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Faculty-led Immersion



INDIA AND GLOBAL FEMINISMS WINTERIM 2019

Program Guide

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CONGRATULATIONS on being accepted to the UW-Eau Claire study abroad program with

Miranda House College/Women's Studies Development Center at the University of Delhi, India. Living and studying in a less familiar, more international culture is both an exciting and a challenging experience. Past participants of study abroad report that the many advantages of international study include:

Building upon existing world language skills
Gaining new perspectives on a chosen academic field
Increasing understanding of different cultures
Enhancing personal development
Developing different perspectives on U.S. culture
Gaining self-confidence and independence
Learning skills for the future international job market

It is up to you to determine how you can best benefit from these possible advantages. This is your experience!

This program guide is to be used together with the general Faculty-Led Study Abroad Handbook. The Handbook contains information that is pertinent to all faculty-led, short-term study abroad programs. This guide will provide you with specific information for the India Winterim program, complementing the Study Abroad Handbook, study abroad orientation, and your individual pre-departure preparations.

Please realize that although this guide was written to help you better prepare for your time abroad and contains all of the information available at the time of printing, it is impossible for any single resource to answer all of your questions. We strongly encourage you to contact your faculty leaders, the Immersions staff, and past program students on campus with your specific questions. You should also make use of the additional written and web resources listed near the end of this guide.

Basic questions only you can answer include:

- 1) What are YOUR goals for this experience? Common objectives of students abroad include advancement in future profession; desire to expand personal and academic horizons; need for a change; and the wish to challenge one's self by being immersed in a new culture.
- 2) Given the way the program is set up, how can you best prepare to meet your goals? For example, if one of your goals is to truly be immersed in the Indian culture—but the program is quite short, how can you best meet your goal?

The information in this guide was current at the time of printing, though changes may occur at any time.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Program

India has a long and rich history of women's movements and feminist activism. The 3-week Winterim program will discuss gender issues in the context of Indian higher education and local nonprofit social justice organizations. You will have unique opportunities for a range of collaborative exchanges among various groups by working intimately with Indian university students and teachers, NGO leaders, and members of the local communities. You will be studying alongside Miranda House College students, Kamla Nehru College and other students at University of Delhi as you all learn about gender in relation to Indian law and public policy, and teams of students from both institutions will work together with local NGOs on projects in nearby communities.

A combination of pre-departure lessons, on-site lectures, and tours of important cultural sites will provide participants a basic overview of India today. **Dr. Ari Anand** (Anthropology and Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies) and **Dr. Teresa Sanislo** (History and Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies) are the faculty leaders for this Winterim 2019 faculty-led immersion program.

The Location

New Delhi is the capital city of the Republic of India. It serves as the center of the Government of India and the Government of the National Capital Territory of Delhi. It is one of the fastest growing urban areas in the world, increasing in population by roughly 1 million people per year. According to the United Nations, the New Delhi metro area is expected to grow beyond 30 million people within the next couple of years.

Located in northern India and continuously inhabited since the 6th century, Delhi is a city where past, present, and future meet. New Delhi is the capital of the world's largest democracy, bringing together 28 million people from a rich array of ethnic, religious, economic, and cultural backgrounds. Class meetings while in India will be held at the Women's Studies Development Center (WSDC)/Miranda House College on the campus of the prestigious Delhi University, while the group activism projects will take place in and around the Delhi metro area.

The University

The University of Delhi, established in 1922, is the premier university of India and is known internationally for its high standards in teaching and research and attracts eminent scholars. Miranda House College is widely regarded as the premier institution for higher education of women in India. It was founded in 1948 and offers liberal education in humanities and science to more than 2.500 students. The WSDC was established by University of Delhi in 1987 to address women's issues in higher education. The Centre is the focal point for women's and gender studies at the University of Delhi. Another collaborating partner is the Indian Institute of Dalit Studies (IIDS). The IIDS focuses on issues facing marginalized communities, social exclusion, and discrimination and has international recognition as a center of excellence.

