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FDIB-AFRICA:
Understanding the Business Challenges of Africa
May 12-24, 2014
South Africa,
Mozambique and Swaziland

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Darla Moore School of Business
FDIB-Africa Program

The Faculty Development in International Business (FDIB) - Africa program is offered by a consortium of CIBER universities. This program, funded in part by the US Department of Education and managed and led by the SCCIBER, focuses on providing participating faculty and professionals a unique study abroad opportunity, which will ultimately assist the U.S. in its international competitiveness via pedagogy, research, and business outreach.

Program Objective

The objective of the FDIB-Africa program is to raise faculty and professionals' awareness of the economic, political, business and cultural environments that exist in sub-Saharan Africa today, and, ultimately, to leverage that new-found, first-hand awareness into competence and expertise in classrooms, boardrooms, and in research campuses throughout the United States.

Program Fee

The 2014 FDIB-Africa program fees are:

- Faculty or Business Professional: $4,500
- Spouses or Adult Guests: $3,500
- Graduate Student: $3,500

*Note:* Spouses and adult guests (at least 21 years old) will lodge with their faculty or business professional sponsor, and may participate in either the business program or the concurrent “guest” program.

The fee covers double-occupancy lodging throughout the program (single occupancy may be purchased for an additional $1,000 fee if available); many program meals (although most meals other than breakfast are NOT covered); all in-and-around ground transportation; and most entry fees to parks, tours, museums, and other exhibits and attractions.

Note that the fee does NOT cover round-trip airfare to Johannesburg, South Africa; that is the responsibility of each of the participants and their spouses/guests.

Participants’ Comments

"Inspiring, educational and encouraging!! It was a trip of a lifetime and I hope to perpetuate the momentum to actively contribute in various capacities in the future to both these countries."

— Brijesh Thapa, Professor, University of Florida

"This was a transformative experience in terms of enhancing my understanding of the African economy and its business opportunities and challenges."

— Carrie Leana, Professor, University of Pittsburgh

"The program provided a unique and wonderful opportunity to become familiar with aspects of Africa that were previously unknown to me."

— Lin Klein, Associate Dean, University of Connecticut

"This program is excellent. A very well planned and managed introduction into the economies and doing business in Sub-Sahara Africa. Professors will gain considerable first-hand knowledge and varied experiences that will enrich their teaching and research activities. This has been a very useful, powerful, and meaningful experience. A role model CIBER program."

— Stan Smedley, Professor, North Carolina Wesleyan College
Program Travel Itinerary *

Business sessions, academic visits, and Eco-Tourism tours will take place at each location, as appropriate.

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Note: Eco-Tour locations to be visited will may include: Apartheid Museum, Soweto, Lesedi Cultural Village, Sterkfontein Caves and Umbo in South Africa; Inhaca Island and Maputo Elephant Reserve in Mozambique; and Gone Rural in Swaziland. A detailed schedule for all events and activities for participants (and their guests) will be supplied upon approval of application and confirmation for participation in the program.

*Schedule is subject to change.

Required Documents (fax or email copies to SC CIBER)

- **PASSPORT** with a minimum of six months validity after date of return from Africa
- **TOURIST VISA (SOUTH AFRICA)** - not required of U.S. Citizens. Note: Please consult your nearest consulate for more information if you are not a U.S. passport holder
- **TOURIST VISA (SWAZILAND)** - not required of U.S. Citizens. Note: Please consult your nearest consulate for more information if you are not a U.S. passport holder
- **TOURIST VISA (MOZAMBIQUE)** - single entry visa required of all US Citizens prior to travel
- **PROOF OF HEALTH INSURANCE**
- **RELEASE & ASSUMPTION OF RISK** - available here in this brochure and on the SC CIBER website
- **TRAVEL INSURANCE** - participants are REQUIRED to provide proof of international travel insurance for this trip that covers, at a minimum, emergency medical evacuation and repatriation of remains

Miscellaneous Expenses

Participants will be responsible for any personal and/or additional expenses including, but not exclusive to, visas, passports, airport taxes, internet, phone, lodging incidentals or extensions, meals not covered in the program, V.A.T., appropriate tips and any other “free time” tours or excursions not covered in the program fee.
**Application Form**

Participants are selected on a first-come, first-served basis until all positions are filled.

Please complete the application form below, and mail or fax to our address provided on the back of the brochure.

- $4,500: Faculty or Business Participant, DOUBLE room occupancy
- $3,500: Spouse/Guest of Participant, DOUBLE room occupancy
- $3,500: Graduate Student, DOUBLE room occupancy

NOTE: Single occupancy requires additional $1,000 fee, and is subject to availability.

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**Emergency Contact Info:** Full Name and Address

**Emergency Contact Info:** Home Phone, Mobile Phone, Email

**Medical Information:** Allergies, Pre-Existing Conditions, Etc.

**Physician’s Contact Info:** Full Name, Address, Phone

*Please note that the program is subject to change; participants will receive a final program schedule NLT May 9, 2014. The FDB-Africa Consortium reserves the right to make changes in the program as necessary and to cancel the program without obligation due to insufficient enrollment or other circumstances beyond our control.*

**Vaccinations and Prescriptions**

Up-to-date vaccinations (yellow fever and hepatitis, and malaria medication) are highly recommended. Please consult your nearest consulate, as well as your physician, to ensure you have proper medical preparation for your trip. For all Rx medication, please hand-carry your prescription.

**Weather and Dress Code**

Participants will travel to Africa during the end of Fall, and should pack clothing for both cool and warm weather, since temperatures will fluctuate from region to region and from day to night. Dress code for business visits is business casual. We will go on a game drive, so please pack accordingly; recommended items include comfortable shoes, insect repellent, sunglasses, and wet weather gear.
Release and Assumption of Risk

I, the undersigned, being of legal age, do hereby agree and promise the following for and in consideration of my participation in a trip to sub-Saharan Africa to attend the Faculty Development in International Business program from May 12 through May 24, 2014, and all activities thereto:

I have volunteered to travel to Africa, for the purpose of participating in this program. I understand that it will be necessary to travel by public and/or private transportation; to stay in public and/or private lodging; and to dine at public and/or private facilities.

I agree and acknowledge that participation in this trip and its related activities is of my own free will. While I realize that I may participate in certain activities, which may promote and enhance the image and reputation of the State of South Carolina University system, the University of South Carolina, the Darla Moore School of Business, the South Carolina Center for International Business Education and Research-CIBER, the FdIB-AFRICA Consortium and the U.S. Department of Education, I acknowledge that I am acting neither as an employee nor agent of the State of South Carolina, the Board of Trustees, the University of South Carolina or any of their respective officers, employees or agents.

I agree and acknowledge that I am paying a fee that will cover some meals, in and around airfare, accommodations, ground transportation and activities specified in the program. I agree and acknowledge that I will have time for, and may engage in, personal activities unrelated to the purpose of the trip while I am in Africa. Such activities will be at my sole responsibility and risk.

I further acknowledge that in the course of the performance of any of the activities, which I have voluntarily assumed to perform during the trip, I expose myself to risks, known and unknown, of property damage or loss, as well as personal injury that could be painful, permanently disfiguring or debilitating and fatal. I fully assume these risks, which include, but are not limited to the risks with air and ground travel.


I, for myself and any others claiming through me, accept full responsibility for safety and expenses and assume the complete risk of any injury to myself or my property which may arise out of or in the course of may participation in this trip.

Signature ___________________________ Date ___________________________
Print Name ___________________________
Address ___________________________
Witness Printed Name ___________________________
Witness Signature ___________________________
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