Spanish Studies Abroad

The Center for Cross-Cultural Study

Seville, Spain

Alicante, Spain

Barcelona, Spain

Córdoba, Argentina

Havana, Cuba

San Juan, Puerto Rico

Learn the Language  Travel the Land  Live the Life
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Thank you to all our students who have contributed to the beauty of our catalog with photographs and testimonials.
Dear Spanish Studies Student,

Let us tell you how it will end: You pack up your bags, notebooks, little treasures you’ve collected and you’ll embrace your friends, your host family, your professors and you will wrap this memory into a beautiful package. You will return with new language skills, a second home, and a better sense of yourself. You have arrived at the end of complete immersion. You’ve challenged yourself to take risks, to overcome obstacles, and to dedicate time to your education as a global citizen.

This is how it will begin: Which program is right for you? How do you know it will provide you with everything you need? Flip through our materials, contact our staff, talk to our alumni, join us on our social media sites, visit our website, and talk to your professors and advisors. Then sit down and start your application.

Embrace the journey: You have made a decision to study abroad and truly immerse yourself in the Spanish language and culture. Trust it. Be Spanish, be Argentine, learn to live in a new country, learn to live in Spanish!

We are a family: Spanish Studies Abroad started out in 1969 as the Center for Cross-Cultural Study. A husband and wife, both from the United States, raised a family in Spain and the US all the while providing students once in a lifetime opportunities to study, live, and travel throughout Spain. Today the Spanish Studies Abroad family includes an academic director, regional directors and staff in Spain and Argentina, a US support staff, plus every student and faculty member who walks through our doorway.

Abrazos,

The Spanish Studies Family
**Experience Since 1969**

Spanish Studies Abroad has provided unique learning experiences for students in the historic city of Seville, Spain since 1969. Our programs have since expanded to Alicante and Barcelona in Spain, Córdoba, Argentina; San Juan, Puerto Rico; and Havana, Cuba. As a pioneer in the field, Spanish Studies Abroad knows what it takes to make your experience academically, culturally and personally rewarding. With a strong dedication to academic integrity and an emphasis on each student’s personal growth, Spanish Studies Abroad has developed a reputation for the superior quality and value of our programs.

**THE MISSION**

The mission of Spanish Studies Abroad is to promote our students’ in-depth understanding of Spanish-speaking countries through specifically designed and academically rigorous university-level and cultural travel programs. All of our students cross cultural boundaries to live as members of another culture and thus to learn about others as they learn about themselves.

**ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

Spanish Studies Abroad programs use the following tools to cultivate your cultural, linguistic and personal growth:

1. **Intensive Language & Culture**
   All Spanish Studies Abroad semester programs require at least one Spanish language course. This initial focus helps you develop the linguistic and cultural tools necessary to effectively engage in the new culture. You will also achieve greater comprehension of your studies and daily experiences.

2. **Guided Cross-Cultural Reflection**
   All Spanish Studies Abroad programs are grounded in our philosophy of cross-cultural study. We encourage you to venture outside one cultural identity to find a comfortable place inside another. All Spanish Studies Abroad semester programs guide you through this exciting and sometimes confusing process by offering courses specially designed to help with your cultural adaptation.

3. **Spanish-Only Policy**
   The Spanish-Only Policy is a tool that promotes cultural integration and reflects the commitment you make while immersing yourself in the new culture. This commitment allows you to gain a profound awareness of the local culture and to experience a greater feeling of engagement.

**THE SPANISH STUDIES ABROAD PROGRAM MODEL**

To help you achieve your specific academic and cultural goals, Spanish Studies Abroad offers two program models:

**Integration at Local Universities**

Spanish Studies Abroad cooperates with local host institutions. We provide you with all the benefits of direct enrollment, including access to campus resources and community. On-site resident directors and special Spanish Studies Abroad cultural adaptation courses help you through the immersion process. This support is invaluable when working through the challenges of studying at a foreign institution, living with a host family or student residence, and navigating the multitude of opportunities to participate in the local culture.

**Independent Programs in Seville**

At our Center in the heart of Seville, you benefit from Spanish Studies Abroad-designed courses that fully incorporate critical thinking and writing across the curriculum. These courses help you develop your ability to respond critically in spoken and written Spanish. You learn to listen, read, think and answer complex questions critically and completely. A dedicated faculty and support staff are available to help you make the most of your time abroad by offering various opportunities for cultural immersion both in and out of the classroom. Lastly, the curriculum at our Center is designed to specifically meet the requirements of U.S. institutions.
Cultural Guidance
All Spanish Studies Abroad programs are grounded in the philosophy that cross-cultural reflection, language preparation and the guidance of a resident director are essential elements to the successful transition of being a student abroad. These tools help you gain confidence as you live in the local culture.

Direct Immersion
Every student attending a Spanish Studies Abroad program becomes directly immersed in the local culture through the nature of the program, which includes:
• Native professors
• Homestays
• Cultural excursions
• Speaking partners

Take advantage of all the opportunities Spanish Studies Abroad offers and interact daily with locals to learn as much as you can about your host city.

Experiential Learning
Truly immersing yourself means seeking to participate meaningfully in the local culture. From internships to sports clubs, Spanish Studies Abroad provides you with the connections and resources to pursue your interests and explore new ways of interacting with locals and making friends abroad.

For-credit opportunities:
• Internships
• Service Learning
• Living the Culture
• Independent Research Project
• Practicum in Education

Non-credit opportunities:
• Volunteer Work
• Speaking Partners
• Tutoring local kids learning English
• Access to on- and off-campus clubs and organizations

“I loved being able to immerse myself in the language and culture, there was a good balance of independence and opportunities offered throughout the program. My homestay situation was fantastic, and it was a great chance to experience life in Spain and practice the language.”

- Lydia Rice, Birmingham-Southern College
Spanish Studies Abroad Programs Overview

PROGRAM STRUCTURE
Spanish Studies Abroad offers the following program models to meet the needs of students at all levels of Spanish.

1. THE SPANISH STUDIES PROGRAM
Take courses in Spanish specifically designed for study abroad students. Courses are with other U.S. or international students studying Spanish language and culture. Spanish Studies Abroad on-site resident directors and/or local professors teach a cultural adaptation course to help you through the immersion process.

2. THE INTEGRATED STUDIES PROGRAM
Advanced students enroll in up to three courses at the local host university to complement the Spanish Studies Program curriculum. We provide you with all the benefits of direct enrollment, including access to campus resources and integration into the university community. On-site resident directors assist each student individually with course selection, registration and access to tutoring.

3. INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PROGRAM IN ENGLISH
Take courses through the local university in English. Some courses are offered in Spanish for those with more advanced skills. All locations have a required Spanish course and choose electives in English. Benefit from cultural excursion activities and support from our resident director. A variety of courses include humanities, business, science and more.

4. INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS PROGRAM IN ENGLISH
Take university courses, Spanish language courses and business-related courses (in English). Work with Spanish Studies Abroad on-site resident directors to choose from courses in a variety of fields with American, international and local classmates. Complement the program with a business internship.

5. SHORT-TERM PROGRAMS
For students who can’t get away for more than a shorter time period. Short-term programs (Summer, May, and January) offer language and area studies courses for all levels of Spanish. Boost your career with a short-term program. Length of terms vary. See program pages for details.

6. INTERNSHIP & SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAMS
Gain hands on experience side-by-side with local workers and volunteers while earning credit and learning Spanish. See page 6 for more details on this program.
PROGRAM TERMS
Combine any term and location.

- Semester
- Quarter
- May Term
- January Term
- Summer
- Academic Year

PROGRAM FEATURES

- Programs for all levels of Spanish, including beginners
- Pre-departure support
- Scholarships
- Intensive language instruction
- Integration at local universities
- Resident director & 24/7 support staff
- Tutoring
- Computer labs
- Tuition, room and board
- Transcript
- Medical insurance
- Homestay and student residence options
- Courses to suit your major or minor
- Living the Culture courses
- Study visits
- Cultural activities and excursions
- Speaking partners
- Internship and service learning opportunities for resume building
- Summer intensive language or culture courses
- Focused language programs to boost your career
- Immersion in the community through experiential learning

ALUMNI

Studying abroad is an experience that transforms you long after you have returned home. We help our alumni develop their new-found skills as they continue their adventures through life. Whether in developing their careers, returning abroad, or continuing their education, Spanish Studies Abroad is committed to helping students maximize the benefits from their time abroad. Here’s a peek at what some of our students are up to now:

- Elina Stelman, Seville, Spain ’09
  Production Assistant at Penguin Group USA

- Katie Stephans, Córdoba, Argentina ’10
  Intern at the Greenheart Club,
  Center for Cultural Interchange

- James Stephenson, Alicante, Spain ’08
  Manager-Global Deal Implementation, American Express

- Kristina Strauss, Seville, Spain ’05
  Spanish Teacher

To see more alumni stories please visit: www.spanishstudies.org/alumnistories.
EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

Our goal is for you to deepen your language learning and gain a better understanding of the culture that speaks it. Take advantage of the Experiential Learning opportunities we provide. Find your own comfort level and deepen your immersion.

