

International Veterinary Study Tour
CS 825 January 2016
(Register for fall semester)



You Could be Seeing This!



And this!



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Didactic Portion

- Fall semester 2015
- Seven, 50-60 minute class periods
 - Credit/no credit, no exams but attendance is mandatory
- Lectures/discussion/student presentations on
 - Basics of travel to Tanzania, cultural differences, student/instructor expectations
 - Demographics, history, political environment
 - Geography, climate, evolutionary significance of archeological excavations at Olduvai
 - Health concerns and zoonotic diseases in Tanzania
 - Rabies, malaria, typhoid, Rift Valley Fever, HIV, Human plague, Dengue fever, Trypanosomiasis
 - Animal husbandry and farming practice
 - Charitable giving and sustainable development



Tanzania

Part of East African Community (EAC) along with Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda and Uganda.

Itinerary

- **Depart about December 31, 2015. Arrive Kilimanjaro Airport January 1, 2016 Depart Kilimanjaro, January 13, 2016 and arrive in US January 14, 2016**
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- DAY 1 PICK UP FROM KILIMANJARO AIRPORT (LATE EVENING) TRANSFER TO ARUSHA
- DAY 2 SMALL AIRCRAFT FLIGHT TO CENTRAL SERENGETI. GAME DRIVE IN SERENGETI
- DAYS 3-5 GAME DRIVES CENTRAL SERENGETI AND NDUTU
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- DAY 6 DRIVE THROUGH NGORONGORO CONSERVATION AREA
 - OLMOTI CRATER TO HIKE WITH MAASAI.
 - VISIT MAASAI VILLAGE
 - OLDUPAI MUSEUM
 - OVERNIGHT NEAR TARANGIRE NATIONAL PARK
- DAY 7 GAME DRIVE IN TARANGIRE
- DAY 8-12 FIELD VISIT(S) WITH VETERINARIAN (LOCATION TO BE ANNOUNCED)
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (LOCATION TO BE ANNOUNCED)
OTHER CULTURAL ACTIVITIES
-
- DAY 13 MAASAI MARKET IN ARUSHA OR MTO WA MBU. DRIVE TO AIRPORT FOR EVENING FLIGHT

How do you get there?

- Fly to Kilimanjaro airport
 - Delta/KLM via Amsterdam to Kilimanjaro airport
 - Ethiopian Airlines via Addis Ababa
 - Many other options but more stops. Often connecting through Nairobi
- Cost to Kilimanjaro with Delta/KLM
 - \$1800 - \$2500 depending on time of year
 - Currently about \$1830 to \$1930



Before you go

- Passport
- Visa will be necessary but you can get this on arrival
- Vaccinations (Riley County Health)
 - None are mandatory but you may want to consider
 - Yellow Fever
 - Measles
 - Polio
 - Hepatitis A and B
 - Tetanus
 - Typhoid
 - Influenza
- Malaria prevention
- Medical Evacuation Insurance – done through the university

Kilimanjaro Airport – Transfer to Arusha



Fly to Seronera in the Serengeti



Met by our Guide



Serengeti

- 90,000 tourist / year
- Migration of 1.5 million wildebeest
- 250,000 zebra



Serengeti Camp at Rongai Hills







Topi



Dik dik









Bat-eared Fox







Barn owl



Kori Bustard

Ndutu



Ndutu Camp



Ngorongoro Conservation Area

- Olduvai Gorge
- Masai Villages
- Rift Valley





Ngorongoro Conservation Area



Trail to Olmoti Crater





Ranger guide for hike to Olmoti Crater



KSU vet students and Masai guides



Masai Village







Oldupai Gorge

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Skull and reconstructed mandible of
Australopithecus boisei (*Zinjanthropus*)
Fuva na tayachi lililounganishwa la
Australopithecus boisei (*Zinjanthropus*)



Hand bones of *Homo habilis*
Mifupa ya mkono ya *Homo habilis*

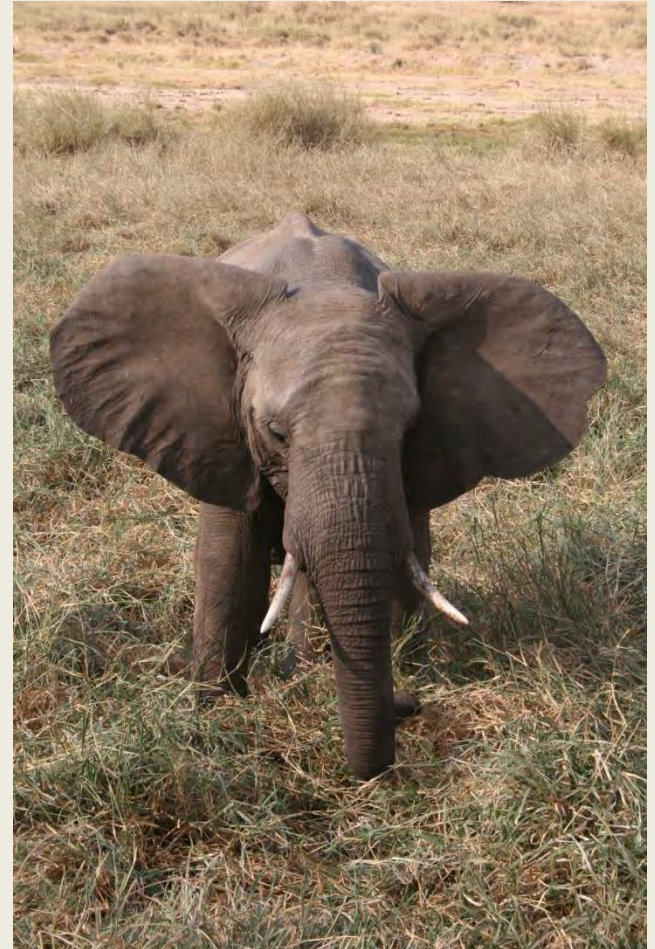
Ngorongoro Crater



Tarangire National Park



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Baobab Tree



Woodland Kingfisher

Osupuko Lodge





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Sustainable Development Project

- Affordable Computers and Technology for Tanzania
- www.actt.co.tz
- YouTube video: ACTT-Mobile PC Lab



This Trip is for You If....

- You enjoy cultural interactions
- You're a laid back traveler
- You can get along with anybody for a short period of time
- You are enthusiastic about observation of wildlife
- You want to learn about efforts for conservation of wildlife in Africa and the problems they face

This Trip is Not for You if.....

- You are expecting to dart wildlife
- You are impatient and have high needs and expectations when you travel
- Unexpected problems or changes put you over the edge

