

GLOBAL AND INTERNATIONAL GROUP PROJECT

GINS 3100 (0.5 CREDITS), GLOBAL AND INTERNATIONAL GROUP PROJECT PROJECT WINTER 2018: FOOD SECURITY, LIMA, PERU

In this course, students have the opportunity to gain real-world research and project development experience from the classroom in Ottawa. Under the direction of a Carleton instructor, students groups work together as "e-volunteers" with an overseas partner. For Winter 2018, through our innovative e-learning environment, students will partner with CUSO International and a number of local partners on a ground-breaking community-based project in Lima, Peru. The project focuses on food security, climate change and small-farmer income generation in an urban setting. The course provides opportunities for students to develop practical skills in project management, monitoring and evaluation, and grant writing. Students will have the opportunity to engage in a community-based

project, to enhance inter-cultural skills, and to make a contribution to the food security of the urban poor in Lima, Peru. Beyond this, students also have the unique opportunity to work in consultation with professionals in the field, and community leaders in Lima, providing foundations for meaningful career networks.



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Dates and Deadlines:

Course Offering: Winter 2018

This course is open to all undergraduate students (not just BGInS students) with third year standing or higher. For BGInS students, it satisfies the International Experience Requirement (IER). BGInS students taking this course are not eligible to apply for the IER bursary. Registration for the course is through the normal course registration system.



Academic Requirements:

- Third year standing or higher
- Priority will be given to BGInS students if the course is over-subscribed.

Financial Considerations:

Costs: Tuition only. No other course-related costs.

Primary Contact:

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