INTERNSHIP OR SERVICE LEARNING ABROAD (3-8 credits)

In semester, academic year and summer programs, you may undertake an internship in addition to your courses. By accepting this unique challenge, you will gain valuable work experience in another country and explore a particular field in its cultural context. Service learning projects allow you unique access to the every day lives of the local community by working in a non-profit organization. Regular meetings with the resident director and guided reflection strengthens the experience.

Eligibility
• Advanced Spanish language skills
• Internship application
• Approval of your home institution

Placements
• The Arts
• Athletics
• Business/Marketing
• Communications
• Ecology
• Education
• Health
• International Business
• International Relations
• Law
• NGO
• Political Science
• Recreations
• Social Work
• Sports
• Tourism

For more information, visit: www.spanishstudies.org/experientiallearning

INDEPENDENT RESEARCH PROJECTS (1-3 credits)

Spanish Studies Abroad offers a unique opportunity to investigate topics of personal and academic interest. An Independent Research Project (IRP) allows you to personalize your program with a project designed to meet your needs and the requirements of your home institution. In recent semesters, students have undertaken projects in music, theater arts, business, sociology, religion and more.

Recent topics:
• Federico García Lorca on the stage
• Contemporary Spanish Women Writers and Feminism
• Stencil Graffiti of Seville
• European Tax Strategies

For more information, visit: www.spanishstudies.org/irp

LIVING THE CULTURE (1-3 credits)

In addition to our core academic courses, you have the opportunity to participate in “Living the Culture” courses and activities for an extra fee. Courses may carry up to 3 credits and include:
• Flamenco guitar
• Spanish cooking
• Dance courses
• Theater
• Windsurfing
• Paddle Surfing

Affordable non-credit bearing activities, such as joining an athletic team, are also encouraged and can be arranged by Spanish Studies Abroad on-site staff.

For more information, visit: www.spanishstudies.org/livingtheculture

(See the chart on page 1 for information on which locations offer experiential opportunities).
Volunteer Opportunities
Spanish Studies Abroad students have the opportunity to participate in rewarding volunteer projects. These can be more flexible than a service learning project, though your commitment is still required. Through volunteer work, you experience a different facet of Spanish life and become part of the local community. For more information, visit: www.spanishstudies.org/volunteer

Tutoring Local Children in English
In Seville and Alicante, Spanish Studies Abroad students have the option to participate in an English Tutoring Program to assist Spanish children who are learning English. This is a great opportunity to both teach about American culture and learn about Spanish culture from a new perspective.

Speaking Partners
Spanish Studies Abroad provides a natural environment for Speaking Partners (intercambios)—conversational exchanges that encourage language practice and friendships between U.S. and local students. Each partnership is based on mutual interests and presents an opening to share cultural perspectives.

Spanish Studies Abroad also actively promotes regular interaction of local and U.S. students by organizing social and cultural activities to enhance your experience abroad.

Access to Campus Events & Clubs
Through our partner universities, students get involved in the university life. You have access to campus resources and activities at your local host institution. Your resident director will help you identify available opportunities suitable to your specific interests.

Study Tours and Excursions
Programs feature all-inclusive faculty-led study visits complete with accommodations, meals and entrance fees. These trips are coordinated to enhance your class studies and are designed to expand your understanding of local history, art and culture.

Local Housing Options
Choose a homestay or a student residence. Either way, your home or residencia abroad will be the focal point of your social experience, where you will sleep, eat, study and relax. A homestay gives you unique insight into a foreign culture by allowing you to become part of a family while a residencia will allow you to live with people your age.

“Intercambios (Speaking Partners) are excellent and were by far my best experience in Spain. They really helped you live the culture, and to talk to people your age. You pick up a lot of colloquial language, and you learn a lot about day-to-day Spanish living.”

—Lee Brett
Washington & Lee University
Seville, SPAIN since 1969

“Sevilla es, sin duda, una ciudad diferente al resto de ciudades de España. No sólo por su luz y su color, sino también por su manera de vivir y respirar.

“Se dice que en Sevilla se vive en la calle ¡y así es! Su clima, su gente, su vitalidad te invitan a salir, a perderte entre sus calles y vivir la cultura tradicional. Siempre hay algo que ver: procesiones, bandas de música, fiestas por las calles, y familias reunidas para vivir los eventos. Sevilla, aunque tradicional, va admitiendo elementos modernos y vanguardistas integrándolos de forma única en su paisaje más clásico.

“Como directora residente, me encanta ver cómo nuestros estudiantes aprenden a manejarse en la ciudad desde el primer momento, cómo se integran y disfrutan de todas las oportunidades que la ciudad y el programa les ofrecen. Desde nuestra oficina ayudamos a los estudiantes en todos los aspectos de su estancia. Les damos las claves necesarias para su vida aquí y nos aseguramos de que están cómodos y aprenden lo máximo posible no sólo del idioma sino también de la cultura. El desarrollo intercultural es una prioridad para nosotros, y tenemos la suerte de estar localizados en un entorno único!”

— Amalia Herencia Grillo, Directora Residente de Sevilla

Study tours
Córdoba, Granada, Mérida, Cáceres, Alhambra, Museo de Bellas Artes, Museo de la Inquisición, Castillo de San Jorge, Itálica, or Alcázar...

“I am currently working as a program assistant at the Boys and Girls Club. My internship at La Asociación SETA in Seville was a big reason I got this job. Working with kids gave me some great experience that I use everyday.”

— Claire Wheeler, Mount Holyoke College

About Seville

Seville, a beautiful and ancient city on the banks of the Guadalquivir River, is the centerpiece of your study abroad experience. Seville has a temperate climate and rich cultural life. As the land of Carmen and Don Juan, Seville embodies the culture of Southern Spain. In this picturesque city, you will discover moorish palaces and renaissance gardens, flowered patios, paintings, statues, flamenco dancing and music, bull fights at La Real Maestranza de Caballería, siesta, tortillas, and the Spanish way of life.
YOUR ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

The Center for Cross-Cultural Study, *el Centro*, is located in two beautiful and historic turn-of-the-century mansions in the heart of Seville’s social and commercial district. The Center is a stone’s throw from some of Spain’s most glorious and significant sites. It boasts an esteemed scholarly faculty, fine-tuned teaching methodology and small classes. You will benefit from the Center’s long-established business relationships, making it easy for you to enhance your study abroad with an internship or a service learning project. Choose to augment your course of study with integrated university classes, at either *Universidad de Sevilla* or *Universidad Pablo de Olavide*, while we support your cross-cultural learning.

“*I will truly never forget my time spent in Spain; it has been such an important part of my life, where I learned a great deal about myself and the world around me.*”

—Samantha LoPinto,
Salve Regina University

HOUSING IN SEVILLE

You will spend a large part of your time at your homestay or student residence, which will be the key to cultural integration and language development.

**Homestay**
- Only one or two students per home
- Three meals per day, 7 days a week
- Weekly laundry

**Student Residencias**
- Single, double or triple occupancy rooms
- Three meals per day, 7 days a week
- Broadband Internet connection
- Laundry facilities, television room and study room
SPANISH STUDIES PROGRAM

- All courses taught in Spanish at our Center
- Curriculum seeks to develop your proficiency in written Spanish by emphasizing writing and discussion in all classes and at all levels
- Average class size: 10-12 students
- 12-18 credits per semester

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of 1 semester of intermediate college Spanish or heritage speaker.

Fall: Early September – mid-December
Spring: Early February – mid-May

INTEGRATED STUDIES PROGRAM

- Combine courses at the Center in Seville with courses with Spanish students at Universidad de Sevilla or Universidad Pablo de Olavide
- Support and resources from our Center
- 14-18 credits per semester
- Weekly tutoring sessions

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA Spanish coursework. Successful completion of 2 semesters of advanced college-level Spanish or heritage speaker.

Fall: Early September – mid-December
Spring: Early February – early June

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PROGRAM in English

- Take courses designed for international students at the Universidad de Sevilla or Universidad Pablo de Olavide
- Choose one Spanish language course at either university (all levels offered), and take a 1-credit SPAN 343: Cultural Realities of Spain (taught in English) by Resident Director
- Content courses offered in both English and Spanish
- 13-16 credits per semester

Eligibility: 2.75 GPA. No language prerequisite.

Fall: Early September – mid-December
Spring: Late January – mid-May

INTERNSHIP/SERVICE LEARNING

- 3-8 credits/300 hours of field work
- Optional courses from the Spanish Studies Program
- 13-18 credits per semester
- Build professional relationships
- Gain international work experience
- Write an internship or service learning blog

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of 1 or 2 semesters of advanced college Spanish or heritage speaker.

Fall: Early September – mid-December
Spring: Early February – mid-May

QUARTER PROGRAMS

The following programs start early Jan to mid-March. Visit www.spanishstudies.org for more information.

INTENSIVE LANGUAGE STUDY PROGRAM

LANGUAGE + INTERNSHIP PROGRAM
SHORT-TERM PROGRAMS

Short term programs with Spanish Studies Abroad are an excellent opportunity to develop your Spanish skills and experience the culture and beauty of this charming and historic Spanish city. January, May and Summer terms are ideal for students who can’t fit study abroad into the regular academic year or for those looking to gain language skills or take a course in Spanish culture over a shorter period of time. Choose from a wide variety of language and content courses in the liberal arts, business, education and more. Live in a Spanish home and participate in a full array of study tours, cultural events and social activities.

