

INTERNATIONAL INDIGENOUS STUDIES 312

August 18-25th, 2012

Cultural Immersion



International Indigenous Studies in partnership with Canadian Roots Exchange is offering a seven day cultural exchange course visiting First Nations and Metis communities across Southern Alberta from August 18 – 25, 2012.

Students will be led by an instructor and two Aboriginal student leaders on a cultural exchange of several Aboriginal communities in Southern Alberta. The possible communities include Siksika, Kainai and Piikuni First Nations and the urban Aboriginal community in Calgary. The trip will provide cultural experiences to the participants as well as lectures, workshops and discussions to promote cross-cultural understanding of the cultures, histories and contemporary realities of Albertan Aboriginal peoples. It will be an opportunity for students to learn about the sacred and secular spaces of Aboriginal communities in Southern Alberta which will incorporate several overnights at cultural and historical venues. For further information, contact the course instructor, Professor Ramona Beatty, at ramonabeatty@shaw.ca

