

Social Workers & Helping Professionals

COSTA RICA

San José June 26 - July 26, 2014

OVERVIEW

This program incorporates all the advantages of Study Abroad and cultural immersion with the gracious Costa Rican people or "Ticos." It is designed to prepare helping professionals (e.g., social work, clinical psychology, medicine) to successfully work with Latino populations both in the United States and abroad. With a focus on Latino individuals, families, and organizations, the curriculum simultaneously integrates international social work and social welfare by incorporating site visits to agencies within the host community, language study, and cultural immersion within a six-week program (2 weeks online; 4 weeks in Costa Rica). This program is set in the tranquil hills of Santa Ana, west of San José.

Note: Students must complete 2 weeks of online coursework between June 9-20, 2014.

AREAS OF STUDY

Helping Professions, International Affairs, Nursing, Pre-Med, Psychology, Social Work, Spanish Language

Visit international.fsu.edu for course listing and course descriptions.

ELIGIBILITY/PREREQUISITES

This program is open to all interested students, both graduate and undergraduate.

HOUSING

Students live with selected Costa Rican host families, developing direct knowledge of the local and social structure. Breakfast and dinner are eaten with the host family. Lunch and a snack are provided at the Conversa Linguistic Center on class days.



PROGRAM SPECIFIC EXCURSIONS & GROUP ACTIVITIES*

Cultural immersion/social events planned for this program may include:

- Welcome lunch & farewell dinner
- Overnight Pacific coast beach stay
- Visit to Manuel Antonio National Park, where monkeys and Iguanas share the landscape
- Excursion to the sight of the active Arenal volcano & Hot Springs
- Exhilarating zip lining tour
- Relaxing at nearby natural Hot Springs
- Thrilling white-water rafting down the Pacuare River
- Overnight stay in the rain forest
- Coffee tour including comedy theater and lunch

**Plans may change due to unexpected events and/or new opportunities.*

DATES & FEES

Program dates, details, and fees are subject to change.

Visit international.fsu.edu for payment deadlines.

June 26 - July 26, 2014 (30 nights)

\$5,775 SJ04

FEE INCLUDES

The program fee above includes:

- All registration fees
- Instructional costs for up to 6 undergraduate or graduate credits
- Welcome orientation
- Housing with host family: breakfast & dinner at host home, snack & lunch at Conversa
- Wireless internet at Conversa
- Program planned excursions
- Program planned group activities
- Full-time academic support
- Full-time administrative support
- Health Insurance
- International Student ID Card
- Scheduled group pickup at airport
- Airport exit tax
- IP T-shirt and travel water bottle

NOT INCLUDED

Round-trip international airfare; passport; food (except as noted); books and supplies; personal travel/activity/spending money; university-assessed fees (e.g. per credit hour technology fee). Visit international.fsu.edu for technology fee information.



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CZECH REPUBLIC

Prague July 5 - August 9, 2014



OVERVIEW

After the fall of communism in 1989, the borders of the Czech Republic reopened and Prague surfaced as an internationally-recognized center of culture in the heart of Europe. Prague is renowned for its concentration of medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque influences, and provides a fascinating vantage point from which to study contemporary human rights and social justice issues in the historical context of Fascism and Communism. Excursions blend academic and cultural experiences revealing the region's achievements and the challenges yet to be overcome in championing human rights. Students in international affairs and political science courses visit sites related to World War II atrocities and Communist-era crimes as well as contemporary human rights concerns. Students in social work courses visit settings such as drug treatment clinics, domestic violence centers, HIV/AIDS prevention and care sites, human rights organizations, courts, and prisons. Courses offered can be used to satisfy requirements for the Honors Certificate in Human Rights Leadership, Interdisciplinary Program in Russian and Eastern European Studies, and the International Affairs and Social Work degree programs.

Please Note: Students must complete one week of online coursework before arrival in Prague.

AREAS OF STUDY

Human Rights, International Affairs, Political Science, Russian and Eastern European Studies, Social Work

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ELIGIBILITY/PREREQUISITES

This program is open to all interested students.

HOUSING

Program participants will be housed in comfortable shared furnished apartments.

PROGRAM SPECIFIC EXCURSIONS & GROUP ACTIVITIES*

Cultural immersion/social events planned for this program may include:

- Welcome dinner
- Excursion to Berlin, Germany
- Excursion to Terezin & Lidice, Czech Republic
- Day trip to Nurnberg
- Excursion to the medieval Czech village of Cesky Krumlov
- Guided tour of Prague Castle
- Tour of Jewish Town
- Visit to the Museum of Communism
- Farewell dinner
- Course specific-field trips: *Please see Overview for course related trips' details.*

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DATES & FEES

Program dates, details, and fees are subject to change.

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July 5 - August 9, 2014 (34 nights)

\$5,955 PR03

FEE INCLUDES

The program fee above includes:

- All registration fees
- All instructional costs for up to 6 undergraduate or graduate credits
- Housing
- Welcome orientation
- Program planned excursions
- Program planned group activities
- Many course-specific field trips
- Public transportation pass
- Full-time academic support
- Full-time administrative support
- Health Insurance
- International Student ID Card
- IP T-shirt and travel water bottle

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