



STUDY & INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA

PROGRAMS START EVERY MONDAY



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This Study & Internship program combines a minimum 4 week Standard Group Spanish Study program followed up with a minimum 16 week Internship Work Experience placement in the community. All internship opportunities will work in partnership with local people in a variety of community-based projects. This unique program offers exciting hands-on work opportunities, meaningful cultural immersion, and an enriching language program.



CITY AND COUNTRY INFO

Buenos Aires is a sprawling metropolis that rises from the Río Plata and stretches more than 194 square kilometers (75 square miles) to the surrounding pampas, the fertile Argentine plains. Block after block of tidy, high-rise apartment buildings interspersed with 19th century houses continue as far as the eye can see. Dozens of suburban neighborhoods, each with its own particular character and well-groomed parks, surround the downtown area.

Unlike most South American cities, whose architectural styles reveal a strong Spanish colonial influence, Buenos Aires looks more like Paris, with wide boulevards lined with palatial mansions. Flowers are sold at colorful corner kiosks, the smell of freshly baked bread fills the air around well-stocked bakeries, and cafés appear on every block.

HIGHLIGHTS OF PROGRAM

After participating in this Study & Internship Program in Buenos Aires, students will gain unique cross-cultural professional experience, greatly improved foreign language abilities, personal and professional growth and confidence both nationally and internationally, and culturally sensitive yet sound communication skills

What's Included

- **Tuition and Class Materials:** 4 week minimum-group 20 Spanish 50 minute lessons per week in group of 5- 12 students per class.
- **Internship Placement:** in local Business or Organization
- **Lodging:** In a Shared Apartment or Homestay
- **Arrival Transfer**
- **Placement Testing**
- **1-2 Organized Activities Weekly***
- * Entrance fees, transportation, etc. may be at additional cost.
- **Access to E-mail**
- **Access to Multimedia Learning Center**
- **Certificate of Completion**
- **Pre-Departure Information**
- **Planning Guide**
- **Medical, Accident and Sickness Coverage ****
- ** See policy for definitions and exclusions.
- **Medivac Coverage**
- **Other Travel Coverage:** repatriation, baggage, personal effects, accidental death and dismemberment , etc.
- **24 Hour Emergency Multilingual Hotline:** call collect from anywhere in the world

FULL PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

STUDY PROGRAM

The study portion of the program includes 20 hours per week of Group Spanish classes with a 4 week minimum prior to internship. Maximum number of students per class is 5, with the average being 2 students. Groups are organized in a way that each will always consist of students possessing the same level of Spanish.

All of our teachers are native speakers with university educations who are very experienced at teaching Spanish to foreigners. Most have learned a second language themselves and understand the student's perspective.

The method is based on the 4 language skills: listening, grammar, oral and written comprehension. No English will be used in class. Classes are 55 minutes in length. Classes are either from 9 until 1 or 2 until 6 with two short snack breaks.

Our program is divided into 6 levels of study. The first 4 are concentrated on grammar, vocabulary, practical situations, and conversation. The next 2 levels, advanced and superior, focus mainly on conversation and advanced reading and writing topics.

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

After the minimum 4 week study program, there is a 16 week minimum internship placement in a business or organization in one of the following fields:

- Gastronomy
- Medical Field
- Social/Legal Work
- Education
- Automation
- Tourism
- Arts & Handicrafts
- Sports

Internship placements are located 15-20 minutes from the institute in Buenos Aires.

LODGING OPTIONS

Students stay in homestays during their Study Program and in student flats during their Internship Program.

HOMESTAY

Students staying in a homestay will be able to practice their Spanish and be exposed to local culture. Middle class families are carefully selected and provide each student with a private room. Do not assume that you are too old for a homestay as many of our students are older than their host "parents". For many of our students, their homestay is one of the most rewarding experiences.

STUDENT FLATS

All flats are located in residential neighborhoods in Buenos Aires, between 20 – 30 minutes walking distance from the city center, and offer the students a maximum of security and comfort with a fully equipped kitchen, a furnished living room and bedrooms. Each flat hosts between 3 and 6 students.

PRICE

Cost of minimum 4 weeks of classes, minimum of 16 weeks of internship placement, and minimum of 20 weeks total of housing is:

\$4,833

ELIGIBILITY AND GUIDELINES

U.S. citizens traveling with regular passports for tourism or business do not need a visa for a stay of 90 days or less. Those planning a longer visit must obtain a visa in advance of arrival.

Minimum age of 18 undergraduate, graduate students and adults with an undergraduate degree or higher are eligible.

Prior experience in the field of the internship placement and a Spanish background (Spanish Intermediate level) are required. Internship positions on a space available basis. These are unpaid positions and there is a limited number of positions every month.

ACTIVITIES

- We invite you to participate in our weekly activities: city tours, cooking lessons, museum tours, parks, or bars.
- Passing through the city you can also see tango shows, football matches or go to a delicious barbecue.
- On the weekend we take trips to the Tigre delta, Mendoza, Tandil, Córdoba and other areas to enjoy local festivals or the beautiful countryside.
- For the adventure lovers, we organize horseback trekking, trekking, rappel and canoeing excursions.

HOW TO REGISTER

To register for the STUDY & INTERNSHIP PROGRAM in Buenos Aires, either follow the link below or call 1-888-678-6211.

<http://www.nrcsa.com/reg/online/regform.html>

Also, you will have to send your Curriculum Vitae/Resume in Spanish OR English, typewritten by email to study@nrcsa.com or fax at 414-271-8884. When you register, \$140 USD is due to secure your place in the program.