



SUMMER 2020 STUDY ABROAD

Spain

Alicante, Spain

June 16 – July 18, 2020

Span 2701 Study Abroad Alicante I / Span 3701 Study Abroad Alicante III

3 Undergraduate Credits from Seton Hall University

3 Undergraduate Credits from University of Alicante

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The 18th Summer Abroad Program in Alicante provides a unique opportunity for a short-term intensive study of Spanish language and culture. Classes are held Monday to Friday, 9:00-1:00 PM at the modern campus of the University of Alicante, located on the outskirts of this beautiful Mediterranean Spanish city. The program will run for four weeks. Students will take two three-credit courses, one of which will be taught by the director of the program, Dr. Daniel Zalacáin, and the other by a faculty member from the University of Alicante. Students will live with Spanish speaking families in groups of two per family. Nine days during weekends will be dedicated to comprehensive guided excursions to the cities of Madrid, Toledo, Granada, and Barcelona. The objective of the program is to offer a true full-immersion experience in the language and cultures of Spain.

Tentative Itinerary

June 16 – Departure from JFK International Airport, NYC, to Madrid, Barajas Int. Airport

June 17, 18 – Guided tours of Madrid and Toledo

June 19 – Trip by bus from Madrid to Alicante

July 3, 4, 5 – Excursion by bus to Barcelona

July 10, 11, 12 – Excursion by bus to Granada

July 18 – Departure from Alicante Int. Airport to-Madrid. Then Madrid to NYC (flights TBA)

Program Eligibility and Participant Requirements

Participants should be aware that the trip will involve:

- Walking 2 miles a day (only during excursions)
- Adapting to different diet: Spanish cuisine

- Self-navigating (i.e. travel throughout the city/ sites and/or use public transportation independently, etc.)
- Dressing and behaving according to local customs (i.e. dress conservatively, alcohol consumption, behavior in public, etc.)
- Exposure to high temperatures and/or humidity (Usually no AC in homes)

* If you require accommodations to participate, students are encouraged to begin discussions with Disability Support Services at least six (6) months before the trip's scheduled departure date. If you have any questions about this process, please contact DSS at: **dss@shu.edu**

Program Costs to Student in Addition to SHU Tuition:

SHU tuition will include a 50% discount

Round-trip Airfare	\$1,395
University of Alicante Tuition	1,150
Local Travel	1,295
Lodging (including meals)	1,255
Other:	
- Daily private coach transportation to/from the University of Alicante campus,	
- Airport transfers in Madrid and in Alicante,	
- University of Alicante fees (use of gym, library, medical services)	
- Textbooks for the UA course,	
- Textbooks for the SHU course	
- WIFI,	
- Classroom use for the SHU courses	
- IT support.	495
<u>Portion of instructor travel costs</u>	<u>265</u>

TOTAL: \$5,855*

*Total price does not include SHU summer tuition. Price subject to change based on number of participants and any other changes.

Basis for SHU Grade in the Course

- Quality participation in the program, including excursions: 50%
 - Participation in all of the excursions, class and program activities, including visits to museums and monuments. Excursions are part of this course. Selected questions about the sites visited will appear on your final exam. Students are expected to pay attention to the state certified professional guides and to be respectful to them. They are also your instructors.
- Daily class attendance and quality class participation. 25%
 - Class meetings M – F, 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. University of Alicante campus
- Final exam: 25%