

Summer
Study Abroad
2008



Argentina

MAY 19–JUNE 29, 2008

Application Deadline

February 15, 2008

Application Information

Submit directly to
Phyllis Dudding
Dept. of Latin American/
Iberian Studies
Puryear Hall G-16

Acceptance Notification

February 26, 2008

Cost

Approximately \$4,100
This cost includes domestic
airfares in Argentina.

Payment Schedule

- Non-refundable \$150 deposit due March 7, 2008 (make check payable to the University of Richmond, designated Argentina Study Abroad Program, and submit with your application)
- 1st payment due March 14
- Final payment due April 18

Argentina: Exciting Culture, Amazing Landscape

The University of Richmond's Summer Program in Argentina offers a unique opportunity to experience and learn about Latin America, while progressing in the study of Spanish.

The entire program is designed to provide students with an informed sense of the past, and continuing opportunities to experience the vitality of contemporary life in Argentina, its politics, arts, economy, and its plentiful nature. This ambitious objective is carried out through varied activities that are combined with specially designed academic work.

In seeking to learn more about the spirit of this culture, classes are complemented with activities such as horseback riding; a two-day trekking journey in the Córdoba High Hills; tango and salsa lessons; excursions to visit the Argentine Northwest, its Indian ruins and the rich Colonial past; a tour of Salta city; an exploration of Buenos Aires, the great metropolis; peñas (folkloric singing and dancing gatherings); the traditional asados (barbecued meat); etc.

Classes are held at Blas Pascal University. Only participants in these classes are students in the program.

What's Included?

Cost for this program includes:

- 8 credit hours tuition
- Air transportation from Buenos Aires to Córdoba and from Córdoba to Buenos Aires.
- Lodging plus breakfast, lunch and dinner in Argentine households (4 weeks in Córdoba City)
- 5 nights lodging plus continental breakfast in Buenos Aires (7 days visit)
- Three-day visit to the Córdoba mountains.
- One-day excursions to little towns in Córdoba.
- Seven-day excursion to the North West (colonial and indigenous Argentina), lodging, most meals, and transportation included (provinces visited: Tucumán, Salta and Jujuy)

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- Ground transportation to and from the different cities.
- On-site supervision by program director.

Deadlines

A limited number of spaces are available. Students must apply to the Director of the program. Application forms are available in the Department of Latin American and Iberian Studies (LAIS) office (Puryear Hall G-16) or the LAIS website (<http://lais.richmond.edu>). The LAIS Department offers a limited number of merit-based scholarships. Non-University of Richmond students may inquire at their respective schools for similar aid.

Credits

Students may earn up to 8 credits:

- Spanish 303. Spanish in the Media
- Spanish 305. Spanish in Politics and Society
- Spanish 312. Argentine and Latin American Culture
- Spanish 385. Spanish Writing Workshop
- Spanish 497. Selected Topic: Argentine Short Story

Language Requirement

Successful completion of Intermediate Spanish (200 level) or equivalent.

All dates and costs are approximate and subject to change as are program details. The University of Richmond reserves the right to alter the program costs as a result of fluctuations of international currency.



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