

Maymester 2018
3 week session



Agriculture

ARE 495 (002)

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



Tourism & Recreation



Manufacturing & Energy



Seafood & Mariculture

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Schedule

Week 1: May 16-18
Wed Thur Fri
1:00-4:30pm
NCSU Campus

Week 2: May 21-23
Mon Tue Wed
3 day/2 night Trip
Eastern Rural NC

Week 3: May 30
Wednesday
Submit final paper
via email

This course will teach students about economic development in rural North Carolina. The course will pull from the fields of economics, sociology, business, and natural resource management. The class will meet on campus for 3 afternoons the first week and off campus for a 3 day/2 night field trip the second week. Students will write a short paper to be turned in after the field trip experience. During the field trip, students will experience inland and soundside communities in the rural coastal plain. Students will interact with business and social entrepreneurs, economic development experts, and natural resource managers. Visits planned include a sturgeon caviar farm, an oyster hatchery, a solar farm, a hog farm, a manufacturing facility, and Croatan National Forest, as well as the communities like Kinston, Sealevel, and Swansboro. Lodging in Morehead City and transportation costs are covered. Students are responsible for their meals.

ABM Degree Fulfillment

This course will count as either an ARE 200/300 level elective, a restricted departmental elective, or as a free elective. Course will fit in the elective requirement for the ABM minor.