

STUDY ABROAD AT VICTORIA



Geography, Environment + Earth Sciences

Victoria is in a unique position for the study of Earth and Environmental Sciences. Situated at the midpoint of New Zealand, Wellington is within easy access of the volcanic plateau to the north, a major faulted region to the south and many other interesting geological, geographic and climatic features of world-wide interest.

Reflecting this context, the School offers a number of field courses based in exciting locations as well as a wide choice of lecture courses on the scientific aspects of our planet, its environments and the human activities associated with it. The School is highly social, and hosts a number of student societies through which you can be actively involved.

SAMPLE COURSES

- ESCI 132** Antarctica – Unfreezing the Continent
- ESCI 201** Climate Change and New Zealand's Future
- ESCI 301** Global Change – Earth Processes and History
- ESCI 302** Tectonics and Structural Geology
- ESCI 303** Petrology & Geochemistry
- ESCI 304** Petroleum Geology
- ESCI 305** Exploration Geophysics
- ENVI 114** Environment and resources – Foundation
- ENVI 214** Environment and resources – NZ Perspective
- ENVI 314** Environment and resources – Global Perspective
- GEOG 112** Development in the Asia-Pacific
- GEOG 212** Worlds of Development
- GEOG 220** Hydrology and Climate
- GEOG 223** Physical Environmental Processes – Field Methods
- GEOG 311** Geography of New Zealand and Australia
- GEOG 312** Gender and Development

- GEOG 315** Advanced Geographical Information Systems
- GEOG 319** Coastal Systems

FIELD COURSES*

- ESCI 341** Sedimentary Field Geology
- ESCI 342** Structural Field Geology
- ESCI 241** Introductory Field Geology
- GEOG 323** Advanced Physical Environmental Processes – Field Methods
- ESCI 343** Volcanic Field Geology
- ESCI 344** Field Geophysics

*FIELD COURSES are offered at specific times during the year, often one to two weeks before Trimester 1 starts, during trimester breaks or during Trimester 3 – check times, availability and prerequisites. There is only one field course offered in Trimester 2.

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