Program Calendar

January 3: Depart United States

January 4: Arrive in Delhi

January 5-6: In-country orientation, tour of local historical and cultural sites

January 7-11: Seminar at Women's Studies Development Center, DU/Miranda College on gender, law, and public policy in India

January 11-13: Golden Triangle Tour of Agra and Jaipur, including the Taj Mahal

January 14-18: Group fieldwork projects with local anti-poverty NGO ActionAid India, CFAR & NFI

January 19-20: Tour of historical and cultural sites

January 21-23: Share experiences and reports from group fieldwork projects

January 24: Depart Delhi early in the morning (just after midnight) and arrive in the United States

ACADEMICS

Program Prerequisites

To participate in this exchange program, you must be in good academic standing and have the minimum 2.3 GPA required. We check grades at the end of the fall semester prior to departure. If you are on probation, we will need to check with the faculty leader to see if you will be allowed to participate. If you have been suspended, you will not be allowed to participate in the program.

This program requires a 3-credit fall semester course on UWEC campus, WGSS 301: Examining Women's Studies. This course fulfills GE-IVE, 3 credits of Foreign Language/Foreign Culture, and 1 credit of Cultural Diversity. (Note that students pursuing a B.A., B.F.A., or B.M. degree in the College of Arts & Sciences MUST take the equivalent of two semesters of a foreign language to fulfill the FL/FC requirement. See the university catalogue for details.)

Attendance at the October 13th study abroad orientation plus completion of the fall prerequisite course is mandatory for participation in this program.

Credits and Grades

Upon successful completion of the program, you will earn 3 credits of WGSS **422 Advanced Travel Seminar**. This program also fulfills your service-learning requirement, and women of color / global women requirement for Women's Studies majors and minors.

Credits earned abroad on this program are considered UW-Eau Claire resident credits. The class you take abroad will count towards the total credits needed for graduation, and the grade will be figured into your GPA.

Grades

Class attendance and participation in fall class meetings, and in program lectures and excursions while in India is required of all students. The UW-Eau Claire Faculty Leader will issue grades for the course using the usual UW-Eau Claire A-F grading scale. Grades are typically not available until late February after you have submitted your final assignment.

Academics in New Delhi

The India program will be coordinated by Dr. Bijayalaxmi Nanda, Associate Professor of Miranda House College. The first week of the program in India will include a seminar on gender and Indian law and public policy taught by Dr. Nanda and domain experts including eminent activists, academics and researchers in the field of gender studies. The domain experts will include Manjeet Bhatia of Women's Studies Development Centre (WSDC), Kamla Bhasin of Sangat, historian Uma Chakravarti, Prof. Mary John & Indu Agnihotri of Centre for Women's Development Studies (CWDS), etc. That will be followed by a week-long volunteer project during which students collaborate in a field project conducted through the India branch of the anti-poverty agency, ActionAid India, Centre For Advocacy and Research (CFAR) and National Foundation of India (NFI). During the

final week, groups will return to the classroom to report back to each other the results of the projects.

Cultural Visits

Cultural visits in New Delhi include trips within the city as well as cultural visits to the neighboring cities and historic sites connected to Indian history and the women's movement. In addition to visiting major cultural sites, you will have the opportunity to experience Indian student culture via interactions with students at University of Delhi.

MONEY MATTERS

Information about how payments are made, when they are due, withdrawal/refund deadlines, financial aid, scholarships, budgeting and ways to bring money abroad is in your Study Abroad Handbook.

Undergraduate Costs Paid to UWEC

| UG tuition/fees (WI res, 3 credit Winterim) | \$1,102 |
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| Program Fee (including flight) | \$3,000 |
| Application Fee | \$ 30 |
| Total Estimated Program Costs: | \$4,130 |
| Estimated FLIIE Program Subsidy | -\$1,500 |
| Total Estimated Payment to UWEC | \$2,630 |

Additional Cost Estimates

| UG Total Estimated Costs | \$3,330 |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| Total Additional Costs | \$ 600 |
| Personal Expenses | \$ 200 |
| Additional Meals | \$ 200 |
| Passport / Photos / Visa | \$ 200 |

Minnesota residents may apply for reciprocity, while non-residents will pay non-resident tuition.

FLIIE Funding

This program is supported by Blugold Commitment FLIIE Funding for undergraduate UWEC students. While students are encouraged to participate in multiple high-impact immersion programs, each student is eligible to receive BCDT funding for only one FLIIE experience. Graduate and non-UWEC students are not eligible to receive this funding. Blugold Commitment funding is not able to cover costs of tuition, but will contribute \$1,500 per student towards the program fee in 2018.

Program Fee: What does it cover?

