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May 12 – 30
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2013

Human Rights, Historical Memory and Democracy

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Madrid, Barcelona & Toledo, Spain

TENTATIVE ITINERARY

Highlights of the program are provided below. The university reserves the right to alter travel and other arrangements if required by circumstances.

May 12	Depart Atlanta
May 13	Arrive in Madrid
May 14	Welcome breakfast; morning lectures at the Fundación Ortega-Marañón; Fortuny; 53 afternoon walking tour of Old Madrid
May 15	San Isidro, Madrid's local holiday; afternoon walking tour Barrio de Salamanca and El Retiro
May 16	Morning lectures at the Fundación Ortega-Marañón; afternoon visit to Reina Sofía Museum and Lecture: Picasso's Guernica
May 17–19	Train to Barcelona; bus city tour
May 18	Visit Montjuic and Picasso's Museum
May 19	Refugios Antiaéreos; travel to Madrid
May 20	Free day
May 21	Lectures at the Fundación Ortega-Marañón
May 22	Spanish films and discussions; afternoon walking tour of the Ciudad Universitaria
May 23	Lectures at the Fundación Ortega-Marañón
May 24	Trip to La Granja; visit the Centro de Investigación de la Guerra Civil Española en Valsaín.; visit Spanish Civil Battle ground
May 25	Trip to Valle de los Caídos
May 26	Walking tour; El Rastro and the neighborhood of Lavapies
May 27	Spanish documentary films and discussions
May 28	Trip to Toledo; visit Patio 42 and the Museo del Ejército; lunch in Toledo
May 29	Free day and farewell dinner
May 30	Leave for Atlanta

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 4, 2013
Because program size is limited, early application is strongly advised. Individual interviews may be scheduled with students upon receipt of application.

Madrid, Barcelona & Toledo Spain: Human Rights, Historical Memory and Democracy

THE PROGRAM

This program will appeal to students in departments such as anthropology, history, philosophy, political science, psychology, sociology, or women's studies who have an interest in international approaches within their disciplines. Students will not be required to know Spanish as the program will be conducted entirely in English. Over the course of 2 ½ weeks, students will examine Spain's transition from dictatorship to democracy and study the ways in which the ghosts of the Spanish Civil War (1936-39) and the Franco dictatorship (1939-75) continue to haunt modern Spain.

The program will be based at the world-famous Fundación Ortega-Marañón, located in the heart of Madrid. During their time in Spain, students will attend morning lectures given by professors, human rights activists, journalists, novelists and filmmakers about historical memory, human rights and the Spanish Civil War in democratic Spain. Afternoon visits and field trips relevant to the program will include the Reina Sofía Museum where Picasso´s Guernica is housed, a walking tour of the Complutense campus one of the major battle fronts during the Spanish Civil War, a visit to the Centro de Investigación de la Guerra

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Civil Española in La Granja, a trip to the Valley of the Fallen monument to the Civil War dead, a trip to Toledo where the Army Museum is located and where one of the many mass graves in Spain is being disinterred. The program will also include a three-day trip to Barcelona where students will visit Montjuic (the site of the 1992 Olympic Opening Ceremonies that was also the location of mass murders during the Spanish Civil War), the Picasso Museum and air raid shelters. The program will include cultural tours of Madrid including the expansive market known as El Rastro, important neighborhoods like the Barrio Salamanca and Lavapiés, and El Retiro, the city's central park.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Students will stay in a comfortable double-occupancy hotel near the Fundación Ortega-Marañón, and in a hotel in the center of Barcelona.

Disability Accommodations

Students with documented disabilities who may need accommodations during their study abroad experience should discuss these needs with the Program Director and the Office of Disability Services at the time of application.

ELIGIBILITY

The program is open to undergraduate and graduate students who meet all academic requirements of the Georgia State University College of Arts and Sciences. Students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher. Program size is limited and participation is contingent upon acceptance by the Program Director.

CREDITS AND COURSES

Participants who successfully complete the program's course, Study Abroad in Spain, will receive three semester hours of course credit at Georgia State University. Undergraduates should register for SPAN3395. Graduate students should register for SPAN6990. Students from other institutions should follow their institution's regulations concerning transfer credits.

COST

Program cost may vary at any time according to currency fluctuations and changing travel arrangements. The program cost is tentatively set at $2800, **PLUS** regular Georgia State University tuition and fees. Non-resident/ out-of-state students will pay in-state tuition plus a $250 fee in addition to the program cost.

In order to allow for students who want to stay in Spain after completion of the program or to use frequent flyer miles, etc., we have not included airfare in the cost estimate. Students should make arrangements as soon as possible and no later than mid-February to arrive in Madrid on or before May 13 (typical flights are overnight, so students should expect to depart on May 12 or earlier) with departure from Madrid on or after May 30 (arrival in Atlanta the same day).

Price Includes:

- Ground transportation, excursions and entrance fees
- One meal per day, some additional meals included on excursions
- Accomodations
- Transportation from Madrid to Barcelona
- Health/Evacuation/Repatriation insurance

Price Does NOT Include:

- Georgia State tuition and fees
- Round-trip airfare and additional meals
- Public transportation in Madrid and Barcelona
- Passport
- Personal expenses and excess baggage charges

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

February 4, 2013 – $500 deposit with application
March 15, 2013 – $1,000 payment
April 19, 2013 – $1,000 remaining balance
(All payments are non-refundable upon receipt.)

Please pay your program deposit by finding the program listing at www.gsu.edu/studyabroad and following the payment instructions. See your Program Director for more information. Please refer to the academic/ registration calendar for the tuition and fees deadline.

FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Georgia State University students may be eligible to apply for the IEF Study Abroad Scholarship and the Global Experience Scholarship. Visit www.gsu.edu/studyabroad or contact the Office of International Initiatives, Study Abroad Programs at 404-413-2529 for more information about these and other scholarships.

Contact the Office of Financial Aid at 404-413-2400 for information on how financial aid might apply toward the program.

Students have the option of purchasing an "International Student ID Card" from STA Travel for travel discounts in participating countries. For more information, visit the STA Travel website at www.sta-travel.com.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Students interested in applying should find this program's listing at www.gsu.edu/studyabroad and begin an online application.

Transient Students: *Please see Transient Student page at* www.gsu.edu/studyabroad.

International students at Georgia State who hold F-1 visas must contact the Office of International Student and Scholar Services at 404-413-2070 to discuss the possible implications of study abroad for their immigration status.

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