

# Indonesia Study Abroad:

An Outdoor Classroom in the Rainforests- Winter 2023

1 – 17 December 2023

WSES 4342/5342



This is a three credit hour course that includes the following topics:

➤ History and Political Ecology of Indonesia



- Flora and fauna of the rainforests- ecology and conservation
- Socioeconomics and rural livelihood around the protected areas



- Palm oil monoculture and its impact on rainforest ecosystems
- Community-based eco-tourism, antipoaching, and conservation

The class will visit different protected areas, religious and cultural sites, and the rainforests that serve as a classroom to learn diverse wildlife and habitats, unique landscapes, and religion, culture, & socioeconomic issues in biodiversity conservation of the region

## Program fees - \$2950



Program fees include: Meals and Lodging, in-country transportation, and excursion costs (National Parks entry permits, trekking permits, cultural programs, canoeing, jeep safari & jungle walk)



Program fees DO NOT include: TSU tuition and fees, air fare between the US and Indonesia, visa fees, student personal expenses and costs of any extra curricular activities

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