The International College of Seville, Spain Winter/J-Term Program
Seville, Spain (Europe)

Quick Facts

Winter/ J-Term: Spanish Culture and Society

Dates: January 3 - 16, 2021
Application Deadline: November 20, 2020
Costs: $ 3,740 CCIS Member I $3,940 Non-Member

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* Please note: a non-refundable program deposit of $300 is due two weeks after official acceptance and is applied towards the total cost of the program.

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Program Overview

The Spanish Culture January Term Seminar is hosted by the International College of Seville (ICS) and is designed for students wishing to deepen their understanding and appreciation of Spain, and its culture and customs. Students will live with local Spanish hosts in Seville, study Spanish society, history and culture, and participate in cultural activities such as flamenco shows, cooking classes, city walking tours, boat cruises, tapas-tastings, and traditional 3 Kings day celebration. Faculty members, as well as local guides and specialists, will deepen students' understanding of the language, people, customs, and culture of Spain in a hands-on experiential learning.

The ICS has been welcoming international students since 1982. Its campus is located in the traditional “El Porvenir” neighborhood and borders the Maria Luisa Park near the center of the city, with easy access to the many cultural and historical attractions of Seville. In addition to historical sites such as churches, palaces, and museums, Seville also has modern transportation, excellent restaurants and hotels, numerous theaters, and state-of-the-art sports facilities.

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Contact Program Sponsor and Advisor

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This program is sponsored and administered by Broward College.

Academics & Program

Course: SPN 3381 Culture and Society of Spain (3 credits)
Language of instruction: English

Academic Highlights
The ICS J-Term program provides students with an opportunity to experience and understand Spanish society and its institutions through direct exposure to Spain’s history, art, and contemporary society. The program provides an excellent introduction to Spanish history and culture for students pursuing degrees in humanities history, political science, international relations, social studies, and art. However, this program welcomes students from all academic majors who are eager to learn about the history of Spain in one of its most iconic cities.

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The International College of Seville (ICS) is a private, independent, cultural association whose basic aim is to serve as a center for the promotion of international education. The ICS was previously known as Institute of International Studies, an institution founded in 1982 and offering, in cooperation with different U.S universities and colleges and the Faculties of Philology and Geography & History at the University of Seville, a multi-faceted program for students wishing to study in Spain.

The classrooms, a reference library, TV room, Internet facilities, study areas and administrative offices occupy a three-story Andalusian villa located in the charming neighborhood of El Porvenir and next to the beautiful María Luisa Park.
Student Life & Housing

Student Life
Cultural visits throughout the city of Seville. Field trips to Córdoba and Granada. Extracurricular activities include: Welcome reception and orientation, NYE Dinner, Three King’s Day get-together, a flamenco show at Museo del Baile Flamenco and tapas dinner; a walk downtown with a “churros con chocolate” breakfast, Paella cooking class, excursion in metro to the Metromar mall (in the town of Mairena del Aljarafe), and end-of-the-term/farewell dinner.

Click [here](#) to see some of the city highlights! Visit the International College of Seville (ICS) Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter profiles, or watch videos on the ICS Youtube channel to see what students are up to!

Housing
Students reside in homestays as the optimal way of becoming immersed in the culture. All ICS families live in either the same small neighborhood of El Porvenir as the ICS is located or at a short walking distance (5 – 15 minutes). Like other Europeans, most Spaniards live in apartment buildings. Each homestay generally takes in two students and the students are made to feel like members of the family. Homestays provide 3 daily meals, 7 days-a-week, and laundry once a week.

Duration & Costs

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January 3 - 15, 2021

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$3,740

Costs Included:
- Course tuition
- Learning Materials (a pen-drive with digital copies of textbooks and materials for the course)
- Administrative and CCIS fees
- Homestay housing - all meals and weekly laundry access
- Welcome reception
- Cultural Activities: One cooking class, Flamenco show, 3 kings party, four (4) guided cultural visits, city walking tour
- Excursions: Cordoba and Granada
- CISI emergency health insurance

Costs Not Included: Airfare, personal expenses, passport, visa (if needed).

All costs, fees, and dates are subject to change without notification. Contact the program sponsor to verify all costs, fees, and dates for this program.

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Eligibility & Deadlines

Application Deadline: November 20, 2020
Eligibility Requirements

- 2.5 GPA or higher on a 4.0 scale
- At least 18 years old by the time of travel

Visa/Immigration Requirements: A visa is not required for students who are U.S. citizens studying abroad in Spain for under 90 days. U.S citizens will be allowed a tourist visa for 90 days within a 180 day period. Non-U.S. nationals may be required to obtain a visa to study in Spain.

Have you talked with your study abroad advisor about your home institution's application process? Your institution's deadline might be earlier than the CCIS program application deadline. Check now to make sure all of your material is submitted on time!