

SAWUBONA, SOUTH AFRICA! July 1 (depart US) – July 10, 2023 (return to US)

Join us to travel to Cape Town with other incoming first year Honors Carolina students. We have had an internship program in Cape Town since 1999, soon after the collapse of apartheid. The program currently runs every fall term and is built around the ongoing work of building a multiracial democracy in South Africa. On this trip, we'll explore the many ways Honors Carolina students contribute to that project, and we'll delight in South Africa's natural wonders.

Program Leader

• **Jim Leloudis**, Peter T. Grauer Associate Dean for Honors Carolina & Professor of History

Highlights

The full itinerary will be available to participants in the coming weeks. Highlights from previous years include:

- A tour of the <u>District Six</u>, <u>Slave Lodge</u>, and <u>Robben Island Museums</u>
- Visits with Honors Carolina internship partners, including <u>Abalimi Bezekhaya</u>, an
 urban farm and economic development organization in Khayelitsha, Cape
 Town's largest township, and the <u>Pinotage Youth Development Academy</u>, in
 Stellenbosch.
- Excursions to <u>Aquila Game Reserve</u>, <u>Cape Peninsula and Table Mountain</u>, and Kirstenbosch National Botanical Gardens.
- An overnight stay at Kopanong Bed & Breakfast in Khayelitsha Township.
 Founder and social development entrepreneur Thope Lekau will be our host.

Timing & Travel

Participants are strongly encouraged to travel as a group with Dean Leloudis. The group will depart Chapel Hill on the Saturday after the Honors Carolina summer orientation session. Extended housing will be available for students who attend that session. <u>All students under 18 must travel with Dean Leloudis</u>. Others may travel independently, if they wish.

We will share Dean Leloudis's travel itinerary upon confirmation of your participation in program.

Flights will depart the US on July 1 with arrival in Cape Town on July 2. Departure from Cape Town will be on July 9 with arrival back in the US on July 10.

Cost & Registration

Thanks to generous support from Honors Carolina alumni, we can offer this Cape Town adventure for a deeply discounted price of \$1,800, which covers the cost of lodging, airport transfers, museum tickets, game reserve fees, health insurance, and three meals per day. Limited scholarship support is available.

Airfare is not included in the program fee.

Students interested in participating should <u>sign up here</u>. For us to confirm your participation, we'll need to verify that you have:

- formally accepted your UNC admission offer
- paid your UNC enrollment deposit (or have a waiver on file)

Once confirmed, you will receive a follow-up email regarding payment procedures, passport requirements, and flight arrangements. Program participants will be billed via their UNC student account for the total \$1,800 program fee. A \$300 non-refundable deposit is due within two weeks of billing. The full balance is due by May 31.

Once 16 students have been confirmed, additional applicants will be wait listed.