JANUARY TERM

- Small class size
- 3½-week term
- Live with a host family
- You can use your January term to get an early start on a spring semester
- Afternoons offer you study visits within Seville, tertulia (lectures), movies or theater and musical performances

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework.
Dates: Early January – late January

MAY AND SUMMER TERMS

- Spanish courses for all levels
- Variety of courses in the liberal arts, business, education, Spanish and more
- Attend a May term or 3½-week summer term, or combine terms
- Add a language or content course prior to your experiential learning placement
- Practicum in Education can also be combined with any of our other summer terms

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA. No previous language required for beginners. Prerequisites apply to certain courses. See course catalog for more details and box to the right for term dates.

PRACTICUM IN EDUCATION

- Teach and gain valuable professional experience during the summer in this 4-credit internship
- Work as a teacher’s assistant in our Center’s bilingual playschool
- Combine the study of language-acquisition theory with teaching
- Boost your language skills and cultural integration by beginning with an intensive Spanish class during our summer term I and/or May term

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Experience working with children. Skills in leadership, communication, organization and problem-solving

Dates: Late June – late July

INTERNSHIP/SERVICE LEARNING

- 8-week summer program
- 263-hour internship or service learning for 7 credits
- 1-credit language training course
- Bi-weekly meeting with instructor to reflect on cultural integration
- Write an internship blog
- Study tours and cultural events
- Develop linguistic tools for international and cross-cultural work

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of 2 semesters of advanced college Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker.

Dates: Late May – late July

MAY AND SUMMER TERM DATES

Combine terms or enroll in just one.

May Term:
Mid-May – late May

Summer Term 1
Late May – late June

Summer Term 2
Late June – mid-July

Summer Terms 1 & 2
Late May – mid-July

May Term + Summer Term 1:
Mid-May – late June

May Term + Summer Term 1 & 2:
Mid-May – mid-July

May Term + Summer Term 1 + Practicum in Education:
Mid-May – late July
COURSES IN SEVILLE
For an updated list of courses, descriptions, and syllabi, please visit spanishstudies.org/coursecatalog

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**Integrated University Courses**

Students in the Integrated Studies Program enroll in 1-3 courses at USEV or UPO; the majority of university courses carry 3 credits. Integrated courses are offered in a variety of disciplines, including:

- Business
- Communications
- Economics
- Education
- Fine Arts
- Geography
- Health Sciences
- History
- Humanities
- Language & Culture
- Law
- Literature
- Marketing
- Mathematics
- Natural Sciences
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Social Work
- Sport Science
- Translation

**About The Universities**

Studying in Seville with Spanish Studies Abroad affords students the opportunity to study alongside local Spanish students at either of two well-known universities in Seville—*Universidad de Sevilla* and *Universidad Pablo de la Olavide*. Students generally opt to enroll in integrated courses at local universities for two reasons:

- Integrated courses are a great way to experience the Spanish-student lifestyle and meet local Spanish students.
- *Universidad de Sevilla* and *Universidad Pablo de la Olavide* offer a wide range of courses in their many departments, or *facultades*. If you have the Spanish ability and want to take coursework that is not offered by the Center, enrolling in courses at a university is a great way to expand the academic range of your study abroad experience.

Taking courses at the local universities does raise some challenges. These courses generally follow a European lecture model, which is often very different from the interactive classrooms U.S. students are used to. This means that there is not a lot of discussion in the classroom and the bulk of your grade is determined by performance on a few tests or papers.

To help you meet these challenges, all Spanish Studies Abroad students begin with an Intensive Language Period, taught at our Center by native Spanish professors. This period is invaluable to helping you gain the skills necessary to perform in this independent learning environment. Our Center in Seville will provide you with a tutor for all integrated university courses.

**Programs by Major**

Choose a program suited for your major or minor. These programs are offered during the semester and summer terms. Gain international experience in your field. For more detailed information, visit www.spanishstudies.org/bymajor

**Education & Spanish Studies Program**

**Health Science & Spanish Studies Program**

**Business & Spanish Studies Program**

**Media Studies & Spanish Studies Program**

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**Learn the Language • Travel the Land • Live the Life**
“Sin duda alguna, la localización del programa de Alicante es única. La parte académica está ubicada en uno de los campus más prestigiosos y bonitos de Europa. La vida diaria tiene lugar en una ciudad costera mediterránea tranquila y llena de vida al mismo tiempo. Los estudiantes se sumergen rápidamente en la cultura alicantina para ser uno más y pasar desapercibidos.”

“Mi principal objetivo es proporcionarte todos los recursos que te ayuden a maximizar tu estancia en Alicante. Podrás escoger aquellas actividades que respondan a tus intereses y requisitos académicos. Entre ellas encontrarás el baile, teatro, deportes, cocina, voluntariados, tutorías de inglés…La clave está en encontrar el equilibrio entre el estudio y la diversión para así lograr tus objetivos individuales y beneficiarte cada día de esta experiencia que te acompañará el resto de tu vida.”

—Pepa Vives, Directora Residente de Alicante
YOUR ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE
Located a short distance outside the city’s center and minutes from the coast, the Universidad de Alicante (UA) has one of the most beautiful campuses in Spain. You will enjoy the convenience of modern classrooms, sports fields, and other facilities on a campus of green lawns and Mediterranean gardens. Through multiple cross-cultural opportunities, you will find yourself immersed and integrated into life in Alicante.

HOUSING IN ALICANTE
All students live with a local host family
A homestay gives you unique insight into Spanish culture by allowing you to become part of a Spanish family. To ensure that your home will provide a warm and tranquil atmosphere conducive to learning, Spanish Studies Abroad staff discusses norms and policies with hosts and regularly inspects the homes.
• 1 - 2 students per home
• Three meals per day, 7 days a week
• Weekly laundry

“After living with a host family for five months (Alicante, Spain) I became proficient in the Spanish language. I wouldn’t have gotten my marketing internship this summer if I wasn’t fluent since the internship dealt with the Latino market on the East Coast. It was a major plus during my interview!”

—Brittany Valente,
Ithaca College
**SPANISH STUDIES PROGRAM**

- All courses taught at Centro Superior de Idiomas (CSI)
- 4-week intensive language and culture period
- Classes with international students studying at the same level of Spanish
- 14-18 credits per semester
- Full access to Universidad de Alicante (UA) facilities

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA Spanish coursework. Successful completion of a minimum of 1 year of elementary college Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker.

**Fall:** Late August - mid-November  
**Spring:** Early January - late March

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**INTEGRATED STUDIES PROGRAM**

- Combine courses at CSI with courses at UA
- 4-week intensive language and culture period
- Classes with international students studying at the same level of Spanish
- Regular classes at UA alongside Spaniards
- 14-18 credits per semester
- Full access to Universidad de Alicante (UA) facilities

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA Spanish coursework. Successful completion of 2 semesters of advanced college Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker. Approval from Universidad de Alicante based upon their online assessment.

**Fall:** Late August - mid-December  
**Spring:** Early January - late May

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**INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS PROGRAM**

in English

Spanish Studies Abroad, in cooperation with the Dept. of Economics and Business at UA, offers business courses taught in English. Over 200 international students participate in this program each year and enjoy an intercultural experience involving people from all over the world.

In addition to a unique Spanish Studies Language and Culture component, students take the majority of their classes in English. Courses can include Marketing in the EU, HR Management, and Cross-Cultural Business Behavior. For a complete list of courses, visit: www.spanishstudies.org/coursecatalog

- Classes at Universidad de Alicante
- 4-week intensive language and culture period
- Local speaking partners
- 14-18 credits per semester
- 3-credit internship recommended for students who have completed one semester of advanced Spanish prior to their arrival in Alicante.

**Eligibility:** 3.0 overall GPA required. Successful completion of either 2 years of high school Spanish or a minimum of 1 year of elementary college Spanish, or heritage speaker.

**Fall:** Late August - mid-November  
**Spring:** Early January - late May

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- Classes at Universidad de Alicante
- 4-week intensive language and culture period
- Local speaking partners
- 14-18 credits per semester
- 3-credit internship recommended for students who have completed one semester of advanced Spanish prior to their arrival in Alicante.

**Eligibility:** 3.0 overall GPA required. Successful completion of either 2 years of high school Spanish or a minimum of 1 year of elementary college Spanish, or heritage speaker.

**Fall:** Late August - mid-November  
**Spring:** Early January - late May

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**INTERNSHIP/SERVICE LEARNING**

- 4-week intensive language and culture period
- 8 credits/300 clock hours
- Earn 15-18 credits per semester
- Build professional relationships and gain international work experience
- Write an internship or service learning blog

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of 2 semesters of advanced college Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker. Approval by home institution.

**Fall:** Late August - mid-November  
**Spring:** Early January - late May

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**QUARTER PROGRAMS**

The following programs start early Jan to mid-March. Visit www.spanishstudies.org for more information.

**INTENSIVE LANGUAGE STUDY PROGRAM**

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**LANGUAGE + INTERNSHIP PROGRAM**
SHORT-TERM PROGRAMS

Summer programs in Alicante offer two intensive academic terms, with rich cultural components to support the study of Spanish language and culture. Each summer term is 4 weeks in length and students may choose one or both summer terms for an exciting study abroad experience in a beautiful Spanish coastal city.

