



UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON-MAKERERE UNIVERSITY

HEALTH AND DISEASE IN UGANDA FIELD PROGRAM (3 Credits)

MAY 29 TO JUNE 17, 2012

Course Goals:

1. Introduce students to life, health, disease, and culture in Uganda.
2. Observe and understand the major issues in infectious diseases, maternal and child health, and nutrition and nutritional disorders.
3. Integrate UW-Madison students into the Community-based Education and Services (COBES) course with Makerere University students
4. Provide opportunities for service learning.

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Evaluation:

Students are expected to be active learners, flexible and adaptable, and able to accommodate to work and travel in new settings with scarce resources. The course grade will be based on the following criteria:

Participation in group meetings and course activities	20%
Journal entries that demonstrate self-reflection and critical observations	20%
Summary of COBES problem-based learning themes	10%
Final Project	50%

Instructions for the Final Project:

You will be asked to identify a topic of special interest to you, based on the PHS 644 course and/or field experiences. You will have opportunities throughout the field experience to gather information related to your topic. You may access information from Makerere University library resources, interviews with key informants, or observational site visits. Towards the end of your field experience you will be expected to give an oral presentation to an audience of UW-Madison and Makerere students and faculty. You will also be expected to submit a 2-to-5-page, written summary that includes: a definition of the problem; why it is significant to the health status of Ugandans; and what strategies are being used or are needed to address it.

Readings:

Readings from the East African Regional Section of PHS 644 Global Health and Disease serve as required reading for the field course.

Tentative Schedule (subject to change):

Date and Time	Activity	Person in Charge	Place
Tuesday, 29 May	Arrival to Entebbe	Susan and James	
Wednesday, 30 May			
10:15 AM – 10:45 AM	Welcome remarks	Deputy Principal	CCR
10:50 AM – 11:30 AM	Orientation to Uganda and safety issues	Ms. Nassaka Susan	CCR
11:45 AM – 12:45 AM	Setting expectations	Drs. Conway and Sethi	
12:50 PM – 02:00 PM	Lunch (Traditional food)	Phionah	
02:10 PM – 04:00 PM	Tour of Kampala	Amanda and John	
04:30 PM – 05:30 PM	Lecture on Cultural issues in Uganda	Ms. Susan Mawemuko	Edge House
Thursday, 31 May			
08:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Luganda lesson	Ms. Florence Bayiga	Edge House
09:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Mwanamugimu Unit	Ms. Phiona Ashaba	CCR
01:00 PM – 02:00 PM	Lunch	Ms. Phiona Ashaba	
02:30 PM – 04:30 PM	The AIDS Service Organization; TASO	Ms. Phiona Ashaba	CCR
05:00 PM – 06:00 PM	TBD		
06:30 PM – 07:30 PM	Debriefing	Dr. Conway	Edge House
Friday, 1 June			
08:00 AM – 09:00 AM	Luganda lesson	Ms. Florence Bayiga	Edge House
09:30 AM – 10:15 AM	Uganda health system	Mrs. Scovia Mbalinda	
10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Introduction to COBES	Mr. Oria Hussein	
11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	Public Health in disaster affected areas	Dr. Christopher Orach	CCR
12:45 PM – 01:45 PM	Lunch		
02:30 PM – 03:30 PM	'One health concept'	Dr. Kabagambe G	CCR
04:00 PM – 04:45 PM	Tour of Makerere University main campus	Amanda	
06:00 PM – 09:45 PM	Ndere Dance Troupe	John	Ntinda
Saturday, 2 June			
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Maternal and child health	Dr. Imelda Namagembe	
02:00 PM –	Travel to COBES sites	Susan Nassaka	
Sunday, 3 June to Friday, 8 June COBES (Nkozi, Buluba Kayunga)			
Friday, 8 June			
02:00 PM –	Travel back from sites	Ms. Nassaka Susan	

Saturday, 9 June			
06:30 AM –	Depart for Queen Elizabeth national park	Susan and James	
12:00 PM – 01:30 PM	Lunch at Mweya Safari Lodge		
07:00 PM	Dinner at Mweya Safari Lodge		
Sunday, 10 June			
06:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Game drive	UWA Guide	
10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Breakfast	Susan	
01:00 PM – 02:00 PM	Lunch		
03:00 PM – 05:00 PM	Boat ride	Susan	
07:00 PM – 10:00 PM	Dinner and debriefing	Prof. Ajay Sethi	
Monday, 11 June			
06:00 AM – 08:00 AM	Nature walk in the park	UWA Guide	QENP
08:30 AM – 09:00 AM	Breakfast	Ms. Susan Nassaka	
09:30 AM – 01:30 PM	Travel to Mbarara	James	
01:30 PM – 02:30 PM	Lunch		
03:00 PM – 05:00 PM	Free		
Tuesday, 12 June			
07:45 AM – 08:45 AM	Breakfast		
09:00 AM – 02:00 PM	Mobile Antiretroviral Pharmacy	Dr. Francis Bajunirwe	
02:00 PM – 05:00 PM	TBD		
Wednesday, 13 June			
08:30 AM – 09:30 AM	Breakfast		
10:00 AM – 05:00 PM	Visit Kitagata District Hospital	Dr. Francis Bajunirwe	
	Alternative Medicine	Dr. Francis Bajunirwe	
Thursday, 14 June			
06:00 AM	Return to Kampala		
02:00 PM – 06:00 PM	Kamwokya Christian Caring Community (KCCC)		
Friday, 15 June			
02:00 PM – 04:00 PM	Student presentations	Ms. Nassaka Susan	
05:00 PM – 05:30 PM	Certificates ceremony	Deputy Principal	
07:00 PM	Farewell	Phionah Ashaba	
Saturday, 16 June			
08:00 AM – 01:00 PM	TBD		
Sunday, 17th June			
	Departure for the Airport		