



UH & Sol Education Abroad
Special Programs (3 weeks) 2011 - BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA

The **University of Houston (UH)** and **Sol Education Abroad** (affiliated provider) offer a unique intensive language and cultural learning experience in **Buenos Aires, Argentina** at the Academia de Buenos Aires, affiliated by ESEADE (Instituto Universitario Escuela Superior de Economía y Administración de Empresa). During this immersion, students may take Spanish courses in the *Beginning* (1000), *Intermediate* (2000) and *Advanced* (3000) levels.

UH Special Programs are offered 3 times a year:

	SUMMER sessions	WINTER BREAK
Dates - 2011	May 14 - Jun 3 May 28 - Jun 17 Jun 25 - Jul 15 Jul 23 - Aug 12	Dec 27, 2010 - Jan 14, 2011
Number of Classes	1	1
Classes Available	1501, 1502, 2301, 2302 OR Adv. Span	1501, 1502, 2301, 2302 OR Adv. Span
Credits to Transfer	3-5	3-5
Total Cost (US)	\$2,545 = \$2,695 minus scholarship of \$150	\$2,545 = \$2,695 minus scholarship of \$150

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Please contact **Blanca Bradley** <bbradley@uh.edu>, advisor at the Office of International Studies and Programs (OISP) to get further details and complete necessary paperwork.

PROGRAM COST INCLUDES:

Tuition at host university (includes books & fees), room & board with host family, 2 meals a day, metro pass, cell phone (with credit), weekend excursions (3), cultural activities (3 to 4 per week), international medical insurance, welcome & farewell event, onsite orientation, airport transfers, transcript, 24/7 onsite director support. *Not included in the above price are: round trip airfare or personal spending money.*

PAYMENTS:

- **\$150** program deposit is due when you apply online with Sol Education Abroad. The deposit is applied towards your program price and IS NOT an additional fee. You can pay online by check (at NO CHARGE to you) or pay by credit card (where you pay a small processing fee): <http://www.soleducation.com/payonline>
- Final Payment is due to Sol Education Abroad, one month before departure, also payable online.

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COURSES OFFERED:

SPANISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

- Beginning:** ♦ SPAN 1501 Elementary Spanish I
♦ SPAN 1502 Elementary Spanish II
- Intermediate:** ♦ SPAN 2301 Intermediate Spanish I
♦ SPAN 2302 Intermediate Spanish II

- Advanced:** ♦ SPAN 3301 Oral Communication
♦ SPAN 3302 Written Communication
♦ SPAN 3305 Spanish Grammar Review

PROGRAM OVERVIEW:

Learn Spanish in the most fascinating city in South America...Buenos Aires. Wander the bustling streets and grand avenues of the city and then explore the numerous historic neighborhoods. Experience the enchanting nightlife that the cosmopolitan city is famous for; tango clubs, cafés and world-class theaters.

ACADEMIC OVERVIEW:

Study at the renowned Academia Buenos Aires Spanish Institute and earn university credit. Take Spanish classes in the very heart of historic Buenos Aires. You will be one block from the famous Plaza del Mayo and the Casa Rosada (Governmental Palace). Class size is 5 students per teacher for a more personalized-learning experience.

EXCURSIONS *(all-inclusive, see website for details & photos):*

- ♦ Argentine Cowboy Ranch
- ♦ Colonia, Uruguay
- ♦ El Tigre River Boat Ride & Old Market

CULTURAL ACTIVITIES *(all-inclusive, 3 to 4 per week, see website for details & photos):*

- ♦ Tango Performances
- ♦ Soccer Matches
- ♦ Theater Night
- ♦ Museum Visits
- ♦ Buenos Aires City Tours
- ♦ Tango & Salsa Dance Classes

APPLICATION PROCESS:

- a) Complete **SoI Education Abroad's** online application at www.soleducation.com/apply
- b) Complete **OISP's** online application at www.uh.edu/studyabroad/application/initial.php
(Take a printout to OISP of the online application on your first office visit)
- c) Schedule an appointment with Blanca Bradley by email bbradley@uh.edu or by calling 713-743-4687. During your appointment, OISP will inform you of all other documents needed and deadlines.
- d) Download the Course Equivalency Form from the OISP website. You must complete this form and take it to the Hispanic Studies Dept. (Agnes Arnold Hall Room 416) for advisor approval. Return the form to the OISP office after it is signed (501 E. Cullen Bldg., Room 501 F).