Education Practicum in Thailand

Educators Without Borders

Now accepting applications for June 2-30, 2013

The Program: The MSU Department of Education offers undergraduate and graduate students the opportunity to teach middle and secondary students in Koprah School, Nakhon Sawan, Thailand. This opportunity is for all MUS students with an interest in education and international professional development. This is a great opportunity to co-teach with professional Thai educators and develop skills for future employment.

Purpose:
- Provide practical international opportunities
- Gain experience in multicultural contexts
- Experience in-depth immersion in Thai culture
- Participate in Southeast Asia political and economic development

Thailand is referred to as the Land of Smiles. It is true! Thai people are friendly, accommodating and the food is GREAT! Throughout Thailand there are local markets with native foods, clothes and other interesting indigenous products. Nakhon Sawan is a medium sized city in the central part of Thailand with easy access to the northern mountain region, ancient archeological sites and UNESCO World Heritage Parks. It is a classic Thai community with traditional cultural values. Few tourists visit Nakhon Sawan providing an authentic cultural experience.

Participants:
- Education majors who want international teaching experience
- Students in any major interested in international education
- People who want to broaden their professional background
- Students interested in collaborative international research

Qualifications:
- Graduate or undergraduate student in good standing (2.5 GPA)
- Cooperation and positive participation in team projects
- Personal Maturity and Good Physical Health

Cost: all expenses, including housing, food, cultural tours, travel = $3,900

Obtain an application form from the MSU-Bozeman Department of Education, Office of Field Placement, 246 Reid Hall or email fieldplacement@montana.edu. Applications and registration for EDU 490R (3 credits) are due January 18, 2013. For more information contact Pat Ingraham, Field Placement Office, 994-6277.