

Summer **Spotlight** Series

Learning Abroad Information Sessions



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Buenos Aires, Argentina

Fall, Spring, AY

SPAN 1001 – 3015 +

Winter Break, May, Summer

SPAN 1003 – 3015 +

SPAN 1022 (WB only)

- Spanish, Arts, Humanities, Business, Psychology courses
- Homestay option
- Internships, community engagement opportunities



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Madrid, Spain

Fall, Spring, AY

SPAN 1003 – SPAN 1004, Spanish electives

May, Summer

SPAN 1022 – SPAN 1004

- Spanish, Arts, Humanities, Business, Psychology
 - University courses available
- Homestays, dormitories, shared apartments
- Internship and research opportunities



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Toledo, Spain

Fall, Spring, AY, Summer
SPAN 3015 +

May
SPAN 3xxx elective

- 4 semesters college Spanish required
- Best for Spanish majors and minors
- Spanish, Arts, Humanities, Business, Psychology courses
 - University courses available
- Homestay option
- Internships, community engagement, and language partner opportunities



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Quito, Ecuador

August & Winter Break

4th and 5th semester Spanish

Fall & Spring

Full curriculum is in Spanish

- Best for Spanish majors and minors
- Focus on development studies (health, human rights, entrepreneurship, or sustainability)
- Homestays
- In depth internship or research placement



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Cuernavaca, Mexico

- Winter Break, May, Summer (3 sessions)
- Homestays
- Beginning Spanish I/II
- Intermediate Spanish I/II
- Spanish Composition & Communication
- Spanish Grammar & Composition



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Dakar, Senegal

MSID Senegal

- Fall and Spring semester
- Homestays
- 4 semesters of college level French required as the program is taught in French
- Research or internship in French
- Advanced French I
- Advanced French II
- Advanced Language through Current Events
- Reading & Writing through Current Events

Intensive French in Senegal

- 3-weeks, Winter Break or August
- Homestays
- Intermediate French II
- Advanced French I
- Advanced French II
- Advanced Language through Current Events
- Reading & Writing through Current Events

Montpellier, France

Fall, Spring, Academic Year

FREN 1003 – 3016 +

Summer

FREN 1001 – 3016 +

- French, Arts, Humanities, Sciences, Business, Psychology, Engineering courses
 - Wide variety of University course options
- Homestays and student dorm options
- Internships, language partners, and community engagement opportunities



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Florence, Italy

Fall & Spring semester

Beginning through advanced Italian

- Best for beginning to intermediate students, not Italian majors
- All other courses are in English
 - Business, retail merchandising, literature, communications, art, art history, etc.
- Students choose apartment or homestay
- Internships, language partners, and volunteer opportunities are other ways to practice Italian



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Bologna, Italy

Fall, Spring, or Academic Year

Full curriculum is in Italian

- Best for Italian majors and minors
- A few classes at a center, and the rest at a large university with a wide range of options
- Internships and Italian roommates are possible



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Beijing, China

Summer session

Intermediate & advanced levels

- Intensive language program
 - 9 credits of Chinese over the summer
- Local Chinese roommates
- Language pledge
- Excursions that include language learning



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Amman, Jordan

Fall, Spring, or Summer

All language levels

- Local roommate
- Language pledge
- Language focused program
- Semester: 9 credits of Arabic plus other courses in English
- Summer: Choose between an intensive language option (9 credits) or internship/research option, which combines language with a practical experience



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Seoul, South Korea

**Fall, Winter Break, Spring, Summer,
Academic Year**

All language levels available

- Buddy programs & student clubs are available
- On-campus housing, but not with local roommates



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Multiple Locations, Japan

- Exchanges in Hiroshima University, Hitotsubashi University, Nagoya University, Ritsumeikan University, Sophia University
- Spring semester or academic year
- Each university is different—some have intensive language options while others offer single courses, but all offer beginning through advanced levels

