APPLICATION, REGISTRATION & SCHOLARSHIPS

Application Process

- Online applications are available through the Study Abroad Office at http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu
- A $200 administration fee is required with your application.
- We strongly recommend that students apply as early as possible for this program, as it may fill up prior to the stated deadline. Late applications may be considered on a space available basis.
- Students who wish to withdraw their application are required to notify the Study Abroad Office in writing that they no longer intend to participate.

Selection and Admittance

Students must be in good academic standing, with a grade point average of at least 2.80 at the time of application. Two courses at a 200 level in wildlife management, conservation biology, ecology, zoology, natural resources, biology, environmental science, botany, tourism or equivalent are required.

Meeting this requirement does not, however, guarantee admission. The selection of applicants is based on additional eligibility criteria for this program and not necessarily on a first-come, first-served basis. Preferences will be given to upper-level undergraduate students and graduate students, and those with a science related background. Students selected to participate in the program will be notified.

An applicant’s participation may be denied or their participation approval may be revoked if their conduct before departure raises doubts as to their suitability for program participation.

Registration

- Study abroad courses are not publicized on the Pack Tracks system, because they are not available to summer on-campus students. In this way on-campus students are not confused.
• Only students admitted into the study abroad program can be registered for one of these courses.
• Students should go to their online application homepage (see study abroad website), select the post-acceptance questionnaire and complete "Summer – Country - Final Course Selections."
• Select only one 4 credit course in that questionnaire and the study abroad office will enroll you directly. You, the student cannot register for the course yourself.
• There are no additional tuition fees to be paid.

Namibia Program in the Summer I semester
• FW 465 (501) African Ecology and Conservation
  Graded credit

  or

• FW 565 (501) African Ecology and Conservation
  Graded credit

Application for Scholarships and Financial Aid
Note: Students in the Department of Forestry and Environmental Resources (DFER) at NC State, who major in one of these courses may apply for a DFER scholarship up to $2,500 through the study abroad office (Namibia Program):

  – Fisheries and Wildlife Sciences
  – Forest Management
  – Environmental Technology
  – Natural Resources - Policy and Administration
  – Natural Resources - Ecosystem Services
  – Environmental Science - Watershed Hydrology

Scholarships and financial aid are available for Study Abroad supported programs and NCSU students only. Students may apply for scholarships offered through the Study Abroad Office http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu with the requirements listed in the application instructions.
Eligibility is based on academic performance or on a combination of academic performance and financial need. For the latest deadline visit [http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu](http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu)

You may also apply for financial aid through the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships [http://www7.acs.ncsu.edu/financial_aid](http://www7.acs.ncsu.edu/financial_aid) Non-NCSU students should check with their home institution’s financial aid office.

**Policies**
For further information about the Payment Policy, Refund Policy and the Cancellation Policy contact the Study Abroad Office at [http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu](http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu)

**Important Dates and Deadlines**
For the latest dates and deadlines go to [http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu](http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu)