

Fiji 2019 – BIOL 422: Tropical Ecology

- 5.14.19 – Fly from Dulles to Los Angeles, then from LA to Nadi, Fiji [cross international date line]
- 5.16.19 – Arrive in Fiji. Orientation and introduction to Fiji
- 5.17.19 – Explore Upper Navua Conservation Area; discover native plants and uses
- 5.18.19 – White-water rafting down Upper Navua River; explore tropical canyon along way
- 5.19.19 – Village immersion of culture and community; discover use of river ecosystem
- 5.20.19 – Village project associated with local flora and fauna
- 5.21.19 – Kayak Navua River to ocean; witness ecological transitions while on the water
- 5.22.19 – Travel by boat to the island of Beqa. Participate in traditional kava ceremony
- 5.23.19 – Snorkel to discover amazing reef biodiversity and learn village connections
- 5.24.19 – Explore a mangrove ecosystem and interact with villagers
- 5.25.19 – Travel to Colo-I-Suva. Examine impact of eco-tourism on local forests.
- 5.26.19 – Search the rainforest for endemic birds. Visit University of South Pacific's Herbarium
- 5.27.19 – Explore Colo-I-Suva National Park and identify urban ecosystems and human impact
- 5.28.19 – Visit Suva's Natural History Museum and municipal market
- 5.29.19 – Enjoy a day at the beach reflecting on the trip's varied experiences before flight home
- 5.30.19 – Arrive back to Dulles