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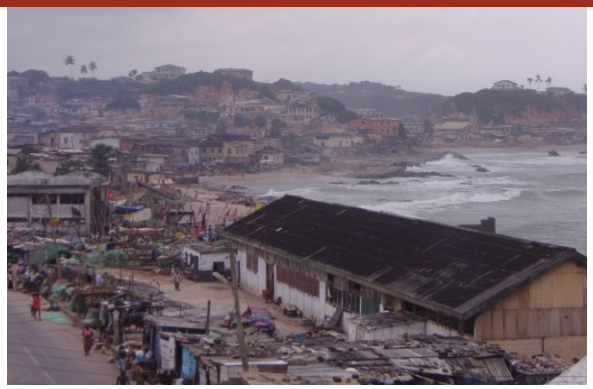
SIT– Ghana

history & cultures of the African diaspora

Cape coast, Ghana



Program Overview

The History and Cultures of the African Diaspora Program allows students to gain a deeper understanding of West Africa's links to and impact on the world. Ghana served as the point of departure for many West Africans who have migrated, voluntarily and involuntarily, to points around the globe. Through field and classroom instruction, students examine the history and culture of West Africa and the interwoven influence of the Atlantic Slave Trade.

Host Organization

SIT Study Abroad is the pioneer in field-based, experiential programs for undergraduate students. SIT Study Abroad programs prepare students to be interculturally effective leaders, professionals, and citizens. In so doing, SIT fosters a worldwide network of individuals and organizations committed to responsible engagement in a changing world.

At-a-Glance

Program Type:

SU-Sponsored (100% Aid portability, SU Tuition + Program Fee, SU Credit)

Location:

Cape Coast in the Central Region of Ghana

Eligibility:

3.0 GPA, Good Academic & Conduct Standing, Previous Coursework in African Studies Recommended

Housing:

Homestay in Cape Coast and Komenda. Accommodations during the rest of the program include hostels, educational institutions, or private homes.

Estimated Cost:

$14,500 (rate based on 2012-2013 tuition, subject to change) + $2,500 paid directly to SIT for room and board. Cost includes tuition, housing, orientation, and in-country excursions.

Areas of Study:

African Studies, Development Studies, and Fante

Language of Instruction:

English and Fante

Faculty Liaison:

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Application Deadline:

February 15, 2013