Spanish/Hispanic Cultures



Study Away Opportunities

Mexico - Universidad de Guanajuato

City: Guanajuato

Language: Spanish

It is an independent university that offers a focus on the arts. This is reflected in the student life, which has an active cinema club and art scene. Guanajuato is centered around the university, but has a past as a center for silver mining. The town has ties to Mexico's War of Independence, with the site of the first Mexican victory. <u>Sample Classes:</u>

- Phonetics & Phonology
- Advanced Spanish Grammar
- Mexican Poetry
- History of the Spanish Language



The Zócalo, taken by Daniella Rodriguez '16



Spain - Universidad Pablo de Olavide (UPO)

City: Sevilla

Language: Spanish

Consider UPO, a beautiful residential campus situated just outside of Sevilla. The university offers many courses relating to the history, language, and culture of Spain. There are also many opportunities to become immersed in this culture outside of classes including learning flamenco, eating tapas, and exploring the city's hidden Roman and Islamic heritage.

Sample Classes:

- History of Spanish Art
- Spanish Culture Up Close
- Tapas: Una Ventana a la Gaston

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Ecuador - The Pachaysana Institute: Rehearsing

Change

City: Quito, local communities in Ecuador's Amazon region *Language: Spanish*

Join a collective of Ecuadorian and international scholars, artists, development specialists and community organizers as they embrace educational programming that responds to the ever-growing divide between local and global development. Programming consist of face -to-face, creative dialogues between potential change agents from both local and international communities.

Core Courses:

- Identity and Place
- Design and Evaluation of Sustainable Community Projects
- Theatre for Social Change and Innovation
- Storytelling: Language and Movement



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Ecuador - Universidad San Francisco de Quito (BCA)

City: Quito Language: Spanish

Universidad San Francisco de Quito is Ecuador's only liberal arts university. The city of Quito is home to two million people and is known as the City of the Sun and Sky. Quito is a diverse city that includes an urban park larger than Central Park and is surrounded by mountains. Students will improve their Spanish skills while immersed in their homestays. Sample Classes:

- Advanced Grammar II
- Languages & Civilizations
- Latin American Issues
- Translation Studies

Mi Amigo, taken by Kate Brown

Spain - EPA Internship

City: Madrid

Language: Spanish

Madrid bursts with energy, from its rich musical traditions to its late-night bar and restaurant culture. Both the largest city in Spain and its capital, Madrid is home to the Prado and many other important museums, scenic parks, concert halls, cafés and tapas bars. The EPA program in Madrid offers the exciting opportunity to put Spanish language skills into practice through classroom settings and professional internships. Students can explore their career interests while living and studying in one of Spain's most diverse cities. All internships are unpaid. Students work three or four days at their internship while taking two classes.

Spain - IFE Internships

City: Sevilla and Gijon Language: Spanish

The Institute for Field Education (IFE) is a European non profit educational institute which runs semester-long study abroad programs built around field research conducted on-site in a full-time internship. The Asturias Field Study and Internship program will run in the coastal city of Gijon and the Andalucía Field Study and Internship program will take place in the city of Sevilla. These IFE internships offered in these two beautiful and culturally rich cities will focus on student's language fluency and immersion into the host society through the internship and interdisciplinary courses offered.

Faculty-Led Short-Term Programs Abroad

Spanish and Service Learning 3 cr.

ualized Spanish instruction and a service learn-

ing project that you design for an organization

in the city of Quetzaltenango. This two-week

meaningfully engage with Guatemalan culture.

The course abroad is in May, with the option

of extending the immersion program a mini-

mum of four additional weeks to complete a

program will maximize the development of

your Spanish language proficiency as you

Guatemala

Mexico

Language and Culture in Orizaba 4 cr This interdisciplinary course combines individ-

Live and study in an environment in which you derive maximum benefits from your encounter with Mexican culture. 3 hours of Spanish language instruction in the morning. Afternoon classes will examine topics such as cultural diversity in Mexico, contemporary political, economic, and social change, etc. A variety of excursions will be organized for late afternoons.



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Study Abroad 101 Info Sessions are held Wednesdays at 4pm @ the Oller Center Patio

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