Towson University Natural Resources and Economic Development in Botswana Summer 2020

(subject to change)

Saturday, May 23	Group flight departs U.S.
Sunday, May 24	Arrive in Johannesburg, South Africa Transfer by bus to the hotel Program orientation facilitated by provider Dinner on your own Overnight at Townlodge or Tambo in Johannesburg
Monday, May 25	Breakfast at the hotel Travel to Gaborone, Botswana by private bus (approx. 5h 30 min) Stop for lunch on your own on the way Check in to accommodation Group welcome dinner Overnight at the Woodlane Hotel in Gaborone
Tuesday, May 26	Breakfast at the hotel City tour of Gaborone Group lunch Visit to the Bank of Botswana Guest lecture #1: Monetary Policy in Botswana Dinner on your own Overnight at the Woodlane Hotel in Gaborone
Wednesday, May 27	Breakfast at the hotel Guest lecture #2: The Modern History of Botswana – Independence to the Present Lunch on your own Class: The Botswanan Economy plus student presentations on the Economies of South Africa [Dr. Christensen] (2 .5 hours) Dinner on your own Overnight at the Woodlane Hotel in Gaborone
Thursday, May 28	Breakfast at the hotel Class: Diamonds [Dr. Christensen] (2 .5 hours) Lunch on your own Class: Resource-led economic growth, the Resource Curse, and the role of institutions – part I [Dr. Christensen] (2.5 hours) Dinner on your own Overnight at the Woodlane Hotel in Gaborone
Friday, May 29	Breakfast at the hotel Visit to <u>Debswana Jwaneng Mine</u> by private bus (approx. 3h 45 mins) Boxed lunch to eat on the way Dinner on your own Overnight at the <u>Woodlane Hotel</u> in Gaborone

Saturday, May 30	Breakfast at the hotel Class: Resource-led economic growth, the Resource Curse, and the role of institutions – part II [Dr. Christensen] (2.5 hours) Guest lecture #3: Economics of HIV/AIDS in Botswana Lunch on your own Guest lecture #4: Community Based Toursim and Natural Resource Management Dinner on your own Overnight at the Woodlane Hotel in Gaborone
Sunday, May 31	Breakfast at the hotel Class: Introduction to Economics of Wildlife Management and Ecotourism and Test #1 [Dr. Christensen] (2.5 hours) Lunch on your own Free afternoon Dinner on your own Overnight at the Woodlane Hotel in Gaborone
Monday, June 1	Breakfast at the hotel Travel by private bus to Khama Rhino Sanctuary (approx. 3h 40 mins) Boxed lunch to eat and visit Lentswe-la-Oodi weavers and Matsieng footprints/rock carvings on the way Arrive at Khama Rhino Sanctuary Educational tour of the Sanctuary with a talk on its history and operations Group dinner at the sanctuary Overnight in the dorms at the Khama Rhino Sanctuary near Serowe
Tuesday, June 2	Early morning game drive Breakfast at the sanctuary restaurant Travel to Maun by private bus (approx. 5h) Stop on the way for lunch on your own Check in to the accommodation Dinner on your own Overnight at Audi Camp near Maun (tented accommodation)
Wednesday, June 3	Breakfast at the camp Okavago Delta full-day safari trip Group lunch Dinner on your own Overnight at Audi Camp near Maun (tented accommodation)
Thursday, June 4	Breakfast at the camp Bus to Okavango Research Institute Guest lecture #5: Ecological Econcomics and Valuation [ORI staff member] Group lunch at ORI Guest lecture #6: Sustainable Tourism [ORI staff member] Dinner on your own Overnight at Audi Camp near Maun (tented accommodation)

Friday, June 5	Breakfast at the camp Guest lecture #7: Climate Change and its Economic Impact [ORI staff member] Group lunch at the institute Guest lecture #8: Wildlife and Biodiversity Management in Bostwana [ORI staff member] Dinner on your own Overnight at Audi Camp near Maun (tented accommodation)
Saturday, June 6	Breakfast at the camp Free day Lunch and dinner on your own Overnight at Audi Camp near Maun (tented accommodation)
Sunday, June 7	Breakfast at the camp Moremi Game Reserve trip Lunch and dinner included Overnight in tented camp on safari
Monday, June 8	Breakfast at safari camp Check out in the late morning and return to Audi Camp Class: Group relfection [Dr. Christensen] (1 hour) Group farewell dinner Overnight at Audi Camp near Maun (tented accommodation)
Tuesday, June 9	Breakfast at the camp Transfer to Maun airport by private bus Group flight departs Botswana
Wednesday, June 10	Arrive in the U.S.