- International round-trip flight from Minneapolis/St. Paul (MSP) airport
- Course at University of Delhi
- Housing at International Guest House
- Cultural Tours including excursion to Agra
- In-country transportation (including to/from fieldwork location)
- Most meals while in India
- All activities, entrance fees, and site visits in the program itinerary

Souvenirs & Personal Travel

The amount of personal funds to cover souvenirs and personal travel will vary based on your shopping habits, off-program entertainment, personal spending habits, etc. We do not expect you will spend a lot on personal travel as you have limited opportunities to travel during the program due to a full calendar. Also, there is very limited time to travel after the program ends due to the start of spring semester at UWEC.

Program Refunds from UW-Eau Claire

The \$30 application fee is non-refundable. The withdrawal deadline for the program is October 1. No refunds are available after October 1, and if you withdraw after October 1, you will still be required to pay all program costs and any funds already committed on your behalf, up to the full program cost. All withdrawals must be in writing.

Undergraduate students who withdraw will lose their FLIIE funding. As such, they will be expected to pay ALL non-refundable program costs paid to UW-Eau Claire. For example, FLIIE funding covers \$1,500 of the program cost of \$3,000. However, a student who withdraws after the refund deadline

would be responsible for paying the entire \$3,000 estimated cost, which is the true cost of the program without the FLIIE subsidy. FLIIE program support is based on student enrollment and can only benefit students actually participating in program.

Currency Exchange

The currency of India is the Rupee. The exchange rate as of August 2018 is 69.5 rupees per U.S. dollar. You can find current exchange rates at http://www.oanda.com/convert/classic.

Credit Cards

In addition to the information on credit cards in your Study Abroad Handbook, you should be aware that **credit cards are not as widely accepted in India as they are in the U.S.** Only major stores, tourist hotels, and travel agencies usually take them.

ATMs: Credit / Debit Card Use

24-hour ATMs are plentiful in Delhi, Jaipur, Agra, and Mumbai as well as other large towns. The most commonly accepted U.S. cards are Visa and MasterCard. You can also draw cash as soon as you land at the Delhi airport. You should compare the international transaction fee charged by your different banks; the fee can range from 1-3%. Some travelers have reported ATMs snatching back money if you don't remove it within around 30 seconds; others have reported having to wait 30 seconds or more for the funds to be released from the machine.

Traveler's Checks

Traveler's checks are very rarely used anymore. ATMs have replaced the need for traveler's checks as traveler's checks can be burdensome to use. You can only cash them at a bank or exchange bureau, which may not be readily available outside the airport. It Traveler's checks are note recommended; instead, use debit cards to take out money in the local currency.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Additional information on these issues, as well as information on CISI insurance, is included in the Health Issues and Safety Abroad sections of your Study Abroad Handbook.

Immunizations

The Center for Disease Control (CDC) recommends that travelers to India discuss several vaccinations with a doctor at least 4-6 weeks prior to travel. Per the CDC, all routine vaccinations should be up to date prior to travel to any location. The CDC recommends that most travelers to India receive the following vaccines due to risk associated with contaminated water and food:

- Hepatitis A
- Typhoid

For a full list of immunizations suggested for India, please visit the CDC page: http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/destinations/traveler/n one/india

UW-Eau Claire's Student Health Services offers some routine immunizations (IG, tetanus, Hepatitis B, etc.) and health education on international travel for a small fee. Call them at: (715) 836-5360.

Often, your health insurance will cover the cost of immunizations. If your immunizations are not covered by your health insurance and you receive financial aid, you may want to meet with the Office of Financial Aid to inquire if these can be added to your total financial aid budget.

Yellow Fever

There is no risk of yellow fever in India. However, the government of India requires proof of yellow fever vaccination if you are arriving from a country with risk of yellow fever. This does not include the US. If you are traveling from a country other than the US or have a layover in Sub-Saharan Africa or

other yellow fever country, you will be required to show the yellow fever vaccine.

For a list of yellow fever countries, please see the CDC web site:

https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/yellowbook/2018/infectious-diseases-related-to-travel/yellow-fever

Malaria

According to the CDC, the risk of malaria is present throughout the country—including in the city of Delhi—and possess a moderate risk to travelers.

You should discuss your malaria prevention strategy with your doctor. The decision about what you will do about malaria is one you must make yourself. If you decide to take anti-malaria medication, follow the instructions from your physician carefully. Many anti-malaria medications can have serious side-effects. Remember that malaria is rarely acquired if you've taken the proper precautions. Malaria is spread through being bitten by an infected mosquito. Therefore, the best way to prevent malaria is to avoid getting bitten by mosquitoes!

