

Dear Students,

The application for the Winter 2023 Global Learning Opportunity will open on July 17 at 9 am CT! Students taking part in the Winter GLO may **not** enroll in another Winter session course.

Destination: Kenya (Nairobi and Mombasa)

Required virtual pre-travel class meetings will be on Tuesday and Thursday nights on Dec. 19, 21, 28 and January 2 from 6:30-9:30 pm CST.

In-country class from January 6-13, 2024 (Arrival on January 6th will likely require departure from US a day earlier).

Application Process

Complete the [online application](#) by the priority deadline of September 30th, 2023 (11:59 pm).

(Link will be live on July 17, 9 am)

Kenya Application

- NOTE: You will need a headshot and your passport information, including a clear scan or photo of the information page, to complete the online application form. If you do not have a current passport, you may still register, but **please apply for one immediately**. The GLO application form should take about 10 minutes to complete and must be finished in its entirety to submit.
- Additional details about faculty, draft itineraries, etc. will be available at <https://tippie.uiowa.edu/current-students/mba-students/global-learning-opportunities>.

GLO Participation Prioritization:

1. Admitted students (MBA or MSBA) who have not completed a GLO previously
2. Admitted students repeating the experience

The timestamp when you submit your completed application will be used for determining priority. A complete online application must be submitted by the **Priority Deadline of September 30th, 11:59 pm**. You will receive notification of your participation the following week and will be manually registered in the course by Iowa MBA program staff (you will **not** have the ability to sign up via MyUI--please use the online application instead). The program is open to all Iowa MBA students and is limited to 35 students total, so apply early to ensure a spot.

Costs

Program Fee: \$1650

- Billed to your November U-bill
- Non-refundable if withdrawing after October 15, 2023
- The application provides details on what the program fee covers.
- *Optional single room supplement is charged to your November U-bill: \$392—please indicate in your application if you would like a single.*

Some companies will reimburse the portion of the program fee that is related to the business content of the GLO experience. Documentation will be available upon request.



Tuition: \$2250

- 3 s.h., billed to your December U-bill

GLO Scholarships

Students who are planning to participate in a GLO trip and identify with groups traditionally underrepresented in study abroad programs may be eligible for a one-time \$1000 scholarship to offset costs of the program fee or airline tickets. This includes but is not limited to:

- Students from racial and ethnic backgrounds that are under-represented on the UI campus
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender (LGBTQ+) students
- Students with disabilities
- Students who are the first in their family to attend college or university ("first generation" college students)
- Students who are veterans
- Students with a history of overcoming adversity based on group identification or affiliation

Scholarship applications must be submitted by September 30th, 2023. Recipients will be notified by October 9, 2023.

To apply, please use the following link– [GLO Scholarship](#). GLO Scholarship applications will not be considered if the applicant has not completed the GLO pre-enrollment form by September 30th, 2023.

Airfare: on your own \$ depends on departure city, but from Iowa around \$1600 currently---please do not book until your participation has been confirmed.

Participation limited to current students

- Only students who are officially registered for the GLO may participate during the official dates of the course. No guests are permitted during these dates.
- Some participants opt to extend their trip so guests can join outside the official dates.

COVID-19 Protocols: We will be required to follow country-specific rules and regulations regarding COVID-19. This may include mandatory negative tests or proof of vaccination for entry requirements.

Best,
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