

Sustainability in Action: New Zealand & Fiji

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6 weeks 9 credits: Auburn University

The academic *and* experiential course of a lifetime.

Study the principles of sustainable travel in these iconic destinations.

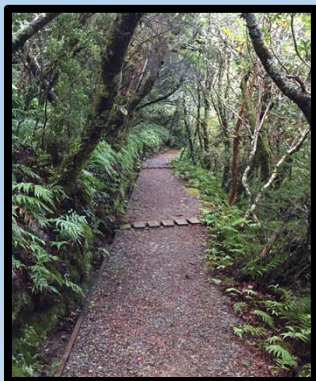


New Zealand: Nature-Based Tourism

- ❖ Learn the ecology, wildlife, and human history of this remarkable land.
- ❖ Journey to the southern tip of New Zealand and learn about the conservation of Yellow-Eyed Penguins, Royal Albatross, Hooker's Sea Lions, and Fur Seals.
- ❖ Tramp the famous Routeburn Track through deep valleys of lush rainforest emerging into dramatic views of snowy alpine peaks.
- ❖ Cruise the Milford Sound to the Tasman Sea and witness the waterfalls cascading down the stunning cliffs of these ancient glacier-carved fiords.
- ❖ Enjoy free time in Queenstown - the original extreme-adventure town.
- ❖ Explore Mt. Cook while an interpreter brings life to the story of the many majestic glaciers that carve out this living mountain.
- ❖ Learn the history and culture of the first people of Aotearoa, the Māori.

Fiji: Cultural Tourism

- ❖ Engage in a locally designed and led cultural experience.
- ❖ Through an extended experience on the island of Vorovoro and in the towns of Labasa and Savusavu you will....
- ❖ Embed yourself in local Fijian culture collaborating on community projects and through a family home stay.
- ❖ Experience authentic island life, customs, ceremonies, songs, cuisine, and day-to-day work of the Fijian people.
- ❖ Learn to live minimally, more simply, and more sustainably.
- ❖ Immerse yourself within the beauty of one of the world's largest barrier reefs.
- ❖ Work on a self-sustaining farm and experience a family-owned sugar cane operation.
- ❖ ...all while surrounded by the breathtaking beauty of the South Pacific.



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