To minimize mosquito bites:

- Cover up with clothing. Wear garments with a high neckline (or a bandana around the neck), long sleeves, long pants, and socks.
- Use a DEET-containing insect repellent (such as Off Deep Woods) on exposed skin AND permethrin, an insecticide, on clothing.
- Avoid shiny jewelry and perfumed cosmetics, as they attract mosquitos.
- If travelling on your own, choose accommodations with tidy grounds and air conditioning or with windows having wellfitting screens. Use mosquito netting elsewhere.
- Avoid local preventatives. Many are unproven, such as mosquito coils or Avon Skin-So-Soft.
 While these are popular folklore insect

repellents in the U.S., they perform poorly in scientific studies.

If you become ill:

Early treatment is essential if you do contract malaria. Consider any flu-like illness with fever in a malarial area to be malaria until proven otherwise.

Common symptoms of malaria include fever and chills, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, headaches, and dizziness. See a physician promptly! Delay in seeking medical care and delay in diagnosis increases the chances of complications. Malaria can occur as early as six days after being bitten by an infected mosquito to several months after exposure. Inform your physician of your recent travel to an area with a notable presence of malaria if you have flu-like symptoms after returning home.

Water

Although India is in the process of updating its water purification systems, **tap water is considered unsafe.** You should only drink bottled or boiled water at all times. You should even brush your teeth with bottled or boiled water!

Carbonated bottled water, soft drinks, beer, wine, hot tea, and coffee are usually safe. Be sure to wipe off the top of a bottle before drinking out of it, or ask for a straw. By making sure that you are drinking uncontaminated water, you can reduce your exposure to many diseases such as infectious hepatitis, cholera, diarrhea and dysentery. Where water is contaminated, ice is also contaminated—you may want to order drinks without ice. In general, stay away from any bottled water where the plastic of the bottle is not strong or clear, as this may mean the bottle was reused.

During the program, some bottled water will be provided; but you will need to purchase some bottled water when you are off-campus or on the Golden Triangle Tour. Traveler's diarrhea can often

lead to dehydration. Dehydration can also lead to constipation. Make sure to **stay hydrated** during the trip especially if you are losing liquids through illness or increased perspiration.

Other Keys to Staying Healthy

- Wash your hands frequently, always using soap.
- If you are buying food from street vendors, stick to breads or fruits that you peel yourself. (The knives used might be dirty.)
 Fruits that cannot be peeled, fruit juices diluted with water, raw vegetables, and salads that have not been washed with disinfected water should be avoided.
- Keep away from animals such as stray dogs, as they may carry rabies.
- In addition to bringing anti-diarrheal medication, some students experience the opposite effect. It is a good idea to bring along fiber snacks or constipation medication.

Medical Facilities on Campus

Miranda House has a health facility located near by the college. The healthcare facilities to the College students are provided through World University Service (WUS) Health Centre; a Centre of the University of Delhi. The Health Centre provides Outpatient Department facilities and medicines to the patients. It also provides necessary emergency medical services to the patients.

Alcohol & Drugs

Alcohol: The legal drinking age and laws governing alcohol consumption vary significantly from state-to-state in India. Some states prohibit the consumption of alcohol entirely. In states where alcohol consumption is allowed, the legal drinking age varies from 18 to 25. In the state of Delhi, the legal drinking age is 25. Penalties for violation vary by state and can be harsh.

Drugs: Marijuana and other "recreational" drugs are widely available in India, **and highly illegal.** Courts treat possession of cannabis as severely as possession of heroin. Be aware that the police target foreign drug users in bribe scams.

Sexual Harassment & Assault

Harassment: Sexual harassment is commonplace in India. Female travelers have reported everything from staring, lewd and suggestive comments to catcalls, and groping. Often these incidents occur in crowded areas such as market places, bus/train stations, and public streets. Women travelers in India are advised to respect local dress and customs as a way to minimize harassment.

Assault: Crimes against women including rape are common in India. Among large cities, Delhi has experienced the highest number of crimes against women. Although recent high-profile gang rapes have brought international attention to the problem of sexual assault, women still must maintain stringent security precautions. Suggestions include:

- Avoid public transport after dark without the company of known and trusted companions.
- Avoid isolated areas any time of day.
- Keep your hotel room number confidential.
- Lock your hotel room and use deadbolt locks / door chains while in your room.
- Hire only reliable cars and drivers. Avoid traveling alone in cabs at night.
- Keep conversations with unknown men short—getting involved conversations can be interpreted as a sign of sexual interest.

