

# 2018 Bonner Scholar Delegation

## *El Salvador Tour*

Wednesday, August 8<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **Overview**

This tour is designed to introduce Bonner scholars to political, economic and ethical issues in global engagement and service learning. Using the medium of a collaborative work project and home stays, Bonner scholars will have opportunities to compare and contrast cultures, develop a deeper appreciation of issues of inequality and economic justice, and explore how these learnings impact their thinking and trajectories as North Americans. This experience will include pre-departure work and orientation, presentations by Central Americans and daily directed reflections.

### **Highlights**

- Historic and cultural orientation with visits to the Archbishop Oscar Romero sites.
- Four days of collaborative work in building a dental clinic in La Mora, El Salvador.
- Five nights of home stay in a Salvadoran village
- An afternoon exploring the colonial town of Suchitoto
- Great food and conversation with CoCoDA staff, Salvadorans and your fellow scholars.

A full itinerary is below.

### **Cost**

\$1,000 per person plus airfare. (See cost reduction factors on the registration form)

This fee covers all in country expenses other than snacks and souvenirs as well as providing the community with \$200 of project support.

### **Requirements**

A current passport and an insatiable curiosity.

(Spanish language capacity is helpful, but not required)

### **Reservations**

Individuals wishing to attend the Bonner Scholar Delegation should fill out the attached registration form and send a non-refundable deposit of \$150 to CoCoDA, 5055 W. 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Indianapolis, IN 46224 or pay via the Paypal button at [www.cocoda.org](http://www.cocoda.org).

**Reservation Deadline: June 15th, 2018. (Limited to first 25 registrants)**

## 2018 Bonner Scholar Delegation Tentative Itinerary

Day	Time	Activities
Wed 8 Aug	Noon	Arrival at airport
	2:30:00 PM	Check in at International Guest House
	3:30:00 PM	Orientation / Fair Trade Matrix
	5:00:00 PM	History of El Salvador
	6:30:00 PM	Dinner: Group Introductions and Hopes
Thu 9 Aug	7:00:00 AM	Breakfast
	8:00:00 AM	Visit Divina Providencia Hospital
	10:30:00 AM	War Memorial
	12:30:00 PM	Lunch
	2:00:00 PM	Centro Monseñor Romer UCA
Fri 10 Aug	6:00:00 PM	Dinner: Charity vs. Reparations
	7:00:00 AM	Breakfast
	8:30:00 AM	Leave for La Mora
	9:30:00 AM	Welcome in La Mora
	12:00:00 PM	Lunch
Sat 11 Aug	1:00:00 PM	Work on the construction project
	4:00:00 PM	Time to clean up and rest
	6:30:00 PM	Dinner: Cultural Humility
	7:00:00 AM	Breakfast
	8:00:00 AM	Work on the construction project
Sun 12 Aug	12:00:00 PM	Lunch
	1:00:00 PM	Work on the construction project
	4:00:00 PM	Time to clean up and rest
	6:00:00 PM	Dinner: Understanding Migration
	7:00:00 AM	Breakfast in La Mora
Mon 13 Aug	8:30:00 AM	Boat Tour to Copapayo
	12:00:00 PM	Lunch in Suchitoto
	1:00:00 PM	Free time in Suchitoto
	5:30:00 PM	Leave for La Mora
	6:00:00 PM	Dinner
Tue 14 Aug	7:00:00 AM	Breakfast
	8:00:00 AM	Work on the construction project
	12:00:00 PM	Lunch
	1:00:00 PM	Work on the construction project
	4:00:00 PM	Time to clean up and rest
Wed 15 Aug	6:00:00 PM	Dinner and goodbye ceremony
	7:00:00 AM	Breakfast
	TBD	Leave for the airport



## **Bonner Scholar Registration Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ (Non-University e-mail preferred)

Male    Female   Age: \_\_\_\_   College Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

I have paid via Paypal or am enclosing a check for \$150 to hold a spot on this delegation. Once the delegation has eight or more registrants, I will be notified that the trip is confirmed and my deposit will become non-refundable. At that time, I will be supplied with more trip information as well as necessary contracts and documentation.

The remaining payment of \$850\* and all documentation and waivers will be due by July 15th 2018. I understand that I will be responsible for my airfare.

If you need further information, please contact [jim@cocoda.org](mailto:jim@cocoda.org).

**\*If the trip has more than 15 registrants, the total cost of the trip will be reduced to \$900 plus airfare. If the trip has more than 20 registrants, the total cost of the trip will be reduced to \$800 plus airfare.**