



EXECUTIVE PROGRAM BARCELONA, SPAIN PROGRAMS START EVERY MONDAY



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This Executive Language program gives participants the opportunity to learn Spanish with native business practices, ethics, dialog, and mannerisms. The goal of this unique program is to deliver the knowledge and experience so participants can gain a competitive advantage in the international business world. In addition to learning in the classroom, participants will be exposed to local and regional businesses, and will discover how business is conducted first-hand.



CITY AND COUNTRY INFO

Barcelona is one of the most beautiful and exciting cities in the world. It has a huge number of attractions including a city center which retains its medieval street plan; some stunning modernist architecture including several buildings by Gaudi - Spain's most famous architect; dozens of museums including one dedicated to Picasso, another to Miro and yet another to Barcelona's world famous football club. There are two major arts festivals during the year, one in the summer and one in the autumn, and there are concerts and shows of different kinds happening all the time. Barcelona is almost as lively at night as it is during the day and it has a unique, exciting atmosphere, which provides the visitor with a truly unforgettable experience.

The city enjoys an almost perfect climate making it an ideal place to be at any time of the year. It even has its own sandy beaches located on the serene Mediterranean. The city's geographical position also makes it the easiest Spanish city to reach from the rest of Europe and there are direct flights from most cities in the world to its prize-winning international airport.

HIGHLIGHTS OF PROGRAM

After participating in the Executive Language program in Barcelona, participants will return with an improved comprehension of the native language, a savvy understanding of how locals conduct business operations, knowledge of cultural and societal issues, and what to expect when managing international business.

What's Included

- **Tuition and Class Materials:** Executive Language classes: minimum 2 week enrollment
- **Lodging:** In a Homestay, Apartment, Student Residence, or Hotel accommodation upon request
- **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

This program offers Business Spanish courses designed to help those who need to use the language in their work. The aim of these courses is to help improve your level of competence in many typical work-related activities such as participating in meetings, using the telephone, negotiating and selling, making presentations, etc. Students are also introduced to a range of business vocabulary and gain an insight into the sort of cultural differences that you may encounter while doing business in a Spanish-speaking country.

Students have the option to enroll in 4 or 6 hours of lessons per day. In addition, this course can be combined with an intensive language course that will help students their overall level of competency in Spanish. Both programs are designed for intermediate or advanced speakers. All teachers are professionally trained and have experience teaching Spanish to international students. The minimum duration of this program is 2 weeks.

LODGING OPTIONS

HOMESTAY

Living with a Spanish family is the best way for students to learn the language and experience Spanish culture firsthand. All host families are carefully selected by the school's accommodation department. Homestay accommodation is available throughout the year. Most families live near the school and are rarely more than 20 minutes away by public transport. Host families provide students with private rooms, a shared bathroom, and breakfast daily.

APARTMENT

The school offers students who are staying in Barcelona for 4 weeks or more the possibility of renting a fully furnished, self-catering apartment. Most of these are located within 15-20 minutes of the school by public transport. Students have the option to rent a studio or multi-bedroom apartment.

STUDENT RESIDENCE

A student residence is available during July, August, and September only and at an additional cost. There are two student residences: one that is part of the university, and one that is a large, independent apartment complex. This option is best suited for students who wish to meet other international students.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

Students have the option to live in a hotel. Prices vary, but a single room in a standard 2-star hotel with private bathroom and breakfast included, currently costs around 40 Euros per night, while 4-star hotels start at around 85 Euros per night.

PRICE RANGE

Cost of 2 weeks of Business program, lodging, and registration fees ranges between:

\$1,542 → \$1,844**

**Cost ranges according to lodging options.

ELIGIBILITY AND GUIDELINES

U.S. citizens traveling on 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.

Minimum age of 18 unless accompanied by an adult.

ACTIVITIES AND EXCURSIONS

The cultural department at the school organizes a varied program of social activities for Spanish students. All costs of the social program are included in the course fees, except when an excursion involves the hire of a coach bus. Activities regularly include:

- Welcome and farewell parties
- Lectures on topics of interest
- Concerts by local musicians
- Visits to discos
- Accompanied visits to places of interest in and around Barcelona
- Films in Spanish
- Language exchange evenings with our Spanish, English, French, and German students

During the summer months there is a full day excursion every 2 weeks to places such as the Salvador Dalí museum in Figueres, the provincial capitals of Girona and Tarragona, the beaches of the Costa Brava or the sacred mountain of Montserrat.

HOW TO REGISTER

To register for the EXECUTIVE PROGRAM in Barcelona, either follow the link below or call 1-888-678-6211.

<http://www.nrcsa.com/reg/on-line/regform.html>

When you register, \$140 USD is due to secure your place in the program.