SUMMER TERMS I AND II

The summer program consists of two intensive academic terms with rich cultural components to support the study of Spanish language and culture. Each 4-week term serves as an ideal short-term study abroad experience. You take one intensive language course, which may be complemented with an additional 1-credit course for a total of 4-5 credits per term. Complementary courses include: conversation, literature, culture, cinema and a “Living the Culture” course.

- Beginner to advanced courses
- Classes taught by UA professors
- 4-5 semester credits per 4-week term

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA overall

Dates: Early June – late July

SUMMER INTERNSHIP/ SERVICE LEARNING

In this 8-week internship period, aligned with the two Summer Terms, you complete an intensive internship or service learning project with access to Spanish Studies Abroad sponsored study tours, cultural events, and other social activities. A 1-credit language training course helps you gain the linguistic tools necessary to integrate into Spanish work culture.

- 8-week summer program
- 263-hour unpaid internship in a field of your choice for 7 semester hour credits
- 1-credit language training course

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of two semesters of advanced college Spanish or the equivalent. Home institution approval.

Dates: Early June – late July

SUMMER TERM DATES

Combine terms or enroll in just one.

May Term in Seville (see page 11)
Mid-May – late May

Summer Term 1 in Alicante
Early June – late June

Summer Term 2 in Alicante
Late June – late July

Summer Term 1 & 2 in Alicante
Early June – late July
### Semester and Quarter Courses

**Language Courses** (4 credits)
- SPAN 203, 204UA: Intermediate Spanish I, II
- SPAN 300, 309, 310UA: Advanced Spanish Language I, II, III
- SPAN 307UA: Advanced Conversation
- SPAN 311UA: High Advanced Spanish I
- SPAN 316UA: Spanish for Business

**Complementary Language Courses Optional (1 credit)**
- SPAN 275UA: Intermediate Conversation
- SPAN 375UA: Advanced Conversation
- SPAN 360UA: Spanish for Business

**Culture Course (3 credits)**
- SPAN 265UA: Intermediate Social and Cultural Realities of Spain
- SPAN 365UA: Advanced Social and Cultural Realities of Spain

**Content (3 credits)**
- SPAN 330UA: Intro to Spanish Literature
- SPAN 340UA: Intro to Spanish Cinema
- SPAN 350UA: Intro to Spanish Art

**Experiential Learning (3 or 8 credits)**
- INT 490/491UA: Internship
- SVL 490/491UA: Service Learning
- IRP 490UA: Independent Research Project

**Living The Culture (1 credit)**
- LTC 300UA: Culture of Spanish Cuisine
- LTC 300UA-B: Intro to Latin Dance & Flamenco
- LTC 490UA: Living the Culture

### Summer Term Courses

**Language (4 credits)**
- SPAN 101, 102: Beginning Spanish
- SPAN 203, 204: Intermediate Spanish
- SPAN 300, 309, 310: Advanced Spanish
- SPAN 311, 313: High Advanced Spanish
- SPAN 403, 405: Special Topics in Advanced Language Study
- SPAN 451, 452: Spanish Language Superior Level

**Conversation (1 credit)**
- SPAN 175UAS: Beginning Conversation
- SPAN 375UAS: Advanced Conversation

**Content (1 credit)**
- SPAN 360UAS: Spanish for Business
- SPAN 362UAS: Spanish through Culture & Civilization
- SPAN 366UAS: Spanish through Cinema
- SPAN 368UAS: Spanish Through Art History
- SPAN 370UAS: Spanish Through Literature

**Living The Culture (1 credit)**
- LTC 490UAS: Living the Culture

For an updated list of courses, descriptions, and syllabi, please visit [spanishstudies.org/coursecatalog](http://spanishstudies.org/coursecatalog)
INTEGRATED UNIVERSITY COURSES

Students in the integrated studies program attend the majority of their classes at UA alongside native Spanish students. The majority of content courses at UA meet 45, 60 or 76 semester hours and equal 3, 4 or 5 course credits respectively.

Integrated courses are offered in a variety of disciplines, including:

- Architecture
- Economics
- Education
- Engineering
- Geography
- History
- Humanities
- Languages
- Law
- Marine studies
- Mathematics
- Medicine
- Natural sciences
- Psychology
- Public relations
- Sociology
- Tourism

For a list of integrated courses at UA please visit www.spanishstudies.org/alicanteintegrated

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

Spanish Studies students in Alicante study onsite at Universidad de Alicante (UA). Though established in 1979, UA was founded to carry on the traditions of the University of Orihuela (1545–1834). As the fastest-growing university in Spain, with an enrollment of 33,000, the UA is dedicated to its mission to cultivate students’ academic and professional skills, while developing critical thinking and social awareness. In addition to its academics, UA prides itself on its beautiful modern campus of innovative architecture and wide green spaces.

Along with the resources provided by UA, Spanish Studies students benefit from having an on-site resident director. The director teaches the Spanish Studies cultural integration course, Social Realities of Spain, and assists students with their cultural and logistical challenges of studying abroad. The director also organizes Spanish Studies Abroad site visits and events, and is available 24/7.

Through university coursework, homestays with native families, and multiple cross-cultural opportunities, students will find Spanish Studies Abroad in Alicante to be a highly immersive and integrated study abroad experience.
“La ciudad de Barcelona, capital de Cataluña, ubicada a orillas del mar Mediterráneo, es considerada la ciudad más cosmopolita en España. Esta ciudad te ofrece diferentes estilos de vida. Si lo que quieres es venir a Barcelona por lo que te han contado, visitar las playas, pasear por las Ramblas, sacar fotos a las mimos, y descubrir una vida nocturna muy rica, puedes hacerlo, pero te perderás la verdadera esencia de la ciudad.

Entre muchos de sus encantos tienes el barrio Gótico y el Borne con sus calles llenas de magia y sus tiendas con los diseños de jóvenes artistas, el parque Güell, con sus interminables paseos que te llevan finalmente a un punto alto donde Barcelona se rinde a tus pies, los festivales que organiza cada barrio, el día de San Jordi donde la ciudad se llena de rosas y libros que se regalan a la gente que se quiere, dar de comer a las palomas en una tranquila tarde de domingo en la Plaza Cataluña... Y si todavía quieres más, los pueblos de la costa te ofrecerán atardeceres mágicos mientras comes una “turrada amb tomaca”.

La gente catalana es conocida por ser reservada al principio pero amigos para toda la vida una vez te conocen, empieza el día con un “Bon dia” Y tendrás parte del camino ganado.

No lo dudes y apúntate a una experiencia que cambiará tu vida. Te esperamos!”

— Adriana Pajares
Directora Residente

ABOUT BARCELONA

As Spain’s second largest city, Barcelona embodies every quality of a European city and enthralls all your senses. Experience the typical hustle and bustle of a busy city on La Rambla, take a stroll through one of the many barrios or enjoy any of its famous Mediterranean beaches. The urban city is host to several UNESCO World Heritage Sites, attracting millions of tourists each year. Few European cities can offer you the wide diversity of cultural experience that you’ll find in Barcelona.

STUDY TOURS
Val de Nuria, Sitges, Figueres, Museo Dalí, Cadaqués, Montserrat or Andorra

WWW.SPANISHSTUDIES.ORG
YOUR ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Centrally located in the heart of Barcelona, Universitat Pompeu Fabra (UPF) is a modern day university with a fantastic array of courses. As an urban study abroad student you will be immersed in both Spanish and Catalan. Students in Barcelona study onsite at Universitat Pompeu Fabra (UPF). Founded in 1990, the campus offers courses in social sciences, humanities, communication and information technologies, as well as business and design. Courses can be taken in English or Spanish.

HOUSING IN BARCELONA
All students live with a local host family

All Spanish Studies Abroad students studying in Barcelona live with a local family. This immersion in Spanish culture and Spanish language will help you gain an understanding of daily life and customs in Barcelona.

- 2 students per home maximum
- Full room and board
- Weekly laundry

“My favorite part about the pier of Barcelona was the view and how I could see different people sitting and enjoying a bocadillo and other tasty treats purchased from the market up the street. Right before I took this photo my friend and I bought jamón serrano and cheese. Then we sat on the dock and enjoyed the sunny day!”

- Caitlyn Paulsen, Saint Mary’s University, IN
**Semester Programs**

All courses through Spanish Studies Abroad programming are specifically designed to enhance your understanding of modern Spain while you immerse yourself in Spanish language and culture. Along with a 90-hour intensive Spanish course, you choose from courses specifically created for international students in the Hispanic and European Studies, International Business, Elisava School of Design, or Legal Studies Programs. These courses are taught in English or Spanish at the Universitat Pompeu Fabra (UPF). Students with advanced Spanish may also choose from all departments at UPF in our Integrated Studies Program.

### International Studies Program in English

- Classes in English or Spanish
- 90-hour intensive Spanish course
- Catalan culture course
- Classes with international students
- 12-18 credits per semester
- Courses in Hispanic and European Studies, International Business, Legal Studies (Political Science), and Design created specifically for international students studying abroad
- Full access to university facilities

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA overall. 3.3 GPA for Legal Studies, and at least 1 semester of college-level Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker. Class standing junior or senior during program.

