Study Abroad in Cádiz, Spain

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Academics
What courses are available?

- Any level of Spanish language 1000 – 4000
- Conversation Credit
- Peninsular Literature
- Spanish Civilization and Culture
- Spanish for Professionals: SPAN 4500/4501
- Foreign Language Education – Secondary Methods: FLED 4500/4510
All classes will take place at the University of Cádiz, in Cádiz, Spain, which is located in Andalucía on the southern tip of Spain.

Classes run Monday – Thursday and focus on developing speaking proficiency rather than on grammar.

Courses at La UCA utilize innovative techniques for teaching Spanish (communicative and task-based teaching).
Andalucía
Program cost
$4,850 plus VSU Tuition

$3,350 with QEP funding

Hope Scholarship covers VSU tuition / Pell grants may also be applied

Payment Deadlines:

- November 1, 2013: $200 deposit
- February 1, 2014: $2,325 1st Installment
- April 1, 2014: $2,325 Final Installment
What does the program include?

- Round trip **airfare** from Atlanta to Madrid
- **Transportation** within Spain (for excursions and airport transfers)
- Three nights in Madrid in a 4-star hotel
- Overnight **excursions** to Córdoba and Segovia
- **Room and Board** for 4 weeks in Cádiz
- Weekly **Laundry** Service
- Program fees at the University of Cádiz
- **Excursions** to: Sevilla, Pueblos Blancos, & EL Puerto de Santa María (bodega & castle)
Scholarships and funding opportunities
Internal scholarships are available this year ($1,000 and $500)

You must apply to the program and pay your $200 deposit by November 1, 2013 to be eligible for internal awards

Scholarship applications are due by November 30, 2013

The committee will meet after February 1 to determine the winners. The awards will apply to the final payment.
QEP Scholarships ($1,500)

- Enrolled or interested in SFP/FLED, complete research project, and participate in service learning in Spain
- 15- $1,500 scholarships available: 5 FLED, 10 SFP scholarships
- First come, first-served (apply asap)
- QEP application is due in addition to program application
The Gilman award is available: $3,500!

Must be a Pell Grant recipient

Let Dr. Russell know if you are eligible

There will be a separate meeting for Gilman applicants
Yanke Candles will be available to sell later this semester. 40% of proceeds go to your study abroad account!

A student earned almost $1,000 last year with Yankee Candle Sales

Fellowship Travel Raffle: $1,000 and $500
Questions?
Program overview

Andalucía and Cádiz
All students stay in the historic district of Cádiz, which is within walking distance of the University of Cádiz.
This plaza is very close to the university in Cádiz.
There are miles of beautiful beaches all within walking distance of the university and home-stays.
View of the beach in Cádiz
Plaza Mina, Cádiz
We have been working with many of the same families for the past three years and they are wonderful!
Participants commented that staying with a host family was the best part of the program.
Trip highlights from 2013
First day in Madrid!
The students enjoyed their time in Madrid, but they were not used to walking so much!
We had a guided tour of the Royal Palace in Madrid.
As a surprise from the Spanish travel agency, we were given the official tour bus of the soccer team from Cádiz!
VSU students traveled in luxury!
We had a new excursion this year to Segovia, Spain.
Segovia was a big hit with the students!
We had a guided tour of the city, cathedral, and castle.

Segovia, Spain
We arrived in Segovia on the Day of the Alcázar.
The students wanted more time in Segovia!
After touring Segovia, we boarded the bus for Córdoba. Tickets to a flamenco show were included in the program.
We also had a guided tour of Córdoba and the Mezquita.
Our tour also included the Judería.

Córdoba, Spain
We stay in top 3- and 4-star hotels during travel days. Pictured here is the hotel in Córdoba.
Excursion to Sevilla.

Sevilla, Spain
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The cathedral in Sevilla.
Pueblos Blancos: Ronda
Students had a guided tour of Ronda and the bull ring museum.
Two VSU students did an internship with the Red Cross in addition to their coursework in Spain.
Bodega El Puerto de Santa María

The castle in Puerto de Santa María.
Students had the opportunity to learn about sherry and to taste it.
Students had the option to take flamenco dance classes.
Trying new foods and tapas was also a favorite pastime in Spain.
¿Questions?

For more information

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Interested in the QEP scholarship?

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¡Gracias!

Join us for a life-changing experience in Cádiz!