

Sierra Leone: African Democracy and Socio-Economic Development

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This program will:

- Give students a first hand experience of the economic, social and environmental challenges faced by people in Sierra Leone.
- Expose students to Africa and explore the historic link between Africa and America during the Slave Trade.
- Give students an alternative perspective on poverty and race that contrasts, and complements, the American experience.
- Expose students to the postwar reconstruction, nation building, and democratization processes in Sierra Leone.
- Broaden the awareness of students about issues of cultural diversity and global interconnectedness.

Credit Available - Undergraduate: SOCI 335, SOCI 490, SOCI 495

Graduate: SOCI 572, SOCI 590

Courses may also be taken for Honors credit.

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