More Info on Health & Safety in India

Detailed information on crime, road safety, drug penalties, and security in India is included in the U.S. State Department Country Information Page about India. It is highly recommended that you read through this information carefully before traveling to India. Safety in and around New Delhi will be discussed during orientation in India.

Emergency Contacts

General emergency procedures are described in the *Study Abroad Handbook*, and the UW-Eau Claire faculty and the India coordinator at Miranda House and her team are available if difficulties arise. You will receive an emergency contact card prior to departure; be sure to keep it in your wallet at all times. The information is also on the *Contact Names & Addresses* page of this guide.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Passport

General passport information is included in your Study Abroad Handbook.

Visa

A visa is official permission to visit a country and is granted by the government of that country. It is your responsibility to obtain a tourist visa from the Indian government. If you plan to travel to other countries while you are abroad, you should verify visa requirements for each country by contacting the nearest consulate or your travel agency. You will be provided detailed instructions to apply for a tourist visa for India. You will receive information on the application process at Orientation.

PACKING TIPS

In addition to the general packing information in your Study Abroad Handbook, you should know the following about New Delhi.

Clothing & Weather

Even during January, New Delhi's coldest month, you can expect daytime temperatures to exceed 68°F, although the nights can be quite chilly, around 45°F with cold fronts arriving from the

Himalayas. Worth noting, December and January are known for their foggy conditions.

Attire for the program will be casual (most of the time). You will feel appropriately dressed in this attire and you will make other people feel comfortable too. Certain company / cultural visits may require specific items (closed-toe shoes, no shorts, etc.) and these details will be shared with you on the final itinerary.

In general, the days will be warm and the evenings cool. Keep in mind that central heating is not common so you should bring warm socks and warm sleeping attire (such as sweatpants). Take clothing that is machine washable and does not wrinkle easily. Bring clothing that is easy and quick to dry (only one pair of jeans is recommended), and can be layered for warmth / coolness depending on the temperature. Choose a color scheme and bring mixand-match clothing. Dark colors show dirt less quickly when you travel.

Appliances

The standard electric current in India is 230 volts. U.S. appliances such as hair dryers and electric razors run on 110 volts—meaning that **if you plug a** U.S. device built to function on 110 volts into a plug with 230 volts of electricity, you will likely burn up your appliance. If you plan to bring such appliances, you will need a converter (that adjusts the amount of electricity entering the appliance) and a plug adapter (to allow your device to fit into the electrical outlet in the wall). Or you may choose to simply buy the appliances you need while in India.

Other Items to Bring

- Alarm clock (no batteries should be in the clock during any flights)
- Camera
- Pepto-Bismol, Imodium, Tylenol, Cold meds, cough drops/tissues, constipation meds, etc.

- Prescription meds WITH the written prescriptions (always pack in your carry-on, not in your checked luggage that can get lost)
- Personal toiletry articles (not all products, especially feminine, will be available for purchase in India)
- Hand sanitizer or disposable wipes
- 1-2 Business casual outfits—means slacks / khakis, collared shirts, polo shirts, knee-length or longer skirts. Remember you are representing the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire and your home country.
- Shoes: One dressier pair, plus one pair of comfortable and broken-in walking shoes, and a pair of cheap shower sandals (to be used in the bathrooms, which tend to stay cold and wet)
- Warm socks (you will not wear your shoes at temples, in some peoples' homes) and the tile floors can feel quite cold
- DEET 30 mosquito repellant
- Travel umbrella

GETTING TO INDIA

Travel Arrangements

You will be traveling to and from India on a group flight with at least one of your Faculty Leaders. The flight details are:

January 3, 2019

United Airlines Flight # 3673 Depart Minneapolis / St. Paul (MSP) at 3:25pm Arrive Newark Airport (EWR) airport at 7:15pm

United Airlines Flight # 82 Depart EWR airport at 9:00pm Arrive New Delhi (DEL) at 9:30pm on January 4

It is your responsibility to arrive at the Minneapolis airport 3 HOURS before the flight's departure. Upon arrival to Delhi airport, a bus will

transport the group to the International Guest House, University of Delhi.

