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Arenal Volcano



FAU Students enjoy a
Group Dinner



Coffee Plantation in Costa Rica

Costa Rica Field Experience Tour

(May 4–May 11, 2012)

The Field Study in International Economics course is an instruction and tour program that studies production and allocation of resources in Costa Rica. The course focuses on business and economic development in Costa Rica. The course looks at the organizational frameworks related to resource allocation in Costa Rica, the role of the international economy (through the operation of multinational corporations and the conduct of international trade and finance), and the importance of cultural differences in business development and practices. The Costa Rica Field Experience Tour includes lectures from educators and practitioners, tours of transnational corporations and local firms, and visits to an active volcano, the free zone, and eco-tourism facilities.

Eligibility Requirements: Program is open to undergraduate (junior or senior) and graduate students with a 2.5 GPA or higher.

Courses:

ECO 4955 – Field Study in International Economics (3 credits)

ECO 6958 – Field Study in International Economics (3 credits)

Program Fee: \$1,960 (+\$30 cash fee)

Program Fee Includes: Airfare, hotel accommodations, FAU application fee/basic insurance, local group transportation, group admission fees, daily breakfast, 1 group lunch and 2 group dinners, and FAU polo shirt.

Program Fee Does Not Include: FAU tuition (out-of-state tuition extra), most lunches/dinners, and spending money.

Tentative Itinerary:

Friday, May 4: Travel to Costa Rica, transfer to Volcano Lodge

Saturday, May 5: Tour of Arenal Volcano, tour of Tico Fruit & group dinner

Sunday, May 6: Tour Café Britt coffee plantation & group lunch

Monday, May 7: Company visit to Baxter, tour of Teletech

Tuesday, May 8: Company visits to INTEL, Coca Cola & AMCHAM

Wednesday, May 9: Visit U.S. Embassy, lunch/shopping, CINDE visit & group dinner

Thursday, May 10: Individual Tours

Friday, May 11: Return to Ft. Lauderdale

Application Deadline: Currently accepting applications as space permits. Submit application with a \$200 deposit. Payment deadline for remaining \$1760 (+\$30 cash fee) is March 1, 2012.

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