Spain
Madrid, Sevilla, Cordoba, & Granada

Summer 2015

Andalucía: The Crossroads of Cultures

Honors College

Program Overview

The purpose of this course is to study the crossing of art and cultures in Andalucía in the cities of Sevilla, Cordoba, and Granada. Here, different cultures: Arab, Jewish, and Christian famously coexisted for approximately seven centuries following the Moorish invasions of Spain in CE 711, until victorious Christianity in the late 15th century. The three fascinating Andalucian cities embody a contemporary presence unique to Andalucia. The Andalucian history of the three cultures ‘testing each other’ left a rich legacy of in art, architecture, historical sights, language, music, and most of all: a contemporary, vibrant Andalucian culture in which all these cultural influences find their expression!

We will explore Andalucía’s three main cities of Sevilla, Cordoba, and Granada (beginning in Madrid with an excursion from Granada to Motril at the Mediterranean Sea) to try to understand how culture affects art, how different cultures seek different expressions, how art represents meaning and value. The course will provide invaluable ‘hands-on’ experience of Andalucian cultures including observing artistic masterworks in their original, unique forms.

Preparatory meetings during spring semester 2015, Research paper, and Travel Journal. See instructor for specific details. No Spanish language requirement. Open to all WSU students!

Program Dates

June 21 - July 5, 2015

Courses

This program requires 3 credits (choose one course).

Honors 380* (3) - Global Issues in Arts & Humanities
Honors 430** (3) - Education Abroad Research

*Open to non-honors students.
**By permission of the professor

Program Cost

Fixed Expenses Billed by WSU*: TBD
Estimated Additional Expenses*: $2,760

*Please see second page for cost breakdowns and additional information.

Application Instructions

Application Deadline: 02/01/2015

Apply Online:
http://mystudyabroad.wsu.edu/?go=FLSpainAndalucia

For More Information

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**COST BREAKDOWN**

**FIXED EXPENSES BILLED BY WSU**

- Participation Expense* $1,410
- WSU Tuition TBD
- Global Learning Application Fee $125
- SCEA Orientation Fee $50
- International Insurance Fee ($2.23 per day) $33.45

Total Paid to WSU TBD

*PARTICIPATION EXPENSE includes excursions, accommodation, and program related in-country travel. Note: A minimum number of participants is needed for this program.

**ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL EXPENSES***

- Personal Expenses $900
- Airfare $1,700
- Books and Supplies $20
- U.S. Passport** $140
- Visa** N/A

Total Estimated Expenses $2,760

*All additional costs are ESTIMATED and may vary. These costs are not billed by WSU and are the sole responsibility of the participant. **Please see the Passport and Visa section for additional information.

**FINANCIAL AID**

Participants eligible for financial aid can use aid toward this program. Please note that per federal regulations, financial aid is released on the first day of the regular WSU semester, or ten days prior to the participant’s program start date, whichever is LATER. Participants must budget accordingly.

To receive Financial Aid:
1) Indicate an intent to use financial aid on the Financial Aid & Scholarships questionnaire in the Global Learning online application.
2) Have a completed FAFSA for the appropriate academic year abroad.
3) Global Learning Department will submit the participant’s program related costs to Student Financial Services.

For more information, please contact Global Learning or Student Financial Services.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Minimum of a 2.5 GPA
- Must be a current WSU student

**PASSPORTS AND VISAS**

- U.S. PASSPORT - estimated at $140
- VISA* - not required for U.S. citizens

*Other nationalities must check the cost and requirements with perspective consulates or embassies.

**INSURANCE**

All participants are required to purchase International Insurance through the Global Learning Department. Please talk to a Global Learning Advisor for more information.

**REFUND POLICY**

Participants are responsible for the Fixed Expenses of the program once they have committed to the program application and the application deadline has passed.

**ORIENTATIONS**

All faculty-led participants are required to attend the following orientations prior to departure:
- **Global Learning PRE-DEPARTURE ORIENTATION** online session.
- **FACULTY-DIRECTED ORIENTATIONS** take place over multiple sessions and will be planned by the program faculty director.
- **SCEA ORIENTATION** (Social Competency in Education Abroad) consists of two sessions and one online assessment. To learn more visit: http://adcaps.wsu.edu/educationabroad/.
- **FACULTY-LED AND FINANCIAL PLANNING** online training is a required application component that provides additional details on the application process, costs of the program, billing, financial aid, other relevant information. This training is accessible once an application is started.

*All orientations are mandatory.

**BILLING SCHEDULE**

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*The Billing Schedule is subject to change. Students will be notified of the final billing schedule via email once the program has been confirmed after the application deadline. The program is subject to cancellation pending the final number of participants. Please note that most, if not all, of these charges may be due before the release of financial aid. Please see the Global Learning Department for more details.