



# SEVILLA



## **SALVE REGINA UNIVERSITY SHORT-TERM STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM**

Apply by February 26, 2016. Program Dates: June 3-June 25, 2016. Program Min: 6, Max: 15.

### *Courses Offered (subject to change)*

SPA322 Contemporary Hispanic Life (3 credits)

SPAxxx Spanish Language (3 credits)

Dr. Linda Crawford

Both courses fulfill major or minor requirements for Spanish, or free electives for all other majors. The Spanish language course fulfills 3 credits of the foreign language core complement.

*All course fulfillments are subject to approval by an advisor.*

### **Program Highlights**

- Become immersed in the local Spanish culture through homestay accommodations
- Visit Alcázar, Spain's oldest royal palace, the Giralda Cathedral and the ancient Roman ruins of Itálica.
- Live like a Spaniard and take afternoon siestas!



### Academic Focus

Students on this program have the opportunity to immerse themselves in the Spanish language and culture of Seville, Spain. Sevilla is a beautiful and ancient city on the banks of the Guadalquivir River and is the centerpiece of your study abroad experience. Seville embodies the culture of Southern Spain. In this picturesque city, you will discover Moorish palaces and renaissance gardens, flowered patios, paintings, statues, flamenco dancing and music, bull fights at La Real de Caballería, siesta, tortillas, and the Spanish way of life. Students study at the Center for Cross-Cultural Study, completing 3 credits of Spanish language and 3 credits of Spanish culture, in the heart of Seville and live with a host family.

### Course Expectations

Students should expect to be in language classes at the Spanish Studies institute four hours a day complemented by mandatory culture activities and excursions in the afternoon and evenings. Students will also be meeting weekly with the Salve Regina group and faculty to discuss readings and to reflect on their experiences. Students must attend all pre-departure orientations and meetings. Readings and coursework should be completed prior to due dates. Final grades will depend on the completion of a series of short essays, a short paper, maintenance of a small daily journal, and participation.

### Accommodations/Meals

Full room and board with local homestay families. Students will be housed in double-occupancy rooms. Three meals will be provided daily by homestay family.

### Eligibility Requirements

- Open to all students
- Minimum 2.7 cumulative GPA
- Availability of academic credits to fulfill degree requirements
- Good disciplinary, financial and academic standing at the time of program departure.
- Participation in mandatory pre-departure orientation sessions

### Program Fee \$6800

#### Included in this fee:

Round trip airfare on group flight departing Boston  
6 credits Salve Regina tuition  
Airport transfers & ground transportation in Seville  
Accommodations in Seville  
Three meals provided daily at homestay  
Official excursions and entrance fees  
International travel insurance

#### Not Included in this fee:

Transportation to and from Boston for group flight  
Passport fee (\$135) - if applicable  
Student visa - if applicable  
Course textbooks - if applicable  
Personal expenses (recreation, tips, laundry, snacks, other personal items/services)  
Personal travel in free time/vacations

### Flight

Participants will be booked onto the group flight unless they notify the OIP in writing that they will make their own arrangements. To do so, email [grace.cleary@salve.edu](mailto:grace.cleary@salve.edu) by March 4, 2016. A refund for the flight (amount TBD) will be issued. The OIP is unable to book seats for participants on flights other than the round-trip group flight. Participants making their own flight arrangements will need to meet the group at the designated time and airport location so that they can join the group shuttle. No flights should be booked until programs are confirmed and meeting times and locations are officially communicated to participants.

### Payment Schedule

**\$1200 Deposit** due by Friday, March 4, 2016. Your deposit holds your space in the program. Please be aware that there is a withdrawal and refund policy outlined in your Participation Agreement. **Final Payment** due by Sunday, May 1, 2016. The Business Office will generate an invoice for the remainder of the program fee in April.

### Financial Aid

Consult with your Financial Aid Counselor. Generally, only parent plus loans are applicable to short-term study abroad programs.

### Scholarships

Salve Regina study abroad scholarships are reserved for full-time semester and year-long programs. Research your non-Salve Regina scholarship options at: [www.salve.edu/study-abroad/study-abroad-scholarships](http://www.salve.edu/study-abroad/study-abroad-scholarships)

### How to Apply

Complete online application and submit all required supplemental materials to the Office of International Programs by the application deadline. Detailed application instructions available at: [salve.edu/study-abroad/short-term-programs](http://salve.edu/study-abroad/short-term-programs)

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