

# Israel Study Abroad Winter 2011

Special Topics in Social Work: Israel (19:910:959)  
A Crossroads of Religions, Ethnicities, Social Services, Cultures, and Civilizations

*For social work undergraduate and graduate students, and for upper division undergraduate and graduate students in other fields.*

**Dates:** January 2 - January 15, 2011

**About the Program:** Concentrating on organizational and community issues in the human and social services and cultural diversity, the program will include field visits to governmental and non-governmental organizations in Beer Sheva, Arad, Eilat, and Jerusalem, among others.

**Course of Study:** Upon completion of the study and tour and the required assignments, participants will receive 3-course credits from Rutgers University. Participants who choose not to receive academic credit may earn continuing education hours. Transcripts will not be released until all financial obligations related to the course are met.

**Program Estimated Costs:** The cost of this trip, not including airfare will be \$2,795 for New Jersey residents and \$3,095 for non New Jersey residents. This includes tuition for three credits, housing, orientations and basic medical insurance. Also included are scheduled group trips to Haifa, Tel Aviv, Eilat, Beer Sheva, and Jerusalem, Capernaum, Bet Shean, Caesarea, the Sea of Galilee, Masada, the Dead Sea, the Mediterranean Ocean, and the Red Sea. In Jerusalem visits will include the Old City, the Western Wall, the Dome on the rock/Temple Mount, the Holocaust Museum, Yad Vashem and the Markets.

**Housing and Meals:** Participants will stay in double occupancy hotels and hostels throughout the study tour, with breakfast included. Participants will enjoy freedom to dine out and try a variety of ethnic dishes at their own expense.

**Program Administration:** This course will be taught by the following School of Social Work faculty: **Bert J. Goldberg, MSW**; **Dr. Emily Greenfield**; and **Dr. Ronald Quincy**, among others.

**Application Deadline:** November 2, 2010. Applications are accepted until the program is full. Applications are available at <[studyabroad.rutgers.edu](http://studyabroad.rutgers.edu)> and include your most recent transcript, a one-page personal statement, including why you have chosen this program and what you would like to gain from studying in Israel, and one letter of recommendations from a professor.

