

**Program Price:
\$ 3,390.00**

The Price Includes:

- ◆ Round-trip flight from Los Angeles to Madrid on Iberia Airlines
- ◆ 27 nights Home-stay accommodation in Salamanca, price per person sharing a twin bedded room.
- ◆ Three meals a day in Salamanca. With host families, or when on excursion the meal may be bag-style.
- ◆ Spanish Instruction: 20 hours per week, 4 hours per day, Monday through Friday, at the Salamanca Universidad Pontificia, from beginning to advanced instruction.
- ◆ Round-trip transfers by motor-coach from the Madrid Airport to Salamanca.
- ◆ Full-day excursion with private motorcoach and guide to Segovia/La Granja.
- ◆ Guided half-day tour of Salamanca.
- ◆ Free Internet access at the Universidad two days a week in the afternoons.
- ◆ Language laboratory available two days a week in the afternoons.
- ◆ Taxes and service charges as related to the institute, meals and motor-coach transportation.
- ◆ Itinerary and travel documents preparation.
- ◆ Travel Guard Travel Insurance. The policy covers travel delay, missed connection, baggage and personal effects loss, baggage delay, medical expenses and emergency medical transportation. Additional optional cancellation insurance available at a nominal cost.

ONLINE REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT

Please talk to your program coordinator who will give you a unique tour code and registration instructions for this program. With the tour code, you will be able to register securely online and make payments online at www.tourresource.com via credit card, debit card, or e-check, at no supplemental cost to the participant. Once logged in to the secure members area you may view the updated itinerary and other important announcements and information about the program.

ABOUT SALAMANCA

Salamanca, La Dorada, is known as "Golden City" because of the golden glow of its sandstone buildings. It has also been declared by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site, one of the 5 cities in Spain that has been given that honor. There are many famous monuments, such as the Cathedral in plateresque style, the University of Salamanca and the Unamuno Museum. There are many other landmarks in this town of Renaissance palaces and courts, 16th Century convents and legendary statues, as well as the famous El Puente Romano, the Roman bridge over the Tormes River. The city offers weekly concerts, lectures and theater in the various plazas throughout the city.

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**West Los Angeles College
Summer Session in
Salamanca, Spain
June 25—July 23, 2011**



The Program Includes:

- Lodging
- Meals
- Excursions to Segovia and La Granja
- Daily Spanish Instruction
- Travel Insurance



Faculty

Professor Josefina O. Culton has led previous study abroad programs in Spain and Mexico, has taught at California State University Long Beach and CSU Dominguez Hills, El Camino College, Los Angeles Harbor College and is currently Associate Professor of Foreign Languages at WLAC. She is a native of Mexico and holds a degree from the National Autonomous University of Mexico and an M.A. degree from CSULB. Assistance will be provided by Dr. Donald R. Culton, former Director of International Education for the Los Angeles Community Colleges. Dr. Culton has been sending students to Salamanca since 1980.



How to Register:

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PASSPORT REQUIRED FOR TRAVEL TO SPAIN

Processing a US Passport may take up to six weeks. See <http://travel.state.gov/passport/index.html>

ITINERARY-AT-A-GLANCE

Day 1: Saturday, June 25: LOS ANGELES - MADRID

Transfer on own from Los Angeles Area to LAX Airport for your nonstop flight to Madrid.

DAY 2 – Sunday, June 26: ARRIVE MADRID – SALAMANCA (D)

Arrive at the Madrid Airport, and meet your transfer driver who will take you directly to Salamanca. Upon arrival, you will rendezvous with your host family at the school and then transfer to your home stay accommodations for your first dinner with the family.

Days 3-7: Monday through Friday, June 27-July 1: SALAMANCA (BLD) Five days of Spanish instruction in Salamanca, 4 hours per day.

Days 8-9: Sat-Sun, July 2-3: SALAMANCA AT LEISURE (BLD)

Two full days for pursuing individual pursuits.

Days 10-14: Monday through Friday, July 4-8: SALAMANCA (BLD)

Five days of Spanish instruction in Salamanca, 4 hrs/day.

Day 15: Saturday, July 9: SEGOVIA /LA GRANJA EXCURSION (BD)

Today enjoy a full day excursion with private motor-coach and guide to the fabled cities of Segovia and La Granja. Segovia typifies the glory of Old Castile, with its still functioning aqueduct from Roman times, and its "fairy-tale" El Alcazar Castle. Nearby La Granja was the summer palace of the Bourbon Kings who attempted to replicate the opulence of Versailles in Spain. Return to Salamanca in the late afternoon.

Day 16: Sunday, July 10: SALAMANCA AT LEISURE (BLD)

A full day for pursuing individual pursuits.

Days 17-21: Monday through Friday, July 11-15: SALAMANCA (BLD)

Five days of Spanish instruction in Salamanca, 4 hours per day.

Days 22-23: Sat-Sun, July 16-17: SALAMANCA AT LEISURE (BLD)

Two full days for pursuing individual pursuits.

Days 24-28: Monday through Friday, July 18-22: SALAMANCA (BLD)

Five days of Spanish instruction in Salamanca, 4 hours per day.

Day 29: Saturday, July 23: SALAMANCA – MADRID – LOS ANGELES (B)

A morning transfer from Salamanca will return the group to Madrid Airport for its return flight to Los Angeles.

ABOUT UPSA:

Pontifical University of Salamanca (UPSA) was founded in 1940 in order to maintain the old ecclesiastical faculties of the University of Salamanca. University of Salamanca itself was founded by King Alfonso IX of León in 1219 and was definitively established, in its twofold royal and pontifical character, by Alfonso X the Learned, in 1254. The university enrolls approximately 8,500 students and offers more than 40 official degrees, postgraduate courses. The principal site of the Pontifical University is situated in Salamanca, a university city of excellence, in which more than 40,000 university students live. Its streets are full of culture carved in stone, like the House of the Shells (la Casa de las Conchas) and the Cathedrals or the Main Square (la Plaza Mayor). Salamanca has been converted into a world icon of Spanish teaching, and for this reason every year thousands of foreign students approach the language of Cervantes in this beautiful city.