**Fall:** Mid-Sept – mid-Dec  
**Spring:** Early Jan – mid-April

### Integrated Studies Program

- Courses taught in English, Spanish, or Catalan
- 90-hour intensive Spanish course
- Catalan culture course
- Classes with Spaniards
- Courses selected from any department at the university or combine with a Spanish Studies Program course
- 12-18 credits per semester
- Full access to university facilities

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA overall and 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. 1 semester of advanced-level Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker. Class standing junior or senior during program.

**Fall:** Mid-Sept – mid-Dec  
**Spring:** Early Jan – mid-April

### Spanish Studies Program

- Courses taught in Spanish
- 90-hour Intensive Spanish course
- Catalan culture course
- Classes with international students
- Courses in Hispanic and European Studies, International Business, Legal Studies (Political Science), and Design created specifically for international students studying abroad
- 12-18 credits per semester
- Full access to university facilities

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA overall. 1 semester of intermediate college Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker. Class standing junior or senior during program.

**Fall:** Mid-Sept – mid-Dec  
**Spring:** Early Jan – mid-April
**SUMMER TERM**
During the summer term in Barcelona you choose two or three classes from the Hispanic, and European Studies Program. Courses are offered in English and Spanish. Areas of study include: Language, European Studies, Political Science, History, Communications, and Literature.

- Beginner to Advanced levels of Spanish
- 6-week program
- 6-9 credits, two or three courses
- Special activities for language courses
- Study visits included in program fee

**Eligibility:** Overall 3.0 GPA. One semester of college level elementary Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker. Individual courses may have specific language pre-requisites. Class standing sophomore, junior and senior during program

**Dates:** Mid-June – early August
SEMESTER COURSES

LANGUAGE COURSES (6 credits)
- SPAN 100UP Beginner Spanish Language
- SPAN 103UP Pre-intermediate Spanish Language
- SPAN 203UP Intermediate Spanish Language
- SPAN 300UP Advanced Spanish Language
- SPAN 309UP Proficiency in Spanish Language

HISPANIC AND EUROPEAN STUDIES
(Courses are conducted in Spanish and English)
- Class, Nationalism and Civil War: Tradition and Modernization in Modern Spain
- Spain in Cinema: Local and Global Perspectives
- Poesía Hispánica – Poetas y Cantautores
- Intercultural Communication
- Social Movements and the Contemporary World: USA, Europe and Spain (1950-2010)

ESCI INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SCHOOL
- Culture and Business in Europe
- International Marketing
- Negociación Internacional

ELISAVA SCHOOL OF DESIGN
- Architecture, Design and Modernity
- Principles of Drawing
- Advertising

LEGAL STUDIES PROGRAM
- Introduction to Comparative Private Law
- Law, Justice and Legitimacy
- Crime and Punishment in the US and EU: a comparative approach
- Law and Dictatorship
- Derechos humanos: mecanismos de protección estatales e internacionales

SUMMER TERM COURSES

LANGUAGE
- Beginner
- Pre-intermediate
- Intermediate
- Advanced
- Superior

POLITICS
- Society and Politics in Contemporary Spain
- Current Issues on the European Union in a Global World
- España y las Américas: transición y democratización

COMMUNICATION
- “Sketches of Spain”: Spain in Contemporary Mass and Visual Culture
- Imágenes de España en el Cine Contemporáneo
- Barcelona on Stage: Documentary Workshop

HUMANITIES
- Spanish Postmodernism and Beyond
- Contemporary Barcelona and its Cultural History
- La Edad de Plata: intelectuales y artistas en las Vanguardias españolas de entreguerras
- Cataluña: tierra de encuentros y territorio de fronteras
- Cultura y literatura de los Siglos de Oro
- Destination Barcelona: La ciudad y su escritura

Visit www.spanishstudies.org/coursecatalog for an updated list of courses
INTTEGRATED UNIVERSITY COURSES

Students enrolled in the Integrated Studies Program in Barcelona study at Universitat Pompeu Fabra (UPF). The university has extensive experience working with international students and offers quality education in many different disciplines. UPF offers several different “tracks” or disciplines which cater directly to what our students are looking for in their study abroad experience.

Universitat Pompeu Fabra (UPF) courses are conducted in English, Spanish and Catalan in the following disciplines:

- Art & Humanities
- Biology
- Business
- Communications
- Computer Science
- Design
- Economics
- Engineering
- Law
- Life and Health Sciences
- Marketing
- Political Science
- Social Science
- Sport Science
- Tourism

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1990, UPF is named after the Catalan philologist Pompeu Fabra. Currently, the University offers 19 undergraduate degrees, 37 official masters, and 9 PhD programs, as well as approximately 60 UPF masters. In 2010, the university was named an International Campus of Excellence by the Spanish Ministry of Education and has become one of the best universities in Spain.

The university has buildings scattered across Barcelona, mainly between La Rambla and Marina Avenue. The most important buildings are those of the Ciutadella Campus, which concentrates the largest library of the university (Dipòsit de les Aigües), Roger de Llúria, and Jaume I buildings.

The UPF is located in three separate campuses: Ciutadella Campus (Social Sciences and Humanities), Communication Campus (Poblenou Sciences and Information Technologies and Communication), and Mar Campus (Biomedical sciences).
“Segunda ciudad de Argentina por habitantes y poseedora de la universidad pública más antigua del país, Córdoba es una cálida anfitriona de sus visitantes. Gracias a su ambiente de pueblo grande y a su activa vida estudiantil, Córdoba es una ciudad joven; y gracias al prestigio de sus casas de estudio, Córdoba es la ciudad elegida para la estadía de numerosos extranjeros. Algunas características distintivas de esta ciudad son la amabilidad de su gente, las innumerables actividades culturales, su fácil acceso a todos los puntos de Sudamérica, y la bondad de su clima.

Aafortunadamente he tenido la suerte de haber vivido inmersa en otro país y en otra cultura. Debo confesar que hubo malentendidos culturales, confusiones lingüísticas y sentimientos de nostalgia… pero todo contribuyó a una gran apertura mental que me llevó a la aceptación, sin prejuicios, de las diferencias culturales.

Como Directora Residente me gusta que mis estudiantes se atrevan a desafiar una lengua nueva, además de explorar, vivir y experimentar en una cultura distinta a la suya y un nuevo país.

¿Los esperamos a todos para compartir su desafío!”

—Alejandra Acosta,
Director Residente de Córdoba

About Córdoba

As the capital of Córdoba Province and the seat of Argentina’s second largest metropolitan area, the city of Córdoba is a bustling educational and commercial center set at the foothills of the Sierra Chica mountain range in northern Argentina. Founded by Jerónimo Luis de Cabrera in 1573, Córdoba today is recognized as a center for arts and learning in Argentina with its many universities, theatres and museums.

Study Tours

La Iglesia de la Compañía, art exhibits and concerts, tour las estancias jesuitas or overnight trips to San Luis, Mendoza or Entre Ríos
YOUR ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Spanish Studies Abroad works in cooperation with the Programa de Español y Cultura Latinoamericana (PECLA), which offers a broad variety of courses in language, literature, history and culture. PECLA’s courses are designed to serve the needs of the international students who come to Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (UNC) to study.

Spanish Studies Program participants select courses from the curriculum offered by PECLA. All Integrated Studies Program participants enroll in 1-2 regularly scheduled courses at UNC in addition to the PECLA courses. As you share the classroom and interchange ideas with your Argentine and international peers, you will find yourself immersed in both academic and cultural learning.

“...of the foreign language aspect of my experience and I am much more willing to try new things and test my boundaries. Going abroad has made me so curious about the rest of the world and...I now know that I can travel the world (leaving behind all the safety of home) and not only survive, but thrive.”

—Ashley Soluri
Daemen College

HOUSING IN CÓRDOBA
All students live with a local host family

As a Spanish Studies Abroad student studying in Córdoba, you live with a local family. This immersion in Argentine culture and Spanish language will help you gain an understanding of daily life and customs in Córdoba. While sharing in family conversations, you begin to learn an “unspoken language”— the family values and subtle beliefs that underlie their actions.

- 2 students per home maximum
- Full room and board
- Weekly laundry

CÓRDOBA
SEMESTER PROGRAMS

We combined the established experience of Spanish Studies Abroad in international education with the resources and flexibility provided by Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (UNC). Each day your environment encourages deeper integration into the Argentine lifestyle and exposure to a variety of academic experiences through a spectrum of disciplines. Choose to follow the U.S. or Argentine academic calendar.

SPANISH STUDIES PROGRAM

- 4-week intensive language and culture period
- Classes meet Monday-Thursday, giving you long weekends for travel
- Courses taught in Spanish by UNC faculty
- 14-18 credits per semester
- Choose from a variety of courses related to Spanish Language and Latin American studies, including Literature, Art, Cinema, and Sociology.
- Internship or service learning course option

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of one semester of intermediate college Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker.

Fall: Mid-July - early December
Spring: Early Feb - late July

INTEGRATED STUDIES PROGRAM

- 4-week intensive language and culture period
- Courses taught in Spanish by UNC faculty
- 17-22 credits per semester
- Internship or service learning course option
- Enroll in 2-4 classes designed for international students through UNC’s PECLA program and choose 1-2 courses with Argentine students at UNC

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of two semesters of advanced college Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker.

