STUDY & TRAVEL MALAYSIA

JAMES COOK UNIVERSITY AUSTRALIA

Indigenous Communities of Malaysia

IA2030 Study Tour ◆ SP6 2020

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Orang Asli (lit. "aboriginal people" in Malay) are the indigenous people and the oldest inhabitants of Peninsular Malaysia.

Study Tour

The Indinenous Education and Research Centre is offering a course on Indigenous Communities in Malaysia in partnership with the Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM).

The course is based on the continuity and change of culture of indigenous communities in Malaysia.

What is it about

- Study the unique cultures of specific indigenous communities in Malaysia
- Understand the communities's history and recent marginalisation and the process of cultural transformation
- Enhance your understanding of the various forces that confront the traditions and culture of the local indigenous communities
- Learn about Malaysia's socio-economic and cultural background
- Learn basic conversational Malay language
- Build international friendships through 'buddy system' with are partnered with local student from UKM

Itinerary

Field trips will be undertaken to the Orang Asli community of Pulau Carey, National Park- Kuala Tahan, Royal Belum-Pahang and Indigenous Ecotourism at Port Dickson. Study tour includes:

- 1 week of lecture sessions
- 2 weeks of field trips
- Presentation and closing ceremony

Credit towards your degree

This field tour UKM SKZA2014 Indigenous Communities of Malaysia is credited towards JCU course code IA2030.

Eligibility

JCU students from Townsville, Cairns and external stduents who are enrolled in JCU Course IA2030 or an alternate approved elective.

Cost

The study tour costs $2200 USD and includes accommodation, food, course materials, field trips. transportation in Malaysia and JCU travel insurance.

Additional Costs:

- JCU tuition fees
- International airfares
- Additional travel
- Entertainment
- Insurance for additional travel

Financial support

- $3000 New Colombo Plan mobility grants available for 10 eligible and nominated Australian citizen undergraduate students
- Eligible Australian students can also apply for an OS-HELP loan of up to $8,149

More information

Email ierc@jcu.edu.au today and find out how you can apply.