

NELSON MANDELA  
UNIVERSITY

INTERNATIONAL  
**SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMME**  
IN **SOUTH AFRICA**



# Community Service Learning

An opportunity to demonstrate and develop global competence through volunteer work. You will develop an understanding of the current issues impacting community life in South Africa.

***Credit Value***

Valued at 3 USA credits or 6 ECTS credits

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## Participants in the Community Service Learning Programme will be able to volunteer their time and skills and in the process, gain an understanding of the development challenges facing South Africa.

The aim of this programme is to provide students with an opportunity to demonstrate and develop their global citizenship through volunteer work. Students will develop an understanding of current issues impacting community life in South Africa. They will experience this first hand through their volunteer work.

### Programme Presentation

The programme is facilitated by NMU academics and community experts. Lectures consist of theoretical and interactive sessions. Through lecture preparation and active participation will ensure an optimum learning experience. Incorporated in the programme are also visits / excursions that will immerse students into South Africa's rich cultural and environmental heritage.

### On completion of this programme students will:

- A theoretical understanding of, as well as practical exposure to, the face and impact of poverty in South Africa
- A broad understanding of the process and principles of community development
- The ability to apply the principles of asset-based community development while volunteering at projects
- Knowledge of and experience in building relationships to participate in the development of people

## Where is Nelson Mandela Bay?

Port Elizabeth - Nelson Mandela Bay is the beautiful coastal city where the Nelson Mandela University is located.



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