Education Abroad Resources: Argentina

Whether you have browsed the IDEA website or just know you would like to have an abroad experience in Argentina, you should be aware that there are many options. To help you narrow down your search, set goals and ask yourself what you want out of your abroad experience in Argentina. Doing a bit of background research to narrow down the number of programs you’re interested in will not only help your advisor but will make you feel much more prepared and less overwhelmed. Below are several tools to help you explore programs and the many wonderful cities in Argentina!

1) Research your program options

Study Abroad Program Website: http://oregonstate.edu/international/studyabroad/students
International Internship Website: http://oregonstate.edu/international/studyabroad/internships

2) Define your goals and ask yourself what you want out of the experience

- Are you looking to learn Spanish while abroad and to what extent? Do you meet the language (also GPA, coursework, etc) prerequisites for the program?
- In what language do you want your classes taught in (some programs offer Spanish and English options)?
- Who do you want to take your classes with? Host-country students, US or international students, or a mix?
- What do you prefer for housing: dorm-room, apt, home-stay, etc?
- Do you feel more comfortable in an urban/large city or a smaller town? Buenos Aires is one of the most cosmopolitan societies in the world; Mendoza is a much more tranquil environment.
- Do you want to attend another university? Some programs are offered and multiple institutions.
- How LONG do you want to go abroad (not all programs are offered every term or for a full year)?
- Do you want to travel during your program (e.g. SIT Argentina travels throughout the country)?
- Do you have a region of Argentina in mind (e.g. do you want to be near an ocean, mountains, or in a certain climate)?

3) Research the country and program locations

Newspapers

- Popular Argentinian Newspaper: www.clarin.com

General Information

- Official website for the Universidad de Buenos Aires: http://www.uba.ar/
- Official website for the FLASCO institution: http://www.flacso.org/
Buenos Aires
- Local Newspaper: http://www.buenosairesherald.com/
- Government Website: http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/26516.htm

Rosario
- Lonely Planet: http://www.lonelyplanet.com/argentina/northeast-argentina/rosario

Mendoza
- Tourism: http://welcometomendoza.com/
- Local Newspaper: http://www.mendozasun.com/

Cordoba

Iguazu Falls
- National Park: http://www.iguazuargentina.com/english/
- Basic Information: http://www.welcomeargentina.com/puertoiguazu/iguazu-falls.html
- Local Newspaper (can be translated): http://www.lavoz.com.ar/