Yes □ No
If yes, please explain: ____________________________________________________________
Activities, positions, honors while in college: ____________________________________________________

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS
Have you ever been convicted of a felony? □ Yes □ No
Are you on probation, parole, or have any legal judgments pending against you either inside or outside campus? □ Yes □ No
If yes, please explain: ____________________________________________________________
Are you currently under any campus disciplinary action for violation of codes of academic or student conduct? □ Yes □ No
If yes, please explain: ____________________________________________________________
Do you have any outstanding indebtedness to the campus? □ Yes □ No

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION
Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): __________________________ Gender: □ Female □ Male
Are you currently living in on-campus housing? □ Yes □ No
Are you a resident of the state/province in which your home campus is located? □ Yes □ No
Country of Citizenship: □ United States □ Canada □ Other
□ Non-resident alien — If non-resident alien, visa type ____________________________ □ Lawful permanent resident

ETHNICITY
□ American Indian or Native American □ Hispanic/Latino □ No Response
□ Asian or Pacific Islander □ White (Non-Hispanic)
□ Black/African American (Non-Hispanic) □ Two or more groups: ________________________________

SIGNATURE
I have read and fully understand:
• participating in the course program is a privilege and not a right.
• submitting an application is not a guarantee of application acceptance or placement.
• failure to submit any documents by the stated deadline will result in the denial of my application.
• failure to maintain (prior to and during my participation) all of the eligibility requirements of the program and those of my home and host campuses will result in the cancellation of my participation and enrollment.
• failure to pay all financial obligations to my home campuses will result in the cancellation of my participation and enrollment.

If accepted for participation in this course program, I agree to adhere to all the rules and regulations of both my home and host institutions. Failure to do so will result in the cancellation of my participation.

I affirm that all information is complete, accurate, and true to the best of my knowledge. I acknowledge that I am signing freely, voluntarily, and under no compulsion.

Signature __________________________ Date __________________________
RELEASE OF INFORMATION
The collection, retention, and dissemination of your records and information about you are subject to federal regulation under the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974. You are responsible for specifying the persons or agents who have access to your records. Therefore, it is necessary that we obtain your permission to request and release information pertinent to your study abroad program.

Please read the following statements and sign below:

• I understand that it will be necessary for my campus to obtain certain information about my academic and non-academic record in order to: 1) ascertain my eligibility and suitability for an, and 2) facilitate my participation after it is arranged. I hereby grant permission to the International Office to obtain information that is appropriate to my application and participation in the study abroad program including, but not limited to, letters of recommendation, permanent academic records and transcripts, conduct, fiscal records, medical records, all for the purposes of placement and participation, continuation, or termination.

• I give permission to the International Office to contact appropriate personnel in order to verify that I am under no disciplinary action for violation of codes of academic and student conduct and/or that I have no judicial cases pending which would invalidate my eligibility for participation.

• I hereby release information contained in my application, letters of recommendation, transcripts, and other information required as part of the application process to those individuals/committees responsible for reviewing and approving my application for participation.

• I hereby release information contained in my application, letters of recommendation, transcripts, and other information required as part of the application process to the host institution at which I am placed.

Signature  ________________________________  Date  __________________

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RELEASE OF LIABILITY, PROMISE NOT TO SUE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND AGREEMENT TO PAY CLAIMS

Activity:   Field Experience in Psychology - India
Activity Date(s) and Time(s):  June 25 - July 16, 2017
Activity Location(s):   Southern India

In consideration for being allowed to participate in this Activity, on behalf of myself and my next of kin, heirs and representatives, I release from all liability and promise not to sue the State of California, the Trustees of The California State University, California State University, Los Angeles and their employees, officers, directors, volunteers and agents (collectively “University”) from any and all claims, including claims of the University’s negligence, resulting in any physical or psychological injury (including paralysis and death), illness, damages, or economic or emotional loss I may suffer because of my participation in this Activity, including travel to, from and during the Activity.

I am voluntarily participating in this Activity. I am aware of the risks associated with traveling to/from and participating in this Activity, which include but are not limited to physical or psychological injury, pain, suffering, illness, disfigurement, temporary or permanent disability (including paralysis), economic or emotional loss, and/or death. I understand that these injuries or outcomes may arise from my own or other’s actions, inaction, or negligence; conditions related to travel; or the condition of the Activity location(s). Nonetheless, I assume all related risks, both known or unknown to me, of my participation in this Activity, including travel to, from and during the Activity.

I agree to hold the University harmless from any and all claims, including attorney’s fees or damage to my personal property that may occur as a result of my participation in this Activity, including travel to, from and during the Activity. If the University incurs any of these types of expenses, I agree to reimburse the University. If I need medical treatment, I agree to be financially responsible for any costs incurred as a result of such treatment. I am aware and understand that I should carry my own health insurance.

I am 18 years or older. I understand the legal consequences of signing this document, including (a) releasing the University from all liability, (b) promising not to sue the University, (c) and assuming all risks of participating in this Activity, including travel to, from and during the Activity.

I understand that this document is written to be as broad and inclusive as legally permitted by the State of California. I agree that if any portion is held invalid or unenforceable, I will continue to be bound by the remaining terms.

I have read this document, and I am signing it freely. No other representations concerning the legal effect of this document have been made to me.

Participant Signature:  ________________________________
Participant Name (print): ________________________________ Date: __________________
If Participant is under 18 years of age:

I am the parent or legal guardian of the Participant. I understand the legal consequences of signing this document, including (a) releasing the University from all liability on my and the Participant's behalf, (b) promising not to sue on my and the Participant's behalf, (c) and assuming all risks of the Participant's participation in this Activity, including travel to, from and during the Activity. I allow Participant to participate in this Activity. I understand that I am responsible for the obligations and acts of Participant as described in this document. I agree to be bound by the terms of this document.

I have read this two-page document, and I am signing it freely. No other representations concerning the legal effect of this document have been made to me.

__________________________________________________________
Signature of Minor Participant’s Parent/Guardian

__________________________________________________________
Name of Minor Participant's Parent/Guardian (print)   Date

__________________________________________________________
Minor Participant’s Name