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Field Studies in Belize
Ancient Mayan Civilization and Rainforest Ecology

Have you ever wanted to trek through the jungle, explore an ancient cave, and learn about the Mayans? Come to Belize, one of the most unique areas on the planet and experience all of that in a two credit class ICS101BEL/BIOL101BEL. **Must register for Fall 2012 semester. Applications and more information at [http://www.muskegoncc.edu/belize](http://www.muskegoncc.edu/belize).** Estimated cost is $1800-$1900 plus tuition and spending money for souvenirs. Passport is required - ask us for details.

Some of the potential activities of the trip include:
- Hiking in the jungle with local guides where you will encounter incredible biodiversity
- Tubing to and exploring Neko's Cave
- Visiting the Belize Zoo in Belize City
- Aiding in orchid conservation at Caves Branch Estate
- Water quality monitoring and sampling of the Sibun River
- Swimming at Blue Hole National Park or in Sibun River
- Visiting Tikal, Cahal Pech and Xunantunich (significant Mayan ruins)
- Bird watching (laughing falcons, toucans, hummingbirds)
- Experiencing local culture and shopping in San Ignacio

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