**Interim Costs:**

The cost of this Interim is $3300-4300 (cost dependent on enrollment). This includes:

- Round-trip airfare from the U.S. to Cape Town and flight from Windhoek to Cape Town
- Hotel accommodations in Cape Town and Windhoek
- 14 day “safari” with Mr. Burger Jordaan of Inbuka Safaris transportation in a 24 passenger self-contained safari truck with all camping and cooking equipment.
- all meals provided except for 3 meals in Cape Town and Windhoek
- water for drinking and hygiene
- national park and game reserve entrance fees
- camping fees
- basic tip for Mr. Jordaan, our guide who will accompany us 24 hr/day for entirety of the ground portion in South Africa and Namibia
- Airport transfers.

**Important note:** The cost of food is included in the fee charged by our tour operator. Students will assist with the planning of meals, purchasing of food from local grocers, and preparing those meals at each campsite. Mr. Jordaan will supervise all of these activities. Thus all food is provided with the exception of 3 meals in Cape Town and Windhoek.

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**Africa: Life Abundant!**

We land in cosmopolitan Cape Town, South Africa, with its bright beaches and blue water, its white-English gentry and high-stepping fashion-models, its vibrant culture-clash of poverty and wealth. After two days in Cape Town exploring Table Mountain for spectacular views of the peninsula and perhaps encountering wild baboons in the fynbos, our safari vehicle takes us north, through Namaqualand and the Richtersveld, where the diversity of weird and wonderful plant-life is the highest on earth and the wildlife includes African penguins along the beach where we’ll camp. We cross the Orange River into Namibia and meet the Dama people, learning how they have constructed a rich and complex culture in the vastness of their arid world. Then through the canyons and dunes of Namibia we continue our northward journey-studying the desert adaptations of people and other biota—until at length we reach Etosha, the most spectacular wildlife-park in southwestern Africa, where two days and nights filled with game drives will allow us to study firsthand the behaviors of lions, kudus, wildebeasts, springbok, impala and other animals of the African bush. By the time we fly from Windhoek to Cape Town to home, we’ll have lived in safari tents, eaten first-class food, taken multiple gigs of digital photos, and learned first-hand the fundamental principles of drylands ecology. Our 16 day odyssey will be sandwiched in between three days of preparation and three days of processing, all in Spartanburg.

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**The cost of the Interim does not include:**

- Transportation from Spartanburg to airport of departure (most likely Charlotte)
- Passport
- Any medical expenses (i.e. vaccinations)
- Cell phones and phone cards (Note: phone access is very limited in Namibia.)
- Binoculars for each participant
- Field guides, travel guides, and texts (None of these required and the professors will have a sufficient number of copies to share.)
- Three meals in cities (estimated $30 US)
- Entertainment, including tips for performances by native tribes people, singers, dancers — $75*
- beverages and snack foods — $60*
- souvenirs — $150*

*median as reported by 16 students surveyed in 2008 Namibia/Botswana project; on that same trip, miserly professors Davis and Abercrombie spent nearly nothing.