

Illinois Social Innovation Global Scholars Program

Social Innovation in **ISRAEL** Tel Aviv & Jerusalem

January 5-16, 2020

BUS 199, 2-credits (S/U)

Program Fee: \$3000



Develop global perspective, gain inspiration from social innovators tackling complex social and environmental problems, and build teamwork and changemaking skills as you execute your own social innovation project!

- Gain intercultural insights in a global immersion in Israel (Startup Nation)
- Get inspired by social innovators and entrepreneurs in a global context
- Explore the Global Goals for Sustainable Development
- Collaborate with teammates to ideate solutions to the Global Goals
- Implement a social innovation project during spring'20 semester
- Share your work with the community and inspire others to action
- Receive a \$1000 scholarship, mentorship, resources, and peer support

Application Deadline: September 15, 2019

Open to ALL majors. Some spots reserved for Gies students. You must apply for the Global Scholars Program at <https://forms.illinois.edu/sec/6103589> AND submit a separate application via Study Abroad. Go to studyabroad.illinois.edu and click "My Study Abroad" then "Program Discovery" and search "BUS Israel". For questions, contact Valeri Werpetinski at werpetin@illinois.edu or studyabroad@business.illinois.edu.

Study Abroad Highlights:

State of Mind Innovation Center
Meet the Founders Startup Excursion
Social Finance Israel
Impact Labs
Social Enterprises
MassChallenge Israel
Innovation Space at ALYN
Lakiya Negev Bedouin Weaving
Middle East Entrepreneurs of Tomorrow
Old Port of Jaffa
Shabbat at the Western Wall
Temple Mount
Christian Quarter
Jewish Quarter
Arab Souk in the Old City
Tower of David
Genesis Land
Desert oasis of Ein Gedi
Desert fortress of Masada
Floating in the Dead Sea
Optional trip to Bethlehem

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