

Argentina

May 14 - June 2 **3 HOURS CREDIT**

Human Rights in Argentina:

Sponsored by the Department of Psychology, the Department of Modern and Classical Languages, the Center for Latin American and Latino Studies, and the Center for Human Rights and Democracy Studies.

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TENTATIVE ITINERARY

Highlights of the projected program are listed below. The university reserves the right to alter travel and other arrangements if required by circumstances.

May 14	Depart Atlanta.
May 15	Arrive in Cordoba (afternoon).
May 16	Bus and walking tours of Cordoba, Paseo de las Artes flea market and night on the town.
May 17	Walking tour and blogging workshop.
May 18	Morning lectures, afternoon visit to University Program on Human Rights and Psychology
May 19	Field trips to human rights and historic sites
May 20	Hiking trip to La Cumbrecita
May 21	Field trip to rights and historic sites, afternoon lecture
May 22	Field trip to Alta Gracia (Jesuit Estancia, Che Guevara's house)

APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 6, 2015

Because program size is limited, early application is strongly advised. Individual interviews may be scheduled with students upon receipt of application.

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May 24	Bus tour to historical and cultural sites Argentinian barbecue
May 25	National holiday; evening overnight bus Buenos Aires
May 26	Arrive in Buenos Aires; city tour
May 27-29	Visit human rights sites
May 30	Free day for shopping; optional tours
May 31	Bus tour of La Boca and San Telmo Neighborhoods
June 2	Depart Buenos Aires.

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THE PROGRAM

Georgia State University's Summer Program in Human Rights in Argentina is an exciting 2 ½-week examination of Argentina's transition from dictatorship to democracy after undergoing the most traumatic period in its history: The military dictatorship in which 30,000 people were abducted, tortured and killed in secret detention places. The program is conducted in ENGLISH and no knowledge of Spanish is required to participate. Students will spend the first 10 days in the city of Cordoba (the second largest city in Argentina), which in the 1970s was one of the major sites where thousands disappeared and gross violations of human rights took place. During that time, students will attend morning lectures taught by professors from the National University of Cordoba from departments such as History, Political Science and Psychology, as well as by human rights activists and other persons familiar with the topic. Afternoon visits and field trips relevant to the program will include a visit to the Cabildo (the old City Hall building), which housed the D2 Police Intelligence Unit and La Perla concentration camp. Some afternoons, as well as one full weekend, will be spent visiting tourist sites in the area, such as the city of Alta Gracia with Che Guevara's house and museum, and the colonial Jesuit Estancias. The last week of the program will be spent in Buenos Aires (the capital and largest city in Argentina), where students will visit offices of human rights organizations, such as the Mothers of Plaza de Mayo,

Cordoba and Buenos Aires, Argentina: Human Rights in Argentina — From Dictatorship to Democracy (1976-Today)

former secret detention centers the ESMA and El Atletico, and the Parque de la Memoria memorial wall and sculpture garden. This interdisciplinary program is suited for students in the literature/culture concentration of the Department of Modern and Classical Languages, and students pursuing a certificate degree in Latin American Studies through the Center for Latin American and Latino Studies. The program is also suited for students in departments such as Anthropology, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, or Women's Studies who have an interest in international approaches within their disciplines.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Participants will stay in a comfortable, double-occupancy hotel near the facilities of the host university in Cordoba, and in a hotel in the center of Buenos Aires.

Disability Accommodations

Students with documented disabilities who may need accommodations during their study abroad experience should discuss these needs with the program director and the Office of Disabilities at the time of application.

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The program is open to undergraduate and graduate students who meet all academic requirements of the Georgia State University College of Arts and Sciences. Students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher. Program size is limited and participation is contingent upon acceptance by the program director.

CREDITS AND COURSES

Participants who successfully complete the program's course will receive three semester hours of course credit at Georgia State University. Undergraduates should register for PSYC4650 (cross listed with SPAN3395). Graduate students should register for PSYC6650. Students from other institutions should follow their institution's regulations concerning transfer credits.

COST

Program cost may vary at any time according to currency fluctuations and changing travel arrangements. The cost is tentatively set at \$2,200 **PLUS** regular Georgia State tuition and fees. Non-resident/out-of-state students will pay in-state tuition plus a \$250 fee in addition to the program cost.

In order to allow for students who want to stay in Argentina after completion of the program or to use frequent flyer miles, etc., we have not included airfare in the cost estimate. Students should make arrangements as soon as possible to arrive in Cordoba on or before May 15. (Typical flights are overnight, so students should expect to depart on May 14 or earlier,) with departure from Buenos Aires on or after June 1. (Arrival in Atlanta the following day.)

Price Includes

- Ground transportation, excursions and entrance fees in Cordoba and Buenos Aires
- One meal per day (breakfast is included with hotel stay); some additional meals included
- Hotels in Cordoba and Buenos Aires (15 nights)
- Health/Evacuation/Repatriation insurance
- Cordoba-Buenos Aires bus

Price Does NOT Include

- · Georgia State tuition and fees
- Public transportation in Buenos Aires
- Round-trip airfare
- Passport fees
- Personal expenses and excess baggage charges

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

February 6, 2015 - \$500 deposit with application

March 6, 2015 - \$1,000 payment due

April 24, 2015 - \$700 remaining balance

(All payments are non-refundable upon receipt.)

Program Deposit Payments: Participants will pay program deposits by logging into PAWS. Please contact your Program Director to confirm that a Program Deposit Account has been established for this purpose before you attempt to make a payment in PAWS.

Program Payments and Remaining Program Balance: Other than the initial program deposit, all program payments-along with the remaining program balance-will be billed directly to your student account. Refer to the academic/registration calendar for the tuition and fees deadline.

FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Georgia State students are also eligible to apply for the IEF Study Abroad Scholarship/Georgia State University Foundation Scholarship. Visit **mystudyabroad.gsu.edu** for the application or contact, Study Abroad Programs at 404-413-2529, for more information.

Contact the Enrollment Services at **404-413-2600** for information on how financial aid might apply toward the program.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Students interested in applying should find this program's listing at **mystudyabroad.gsu.edu** and begin an online application.

Transient Students: Please see the Transient Student section under the Explore & Apply tab.

International students at Georgia State who hold F-I visas must contact the Office of International Student and Scholar Services at 404-413-2070 to discuss possible implications of study abroad for their immigration status.

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