SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY Fall Semester 2007 - EDUC 370-4 D100 (Education) Intercultural and International Education (India Field School)

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PREREQUISITES: 30 credits

This course can also be used as one of the required courses for the International and Global Education Minor in Education.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

In this course students will explore intercultural processes and the development of global perspectives. Educational approaches intended to support these investigations will be utilized and analyzed. We will explore approaches to communication and education which actively engaged students in developing understandings of positive interdependent relationships on local, national and global levels. Classrooms can be rich and diverse environments in which to develop intercultural and global perspectives. With this in mind, course readings and presentations are intended to support and deepen students understanding and explorations in relation to the whole Field School experience in India (home stay experiences, service learning opportunities, and other interactions).

EXPECTATIONS

You are expected to approach investigations from an open minded and critical perspective. You will maximize your learning and support the learning of others by actively engaging in class activities.

EVALUATION

Evaluation will be based on the following:	
Interview project in India	30%
Development and analysis of intercultural <i>critical incidents</i>	30%
Global issue - Investigation and presentation	30%
Participation and short assignments	10%

REQUIRED READINGS

Course readings will be provided in class.