

STUDY ABROAD GUIDELINES 2010-2011

Dear students,

When contacting your advisor in Spanish Department:

- Please list of all the courses that you have taken at Tulane prior to studying abroad.
- Please let your advisor know if you are Spanish minor or major.

All majors and minors in Spanish are strongly encouraged to participate in Tulane's language-intensive Study Abroad Programs. Prior to their participation, majors and minors should complete at least SPAN 3040, although the ideal study abroad candidate will have fulfilled the three major and minor requirements at the 3000 level.

There are few programs that accept students that have only completed Spanish 2040.

For Spanish majors who study abroad:

Two out of three 6000 level courses must be taken on campus. One of those is Senior Seminar 6850. Therefore, double majors will need to take both of their 600 level courses at Tulane.

For Spanish minors who study abroad:

6 credits (2 classes) must be taken on campus in the department.

In addition, keep in mind the following guidelines:

1. Credit from courses taken abroad is applied toward courses in the Spanish curriculum at Tulane after students return to New Orleans.
2. Students are responsible for meeting with their advisors in Spanish Department prior to going abroad in order to discuss the substitution of possible courses. Furthermore, upon their return to Tulane, students must turn in to their advisors course descriptions, syllabi, and work completed, such as exams and papers for the courses they wish to substitute in the Spanish curriculum.

Additionally, students will turn in to their advisors the course substitution form from the Office of International Programs or from Tulane Academic Advising Center. Advisors will keep copies of all the substitution forms. Advisors will also place the substitution forms in student file.

3. Courses that apply to the Spanish curriculum from abroad must resemble courses taught in the Department of Spanish and Portuguese, which are listed in the Undergraduate Catalog. As a general rule, the Department recognizes courses in culture, literature, theater, poetry, and film. The Department does not approve credit for courses in other disciplines, including political science, economics, biology, and sociology. Students must seek that credit from the appropriate department at Tulane. Students are also responsible for choosing courses that match the curriculum in Spanish as much as possible.

4. Students may not receive credit for courses taken abroad if they took a similar course at Tulane. For example, if students take a course abroad called "Spanish Grammar and Composition," they may not apply it toward SPAN 3040, which they took prior to participating in study abroad.

5. SPAN 6850 Senior Seminar may not be substituted with a course from abroad, and must be taken in the Department.

6. 4040/4050 requirement: for Spanish majors who study abroad:

If there are no courses equivalent to Tulane's 4040 and 4050 students should take some sort of comprehensive survey in early and modern readings. One of the courses should cover literatures from Spain and another should cover literatures from Latin America.

(our 4040 covers early readings: Spanish and Latin American literature and our 4050 covers modern readings: Spanish and Latin American literature).

Tulane Programs: Grades and Credits transfer
Outside Programs: only credits transfer

ENJOY YOUR STUDY ABROAD EXPERIENCE!

Fall 2010

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