

SPANISH LANGUAGE AND PERUVIAN STUDIES

Location: Lima, Peru

- This program offers formal instruction in Spanish language at two levels: Intermediate and Advanced. At each level, courses of Spanish Grammar and Spanish Language Conversation are taught. Students have the option to attend either one or two courses of the same language level depending on their communicational needs. In addition, the program offers an elective Introductory Course on different aspects of Peruvian Culture, such as social reality, history, geography, arts and language. Students finishing the Spanish Language Course will reach the international standards of language aptitude evaluation ACTFL.

SESSION DATES

June 25th to July 26th 2018

COST¹

Application fee: \$ 150.00

Spanish Language Grammar

Course fee: \$ 525.00

Spanish Language Conversation

Course fee: \$ 375.00

Introduction to Peruvian Studies

Course fee: \$ 525.00

Credits: 3 per course

¹The program fee covers all academic expenses and the cultural visits included in the program. The fees do not include housing and/or meals. These services can be arranged by PUCP at the student's request with the payment of the corresponding additional fees.



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SPANISH LANGUAGE LEVEL PLACEMENT



Adequate language level placement is vital to better develop language skills. It is necessary for the student to pass a placement exam administered by the teachers in the PUCP Spanish Language Program. This evaluation consists of a grammar test and a Skype interview (oral evaluation), and it will determine the student's proficiency level in order to place him/her in the corresponding course. The evaluation is mandatory for all students except those who count with an ACTFL or CEFR diploma earned within a maximum of 12 months before the beginning of the program.

Only advanced level students will be able to register on the Introduction to Peruvian Studies course.

After the level placement evaluations, PUCP will determine which students belong to each level. PUCP reserves the right to cancel a language course if it does not have the minimum of students required to cover the costs of the program. If a course is cancelled, PUCP will reimburse the fees that the students may have paid except for any banking fees and a 20 USD administrative fee for the services provided.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The teaching techniques of the courses are centered in the student, with the instructor as the facilitator, and the goal of teaching to make students independent users of Spanish. The teaching of Spanish is situational and classes will take into account and profit from the natural context of a foreign student living in Lima. All class sessions will be conducted exclusively in Spanish.

Spanish Language Grammar sessions will focus on a revision and practice of the main grammar topics of the level. It is important to point out that the development of grammatical knowledge in Spanish is a means to obtain the final objective of communicating efficiently in Spanish. Therefore, grammatical issues will be developed through conversational practice, listening comprehension, and reading and writing exercises.

The Spanish Language sessions will focus on conversational practice and listening. In order to do this, various communicative activities revolving around abstract topics are to be employed. These activities will require the use of several grammatical forms. Also, through these communicative activities, there will be opportunities for revision, clarification and analysis of grammar points.



More information:

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