Fall: Mid-July - late December
Spring: Early Feb - late July

INTERNSHIP/SERVICE LEARNING

- Placement at a local business or community service organization. Fall or spring semester
- Intensive language and culture period
- 8 credits/300 clock hours
- Optional courses from the Spanish Studies curriculum
- 14-19 credits per semester
- Build professional relationships and gain international work experience

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of 2 semesters of advanced college Spanish or equivalent, or heritage speaker. Home institution approval.

Fall: Mid-July - early December
Spring: Mid-February - early July
SHORT-TERM PROGRAMS

Our short-term programs offer you access to a variety of cultural activities, study visits and unique work experiences. Come integrate into Argentine life!

SUMMER TERM

- Elementary, intermediate, advanced Spanish courses
- Internship or service learning course available
- Take 1-2 courses (3-6 credits) during a 4-week term
- Group excursions and activities included
- On-site resident director & activities coordinator
- 3-6 credits for 1-2 courses during a 4-week term

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework required. 3.0 GPA overall for students with no previous Spanish coursework. Enrollment in individual courses, especially language courses, may have additional prerequisites.

Dates: Mid-July - mid-August

SUMMER INTERNSHIP / SERVICE LEARNING

- Choose a 3-credit internship as part of your summer term
- Placement in a local organization
- Opportunity to gain professional experience
- On-site resident director & activities coordinator

Eligibility: 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework required. Ability to understand normal, rapid Spanish. One semester of advanced college Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker.

Dates: Mid-July - mid-August

“These educational experiences pushed me to work harder and to become fluent in the language... studying abroad is one of the best decisions I have ever made and an indescribable experience.”

—Khatijah Corey, University of the Pacific
## Semester Courses

**Language Courses** *(3-5 credits)*  
- SPAN 254AN Intermediate Composition  
- SPAN 256AN Intermediate Conversation  
- SPAN 265AN Intermediate Spanish  
- SPAN 350AN Advanced Spanish I  
- SPAN 351AN Advanced Spanish II  
- SPAN 352AN Advanced Grammar  
- SPAN 354AN Advanced Composition  
- SPAN 356AN Advanced Conversation  

**Culture Course** *(1 credit)*  
- SPAN 343AN Cultural Realities of Argentina  

**Latin American Studies** *(3 credits)*  
- LAS 362AN Latin American Literature  
- LAS 360AN Argentine Literature  
- LAS 370AN Argentine Culture  
- LAS 372AN Latin American Culture  
- LAS 374AN Argentina and its Regional Diversity  
- LAS 376AN Argentine History  
- LAS 378AN Latin American History  
- LAS 380AN Latin American Social & Economic Issues  
- LAS 382AN Argentine Art  
- LAS 384AN Latin American Art  
- LAS 386AN Intro to Argentine Cinema  

**Experiential Learning** *(3 credits)*  
- INT 490AN Internship  
- SVL 490AN Service Learning  
- IRP 490AN Independent Research Project  
- LAS 450AN Latin American Studies Research Project  

**Living the Culture** *(1 credit)*  
- LTC 490AN Argentine Popular Culture

## Summer Term Courses

**Language** *(5 credits, intensive)*  
- SPAN 165ANS Elementary Spanish  
- SPAN 265ANS Intermediate Spanish  
- SPAN 350ANS Advanced Spanish I  
- SPAN 351ANS Advanced Spanish II  

**Language and Culture** *(3 credits)*  
- SPAN 254ANS Intermediate Composition  
- SPAN 256ANS Intermediate Conversation  
- SPAN 325ANS Spanish for Tourism  
- SPAN 335ANS Spanish for Law  
- SPAN 352ANS Advanced Grammar  
- SPAN 354ANS Advanced Composition  
- SPAN 362ANS Latin American Literature  
- LAS 376ANS Argentine History  

**Experiential Learning** *(3 credits)*  
- INT 490AN Internship  
- SVL 490AN Service Learning  

For a full list of course descriptions, please visit: spanishstudies.org/coursecatalog
INTEGRATED UNIVERSITY COURSES
Immerse yourself in university life at the Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (UNC) while receiving academic support and cultural guidance to achieve the maximum language acquisition and cultural integration. Integrated courses are offered in a variety of disciplines:

- Agriculture
- Architecture
- Astronomy and Physics
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Dentistry
- Economics
- Education
- Fine Arts
- History
- Humanities
- Political Science
- Languages
- Literature
- Mathematics
- Medicine
- Philosophy
- Psychology
- Social Work

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY
Founded by the Jesuits in 1613, the UNC’s history is closely intertwined with the city of Córdoba. Located in the center of a historic downtown, the city is home to rich historical sites, architecture and resources, such as the old rectorado building and a rare book collection unique in the Americas. Because of UNC’s central role in the development of Córdoba, the city is popularly known as la Docta (the Scholar). Its prestige attracts about 100,000 students from all over Argentina and South America to study at the institution. By studying at UNC, you have the opportunity to meet a variety of Argentine and South American students in the classroom and through daily interaction. Spanish is generally the prime language of communication for everyday life, which gives you a great opportunity to build your language and cultural skills.

At UNC, Spanish Studies Abroad works in cooperation with the Programa de Español y Cultura Latinoamericana (PECLA), which offers a broad variety of courses in language, literature, history and culture. PECLA’s courses are designed to serve the needs of the international students who come to UNC to study Spanish and Latin American culture.
San Juan, la capital de Puerto Rico, ofrece a sus visitantes varios lugares de interés, tanto histórico como turístico y de diversión. Sus atractivos naturales lo posicionan como uno de los destinos más visitados y recomendados del Caribe. Además de ser un paraíso tropical con playas hermosas que puedes visitar durante todo el año, en San Juan encontrarás mucha diversión y entretenimiento cosmopolita.

El Viejo San Juan es un pequeño cofre de experiencias. Caminar por las calles adoquinadas de esta hermosa ciudad amurallada es transportarse en la historia. La ciudad sorprende a sus visitantes con pequeños lugares llenos de música afroantillana, con sus museos y con el sabor de su comida típica.

Tanto la herencia española como la taína y la africana están presentes en la cultura, tradiciones y sentir de sus habitantes, quienes se distinguen por su hospitalidad y por el calor con que reciben a sus visitantes.

A poca distancia de San Juan, se encuentran varios lugares de interés como el Museo de Arte de Ponce, la segunda ciudad de la Isla; el Zoológico de Mayagüez, único en el país; el Radiotelescopio en Arecibo; el Parque de las Cavernas del Río Camuy; la bahía fluorescente de La Parguera en Lajas; las islas municipios de Vieques y Culebra, con sus impresionantes playas; entre muchos otros.

Espero recibirte en San Juan y que tu visita sea una experiencia enriquecedora que te permita, no solo aprender la lengua, sino también disfrutar las maravillas que te ofrece la ciudad y sus habitantes.

—Gloria Matanzo Vicensa, Directora Residente de San Juan
YOUR ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Spanish Studies Abroad offers an excellent opportunity for cross-cultural study at Universidad del Sagrado Corazon. The University promotes a participatory and personalized education and emphasizes the humanistic, scientific, technological and professional formation of its students. You develop a strong language competency in Spanish, the capacity for teamwork and the ability to recognize, distinguish and practice ethical values. The curriculum assures the development of critical and creative thinking skills, a multicultural perspective and the integration of theory and practice through service learning.

As a selective, liberal arts institution, USC’s main focus is to educate individuals through an interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary educational experience. In the classroom and on campus, students will have the opportunity to interact with their peers and to experience the culture of the university.

HOUSING IN SAN JUAN
All students live in a residencia

All Spanish Studies Abroad students studying in San Juan live in the residencias, on-campus dormitories. Dormitories include:
- Facilities that allow student interaction
- Double occupancy rooms, equipped with beds, air conditioning, desks with chairs, closets, a fridge and a telephone
- Shared bathrooms and cooking facilities
- Shared kitchens equipped with freezer, stove and microwave oven
- Computer center with internet access
- Access to the gym, pool and basketball, tennis and beach volleyball courts
- Laundry
- Study areas
- Rooms with cable TV on each floor


**Semester Programs**

The University promotes a participatory and active education that incorporates a multifaceted approach to learning. Immerse yourself in the unique culture of the island, stroll along the cobblestone streets of Old San Juan, sample the many tropical-infused flavors of the Caribbean, and explore the many natural wonders of this island.

**International Studies Program**

- 12-15 credits per semester
- Classes meet Monday-Thursday, giving you long weekends for travel
- Intensive Spanish language class (6 credits)
- Culture and area studies courses offered in English
- Optional internship or service learning course

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA overall. Successful completion of one semester of elementary college level Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker.

**Fall:** Mid-August – mid-December

**Spring:** Late January – late May

**Integrated Studies Program**

- 12-18 credits per semester
- Classes meet Monday-Thursday, giving you long weekends for travel
- One language and one culture class required as part of cultural immersion
- Choose 2-4 courses from regular course offering with local students
- Optional internship or Service Learning course

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA overall and 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Completion of one semester of advanced college-level Spanish or the equivalent, or native/near-native speakers of Spanish. All applicants must be at least 18 years old before program begins.