January 23, 2019

United Airlines Flight # 83 Depart New Delhi at 11:45pm on January 23 Arrive EWR airport at 4:35am on January 24

United Airlines Flight # 3423 Depart EWR at 8:37am on January 24 Arrive MSP at 10:57am on January 24

You must make your own arrangements to travel to your home city or back to Eau Claire upon arrival.

SETTLING IN

Housing

You will be staying in double-occupancy rooms at Delhi University's International Guest House, which is a short walk from the Women's Studies Development Centre / Miranda House College. Remember, you are going to India. The overall standard of living in India is lower than it is in the U.S., and the dorms may reflect this. If you expect the same standards you would find at a U.S. campus, you will be disappointed.

Finally, remember that you are going to a subtropical region. Walls are thinner (they don't need insulation), and insects are larger (they live year-round!) than they are in the Midwest. Cockroaches are common, as are other large insects. This is a part of life that often requires some adjustment! Keeping food sealed and wiping crumbs off counters helps reduce the appearance of these unwanted guests!

Food

Most meals during the program will be provided. While at the International Guest House, meals at the cafeteria are available. During fieldwork projects, you will take lunch to your site. Some meals during

international travel and on excursions are not included in the program cost. Remember that it will be Indian cuisine for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. You may want to bring your favorite granola bar or cereal bars to fill in for breakfast or between-meals snacks occasionally.

COMMUNICATION

Information on accessing your UW-Eau Claire email address, which you will need to check while abroad, is in your Study Abroad Handbook.

Time Difference

Delhi is 11.5 hours ahead of Eau Claire. For example, when it is 2:00 PM on a Thursday in Eau Claire, it is 1:30 AM on Friday in Delhi.

Telephone Information

From the U.S. to India: To call someone in India, you must first dial 011, which is the international dialing code. Then, dial 91 (the country code for India) and 11 (the city code for New Delhi) followed by the rest of the local number. Wi-Fi will be available at various locations throughout the wifi-based program. Downloading free communication apps like WhatsApp, Viber, or Signal allow you to make international calls for free to anyone who also has that app.

Computer / Email Access

If you do pack a laptop, consider bringing your own adapter. Again, the standard electric current in India is 230 volts. Be sure to check for a sticker on your computer that reads something like "110v/240v" to ensure your computer is equipped to function on more than 110 volts. If not, you will need to buy **both a converter and an adapter** in order to safely plug in your computer in.

Adapters are available inexpensively at electronics and travel stores. Make sure to always plug in on a power strip as there are often spikes and outages on power grids in India. Internet is available in a common lounge in Mirada House.

Useful Websites

Lonely Planet

https://www.lonelyplanet.com/India/delhi

Wikipedia

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/New_Delhi

Official Delhi Tourism Website

http://delhitourism.nic.in/delhitourism/index.jsp

Indian Government's Website

http://india.gov.in/

All About India according to the US State Dept.

http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/3454.htm

Indian History and Government

http://www.infoplease.com/ipa/A0107629.html

Women's Studies Development Centre, DU

http://wsdc.du.ac.in/

Miranda House

http://www.mirandahouse.ac.in/MirandaHouse/

Indian Institute of Dalit Studies

http://www.dalitstudies.org.in/

CONTACT NAMES & ADDRESSES

GENERAL UW-EAU CLAIRE & CISI CONTACT INFORMATION IS IN YOUR STUDY ABROAD HANDBOOK.

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UW-Eau Claire After Hours Numbers

(715)839-4972 or (715)577-9045

In an after-hours emergency, please call University Police at (715) 577-9045. Calls can be made to this number 24 hours a day. You may get an answering machine; however, an officer is alerted as soon as you have left your message. Be sure to give the officer the phone number you can be reached at, as well as what type of assistance you require.

OTHER RESOURCES

The U.S. Department of State offers additional useful travel information In the "<u>Traveler's</u> <u>Checklist</u>" along with other helpful tips and suggestions on their site.

U.S. EMBASSY IN NEW DELHI

American Center U.S. Embassy Shantipath, Chanakyapuri New Delhi - 110021

Tel: 011-2419-8000

Fax: +91-11-2419-0017

American Center 24, Kasturba Gandhi Marg New Delhi - 110001

Tel: 011-2347-2000

Email addresses:

 $Nonimmigrant\ visa: \underline{infousdelhi@vfshelpline.com}$

American Citizens Services: <u>acsnd@state.gov</u>

General: NDwebmail@state.gov

Webmaster questions: NDwebmail@state.gov
Website: http://newdelhi.usembassy.gov/

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