Explore Kathmandu and then walk the trails in the foothills of Everest. The trip involves trekking to the rural villages of Bupsa and Bumburi in the lower Solukhumbu region of the Himalayas where participants will work on relevant projects which are developed and supported by Moving Mountains Nepal and improve the lives of the communities without affecting the traditions and way of life of the local Sherpa people.

The trip will provide you with a great insight and first-hand experience on the connections between tourism and social entrepreneurship and you will witness how tourism, international development and social enterprise has completely transformed these villages in this stunningly beautiful part of the world surrounded by the Himalayan mountains. This two-week walking workshop is in association with the charity Moving Mountains and the award-winning responsible travel company Adventure Alternative.

**Highlights:**
- Explore Kathmandu
- Visit World Heritage Listed Cultural sites
- Walk the trails in the foothills of Everest
- See firsthand the powerful impact of tourism in community.
- Work with international teams and local people on tourism projects to improve the life of local villagers

**Cost for Participation:**
- Approx $2700 per person (does not including airfare to Kathmandu)

Interested in Participating? Contact Dr Jonathon Day jonday@purdue.edu

Callout: February 5, 2020 6:00 pm in Marriott 265 Pizza and refreshments