**Fall:** Mid-August – late December

**Spring:** Late January – late May

**Short-Term Programs**

The short-term programs consist of two four-week summer sessions. Students may choose to enroll in one or both of these terms. During this time, you take an intensive language and culture course or regular offerings in various subject areas. All courses are taught in Spanish. During this time, you will also have ample time to discover the culture and people of Puerto Rico. The Spanish Studies resident director guides you through this process of discovery by organizing special cultural activities.

**Summer Terms**

- Intensive Spanish courses for all language levels
- Choose courses with locals in a variety of disciplines: Humanities, Communication, Education, Natural Sciences, Business Administration, etc.
- 3-6 semester credits

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA overall. One semester of college level Spanish or the equivalent. All applicants must be at least 18 years old before program begins. Enrollment in individual courses, especially courses with locals, may have additional prerequisites.

**Summer Term Dates**

Combine terms or just enroll in one.

- **Summer Term 1**
  - Late May - late June
- **Summer Term 2**
  - Late June - late July
- **Summer Terms 1 & 2**
  - Late May - late July
**SEMESTER COURSES**

**LANGUAGE COURSES (3 CREDITS)**
- SPAN 106PR  Reading for Composition
- SPAN 191-193PR  Spanish as a Foreign Language, Level 1-2
- SPAN 225PR  Oral Communication
- SPAN 226PR  Advanced Grammar
- SPAN 227PR  Advanced Composition
- SPAN 291PR  Spanish as a New Language, Level 3
- SPAN 293PR  Spanish as a New Language, Level 4

**CULTURE & HISTORY (3 CREDITS)**
- HIST 212PR  The Birth of a Puerto Rican Nation
- HIST 215PR  The Political, Economic and Social Reality of Puerto Rico, the Caribbean and Latin America

**EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING (3 CREDITS)**
- INT 490PR  Internship
- SVL 492PR  Service Learning Seminar

**SUMMER TERM COURSES**

Students at lower levels of Spanish take the following 6-credit course:

- Spanish as a Foreign Language, Levels 1-2

Students with higher levels of Spanish choose from a variety of 3-credit courses:

- Humanities
- Communication
- Education
- Natural Sciences
- Business Administration

Please refer to www.spanishstudies.org/puertorico for further information.
El hecho de estudiar en La Habana te expone a las perspectivas de un país que evoca la curiosidad y la maravilla. Con su historia, sus vibraciones de música en las calles, y la gente diversa y amigable, no es una sorpresa que exista esta curiosidad. La conversación fluye con facilidad entre los cubanos y los norteamericanos y así es que ocurre un valioso intercambio donde adquieres un entendimiento de la cultura circundante.

A través de las clases ofrecidas en la Universidad de La Habana, el programa Perspectivas, y la vida cotidiana, aprendes de tus propias experiencias dentro del contexto de la cultura cubana. Un país tan cerca geográficamente pero tan lejos del estilo de vida norteamericano, Cuba ofrece una oportunidad única para desarrollar tu visión global. ¡Vas a salir de la isla al final de tus estudios, pero un pedacito de tu corazón siempre se quedará allí!"

—Tom Millington,
Director Residente de Havana

ABOUT HAVANA

Havana, a beautiful city with historic neighborhoods, a captivating waterfront and a diverse cultural heritage, is the perfect setting for a meaningful cross-cultural learning experience. Founded in 1514, this Caribbean gem was a key to the Indies and one of the most prosperous ports in the Americas. As you explore the streets of Havana, the rhythms of rumba surround you, along with the sights and smells of Cuban culture.

The Cuban people are outgoing, friendly and interested in meeting Americans. Cubans, including fellow students at Universidad de La Habana, take pride in their country and in their diverse cultural and political heritage. Spanish Studies Abroad offers students the rare opportunity to immerse themselves in Cuba’s rich blend of African, European and American cultures, and to experience it from within.
YOUR ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE
Spanish Studies Abroad offers you a unique opportunity to study in Cuba, one of America’s nearest and most significant neighbors. You will take classes at the Universidad de la Habana (UH), Cuba’s principal and oldest institution of higher education. Our programs also include participation in an array of cultural activities and study trips designed to encourage direct interaction with the Cuban people.

STUDY TOURS
- Old Havana
- Museum of the Revolution
- Afro-Cuban rumba performances
- Salsa concerts
- Cienfuegos Province
- Viñales in Pinar del Río Province
- Matanzas Province

HOUSING IN HAVANA
All students live in a student residence

During your stay in Cuba, you are housed in a small hotel for visiting scholars that is part of the University of Havana. You share a room with another Spanish Studies Abroad student and are provided three meals a day.

“The world I knew before my trip was turned inside out and upside down. The life I caught a glimpse of in Cuba will always be a part of me and has changed my outlook on the world around me.”
—Roopa Avula, Drew University, NJ
**SPANISH STUDIES PROGRAM**

- 13-16 credits per semester
- Classes meet Monday-Thursday
- 1 mandatory Spanish language course
- Mandatory 1-credit course, *Cultural Realities of Cuba*
- Field-based independent research project, *Perspectivas*
- Specially designed courses for international students taught in Spanish

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of one semester of intermediate level Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker. All applicants must be at least 18 years old before program begins.

**Fall:** Mid-August – late December  
**Spring:** Early February – late May

**INTEGRATED STUDIES PROGRAM**

- 13-16 credits per semester
- Classes meet Monday-Thursday
- 1 mandatory Spanish language course
- Mandatory 1-credit course, *Cultural Realities of Cuba*
- Field-based independent research project, *Perspectivas*
- Choose from a variety of courses offered by UH, with local Cuban students

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA in Spanish coursework. Successful completion of one semester of advanced level Spanish or the equivalent, or heritage speaker. All applicants must be at least 18 years old before program begins.

**Fall:** Mid-August – late December  
**Spring:** Early February – late May

**SHORT-TERM PROGRAMS**

Our short-term programs offer an intensive introduction to contemporary Cuban culture taught at UH. This allows all students interested in studying Cuban culture and society to participate in this special program. Short-term programs include coursework along with day trips and cultural activities.

- Summer term
- Intensive language and culture courses
- 3-6 credits

**Eligibility:** 3.0 GPA overall. All applicants must be at least 18 years old before program begins.
UNIVERSITY COURSES

*Universidad de La Habana* (UH), Cuba’s principal and oldest institution of higher education, affords you the best opportunity to interact with Cuban peers and faculty. In the relatively small UH, virtually all students and professors know each other and enjoy a relaxed and comfortable learning atmosphere. This maximizes the opportunity for contact between Cuban and Spanish Studies Abroad students.

Spanish Studies Abroad has designed a selection of courses in Spanish language and Cuban studies, including Cuban literature, Afro-Cuban history, Cuban socialism, and Cuban cultural studies.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

The University of Havana, founded in 1728, offers a range of courses in the following disciplines: philosophy, history and sociology; arts and letters, including literature; psychology and women’s studies; biology; and health sciences. Learn the following:

- Cuban Cultural Studies
- Cuban Economic Thought
- Ideología y Revolución: Cuba 1959–1962
- Political Economy: Marxist Theory
- Sociology of the Family
- Sociology of Labor
- Spanish Language: Advanced Intermediate
- Women’s Studies
**Programs by Major/Minor**

Spanish Studies Abroad programs offer a wide range of course options to suit many majors. Education, business, health, art, humanities, psychology and, of course, Spanish majors and minors can all find courses that fit their academic interests - and that’s only the beginning. Here is a partial list of majors for which we offer course options.

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**Spanish Studies & Languages**
Language, Literature, Conversation, Culture, Foreign Languages, Translation

**Business & Economics**
International Business, Business Administration, Finance, Economics, Law, Marketing, Human Resources

**Education**
Language Instruction, Teaching Methodology, Educational Psychology, Practicum in Education

**Liberal Arts & Humanities**
History, Literature, Civilization, Art History, Cinema, Latin American Studies, Communications, Geography, Hispanic and European Studies

**Health & Natural Sciences**
Health Science, Environmental Science, Marine Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Engineering, Sports Science, Anatomy

**Social Sciences**
Psychology, Sociology, Anthropology, Social Work, Legal Studies, Political Science, International Relations

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Internships, service learning opportunities and independent research projects are also available for credit. Spanish Studies Abroad works with each student to find the most appropriate placement or to define a research project that is in line with your professional interests and academic needs.

Contact Spanish Studies Abroad or visit: [www.SpanishStudies.org](http://www.SpanishStudies.org) for more detailed information.
APPLICATION PROCEDURES
All prospective students complete an application process designed to find their best courses and program options. In addition to each program’s specific language prerequisites, Spanish Studies Abroad requires a minimum 3.0 in Spanish coursework. Exceptions may be made with strong recommendations from faculty. To apply online, visit: www.spanishstudies.org/apply

FINANCIAL AID
Study abroad is not out of your reach. In fact, many students are able to use part, if not all, of their financial aid for study abroad. Contact us for further information and instructions regarding the transfer of financial aid. Your advisor and financial aid officer can also help you through the steps involved in this process. For more information, visit: www.spanishstudies.org/funding

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
Since 2001, we have awarded over $100,000 to help our students fund their time abroad through the Spanish Studies Abroad scholarship program. These merit and diversity scholarships are available to students enrolled in Spanish Studies Abroad programs. For more information and specific instructions, visit: www.spanishstudies.org/scholarships

PRE-DEPARTURE SUPPORT
Preparing yourself to live in a new culture is essential to a rewarding experience. In addition to the friendly Spanish Studies Abroad programs staff and the information in students’ acceptance materials, we’ve created an array of online resources to help you prepare for your adventure:

• ONLINE RESOURCES AND FAQs
These helpful webpages will answer your questions about what it will be like living abroad in a new culture and how to prepare for your study abroad. Visit:www.spanishstudies.org/resources

• STUDENT REFERENCES
Many Spanish Studies Abroad alumni have volunteered to answer questions about their program. Contact Spanish Studies Abroad to connect with an alum from your school.

