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| Program and Language Requirements | • Minimum overall GPA of 3.0 or 2.75 for School of Management  
• Good academic and disciplinary standing  
• Previous college-level coursework and/or other significant preparation in environmental studies, ecology, biology, or related fields  
• Students are required to enroll in 16 units of specific coursework listed below  
* Consult academic dean for below minimum GPA approvals and major-specific requirements.  
Check with study abroad advisor or program website for country and program specific requirements. |
| Language of Instruction | Courses are taught in English |
| Application Deadline | Fall and Academic Year: March 1  
Spring: October 1 |
| Program Dates | Fall: August-December  
Spring: January-May |
| Program Layout | • Orientation to coastal and upland rainforest parks: 1 week  
• Seminars/courses and homestay in Cairns: 2 weeks  
• Aboriginal camping trip, rainforest ecology module, and coral reef ecology module. Upon completion of each field module, students return for a few days to the Northern Greenhouse Hostel in Cairns, which serves as the program base.  
• Independent Study Project in an Australian location appropriate to the project. Students are on their own with minimal supervision: 5 weeks  
• Final seminar where students present their project and participate in a reentry program: 3-4 days |
| Course Subjects | Students enroll in a 16-unit course load consisting of the following courses:  
Rainforest, Reef, and Cultural Ecology Seminar (6 units); Environmental Field Study Seminar (4 units); and Independent Study Project (6 units) *Courses subject to change |
| Special Courses, Internships and/or Scholarships | SIT offers matching Pell Grant. SIT scholarships are available at:  
http://www.sit.edu/studyabroad/scholarships.htm |
| Accommodation | Students will be housed in homestays, hostels, small hotels, and campsites.  
* USF Program Fee: Includes room and board. Board includes all meals. |
| Other Expenses Not Included in USF Tuition | Airfare, passport, visa, books, local transportation, independent travel, and incidentals.  
*Print the Budget Planning Worksheet to determine cost estimates |
| Supplemental Health and Travel Assist Services | Enrollment in USF sponsored programs include automatic coverage through ACE/AXA ASSISTANCE USA, Inc. while abroad. Also Students are covered by SIT insurance. |
| Visa Requirements | Students with U.S. passports will need a Visitor visa (subclass 600) for Australia. Processing time for this visa is around: 24 hours to one week. Further Information about visa application processes, will be sent by e-mail from SIT admissions counselor (in late June/early July for fall, January for spring). Students apply once they have received this information.  
*CGE is not responsible for applying for and/or obtaining your student visa. |
| Website | www.sit.edu/ASE |

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