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APPLY ONLINE:
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**AFFILIATES & RECENT SENDING INSTITUTIONS**

**ALABAMA**
- Auburn University
  - Birmingham-Southern College
- Samford University

**ARKANSAS**
- Hendrix College
- Lyon College

**CALIFORNIA**
- California State University - Northridge
  - Chapman University
- Mills College
- Los Angeles Valley College
- Point Loma Nazarene University
- Saint Mary’s College
- San Diego State University
- University of the Pacific
- University of California - Berkeley
- Irvine, San Diego
- Whittier College

**COLORADO**
- Colorado State University

**CONNECTICUT**
- Connecticut College
  - University of Saint Joseph
  - University of Hartford

**DELAWARE**
- University of Delaware

**FLORIDA**
- University of Florida
- University of Tampa

**GEORGIA**
- Berry College
  - Georgia State University
- Mercer University
- Oglethorpe University
- Shorter University
- University of Georgia

**INDIANA**
- Bethel College
- Butler University
- St. Ambrose University
- Saint Mary’s College
- University of Notre Dame

**ILLINOIS**
- Augustana College
- Lake Forest College
- Lewis University
- Saint Xavier University

**IOWA**
- Luther College
- Morningside College
- St. Ambrose University
- University of Iowa
- Wartburg College

**KANSAS**
- University of Kansas

**KENTUCKY**
- Bellarmine University
- Georgetown College

**LOUISIANA**
- Xavier University of Louisiana

**MAINE**
- Colby College

**MARYLAND**
- Goucher College
- Mount Saint Mary’s University
- McDaniel College
- University of Maryland - College Park

**MASSACHUSETTS**
- Amherst College
- Bard College at Simon’s Rock
- Emmanuel College
- Harvard University
- Massachusetts College of Art
- Mount Holyoke College
- Smith College
- University of Massachusetts
- Williams College
- Worcester State College

**MICHIGAN**
- Albion College
- Central Michigan University
- Eastern Michigan University
- Grand Valley State University
- Hillsdale College
- Hope College
- Spring Arbor University
- University of Detroit Mercy
- University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

**MINNESOTA**
- Carleton College
- Concordia University-St. Paul
- Concordia College
- Macalester College
- St. Catherine University
- St. Mary’s University of MN
- University of Saint Thomas

**MISSOURI**
- Missouri State University
- Southeast Missouri State University
- Washington University
- Westminster College
- William Jewell College

**MONTANA**
- University of Montana

**NEBRASKA**
- Concordia University
- Doane College
- University of Nebraska-Lincoln

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**
- Keene State College
- Plymouth State University

**NEW JERSEY**
- Drew University
- Fairleigh Dickinson University
- Seton Hall University

**NEW YORK**
- Adelphi University
- College of Saint Rose
- Columbia University
- Cornell University
- Daemen College
- Eugene Lang College
- Fordham University
- Houghton College
- Ithaca College
- Long Island University
- Manhattan College
- Niagara University
- Siena College
- SUNY Fredonia
- SUNY University at Buffalo
- The Sage Colleges
- Union College
- University of Rochester
- Vassar College

**NORTH CAROLINA**
- Guilford College
- High Point University
- Meredith College
- Wake Forest University
- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- Western Carolina University

**OHIO**
- Ashland University
- Heidelberg University
- Kent State University
- Ohio Wesleyan University
- Otterbein University

**OKLAHOMA**
- Oklahoma City University
- Oklahoma State University
- University of Tulsa

**OREGON**
- Lewis & Clark College
- Linfield College
- Pacific University
- Willamette University

**PENNSYLVANIA**
- Albright College
- Allegheny College
- Chatham University
- Eastern University
- Gannon University
- King’s College
- Lafayette College
- Lehigh Valley Association of Independent Colleges
- Moravian College
- Muhlenberg College
- Pennsylvania State University
- Susquehanna University
- Temple University
- West Chester University of PA

**RHODE ISLAND**
- Salve Regina University
- University of Rhode Island

**SOUTH CAROLINA**
- Furman University
- Clemson University
- College of Charleston
- University of South Carolina, Columbia
- University of South Carolina- Upstate
- Winthrop University
- Wofford College

**TENNESSEE**
- Christian Brothers University
- Lipscomb University
- Tennessee Wesleyan College
- University of the South
- University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

**TEXAS**
- Abilene Christian University
- Austin College
- Southwestern University
- Texas State University - San Marcos
- Trinity University
- University of Texas - Dallas
- University of Texas - Austin

**VERMONT**
- Middlebury College
- University of Vermont

**VIRGINIA**
- Hollins University
- Ferrum College
- George Mason University
- University of Virginia
- Virginia Commonwealth University
- Washington & Lee University

**WASHINGTON**
- Bellevue College
- Seattle University
- Seattle Pacific University
- University of Puget Sound
- Whitworth University
- Western Washington University

**WASHINGTON, DC**
- Catholic University of America
- Georgetown University

**WEST VIRGINIA**
- Marshall University

**WISCONSIN**
- Marquette University
- Ripon College
- University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee

**WYOMING**
- University of Wyoming

**CANADA**
- Queen’s University, ON
- Univ. of Waterloo, ON
- University of Winnipeg MB
Our Policies

With nearly 45 years of experience in guiding students to maximize their immersion experience, we have thoughtfully structured our policies so that each student has the opportunity to have a safe and successful study abroad experience.

Spanish Studies Abroad Code of Conduct
Studying abroad requires a significant commitment to personal responsibility. While on a Spanish Studies Abroad program, you are, in effect, a cultural ambassador for your home country, a representative of your home institution, and a member of your adoptive community. As part of the application process, you agree to apply the same standards of conduct and academic integrity while abroad as you would at your home institution. These standards include, but are not limited to:
• Following honest academic standards and maintaining your commitment to academic growth.
• Strict adherence to host country laws and customs.
• Respect for host families and fellow program participants.
• Respect for Spanish Studies Abroad property, professors and staff.
• General personal and academic practices in line with those outlined by your home institution.

Speaking Only Policy
There is no better method for learning a language than immersion supplemented by class work. To help you get the most out of your experience, all your fellow students attending programs with Spanish Studies Abroad are required to adhere to the Spanish-Only Policy.

Transcripts
Spanish Studies Abroad issues transcripts showing course numbers, course titles, number of hours, and grades for all course work undertaken on a Spanish Studies Abroad program. Grades and credits are reported according to the semester-hour system.

As a general rule, you should have all courses, internships and outside studies approved for transfer credit by your home institution before the start of a program. This can normally be arranged through your advisor or registrar, and Spanish Studies Abroad staff is happy to assist.

Health Insurance
Spanish Studies Abroad provides health insurance for all students. In each program location, a Spanish Studies Abroad staff member is available to accompany the student on medical visits. A copy of the insurance policy is included in students' acceptance folders.

Refund Policy
Penalties for withdrawal from a Spanish Studies Abroad program are assessed based upon the length of time between notice of your withdrawal and the start of the program. The deposit is always non-refundable.

In addition to the deposit forfeiture, withdrawal from a Spanish Studies Abroad program incurs the following penalties:
• $500 for withdrawals between final payment due date and 30 days prior to the start of the program.
• 25% of the room and board fee and 100% of the tuition, study tours, general education, and orientation fees for withdrawals between 30 days prior to the start of the program and the day of arrival.

There is no refund for any portion of the program after the program start date.

In the case of homestays, Spanish Studies Abroad may change unsatisfactory lodgings but will not refund any portion of room and board fees after a student's arrival at a home. If the student finds his or her housing to be unsatisfactory, he or she should notify the program's resident director or staff immediately.
Study Abroad Checklist
Learn the Language, Travel the Land, Live the Life

Begin your Spanish Studies Journey Today!

☐ Explore your program options; see what program best fits your abilities and interests.
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☐ Contact Spanish Studies Abroad if you need any advice! Tel. 413.256.0011

☐ Check application deadlines.
   Visit www.spanishstudies.org/deadlines

☐ Talk with your study abroad advisor about your plans, your home institution’s requirements, financial aid, and scholarships.

☐ Go to www.spanishstudies.org/apply to complete your Spanish Studies Abroad application.

“...an open mind and willingness to participate are what lead to enjoying your experience.”
—Whitney Satra
Concordia College, Minnesota
Not sure which program is right for you? We have programs to suit every major, minor, and language level. Take a look at the chart below to find the program(s) that best suits your experience and interests.

For a detailed search, visit www.spanishstudies.org/programfinder

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