

CHILE

A GVSU PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM



Chile: Universidad del Bio Bio - Summer Program

Open to: All majors

TELL ME ABOUT THIS PROGRAM

Chillán, CHILE— Universidad del Bio Bio has been a GVSU partner university since 2011. The partnership continues to grow with new opportunities developing each year for students, faculty and staff. This 9 week summer program is a collaboration between UBB faculty in Chillan and GVSU faculty. This program has been specifically designed to help meet the academic needs of students interested in Spanish language who also plan to pursue a career in one of the health professions. Participants will have opportunities to connect with UBB students who are also majoring in the health professions.

WHEN CAN I GO?

Summer: May 6 - July 9, 2016

Tentative dates

(9 weeks)

WHERE WILL I LIVE?

Local family homestay, 1 student per family.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE?

Open to all majors. Students must have completed SPA 202. 2.5 GPA required.

HOW DO I APPLY?

To apply for this program, log on to www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad to begin your online application.

APPLICATION DEADLINE (2016 Program): February 1, 2016

WHAT CREDITS WILL I RECEIVE?

Students will register for a total of 12 credits:

SPA 380: Intermediate High Spanish (3 credits) AND

SPA 321: Composition/Conversation I (3 credits) AND

SPA 304: Spanish for Health Professions (3 credits) AND

SPA 312: Latin American Civilization and Culture II (3 credits)

*Issues friendly (Students can fulfill entire general education issues requirement)

If you completed 1 or more of these courses, contact Mike Vrooman (vroomanm@gvsu.edu) to discuss other course options

HOW MUCH DOES THE PROGRAM COST?

The approximate fee for this program is TOTAL PROJECTED COST: \$5,785.

Includes

- Tuition, 12 credits
- Airfare
- Housing
- Meals
- Excursions
- ISIC card
- Passport/Visa
- Books & Supplies
- Personal Expenses
- Airport pick-up
- IS 380 course fee

FINANCIAL AID

Students typically pay for study abroad through a combination of financial aid, personal funds, scholarships/grants and alternative loans. **Early application for financial aid is strongly recommended.** To contact the Financial Aid office, email finaid@gvsu.edu with “Study Abroad” in the Subject line. Include your **G Number** and **Total Projected Cost** of the program in the e-mail.

[Financial Aid FAQ's](#)

GRANTS

Visit www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad/scholarships for additional information on grants and scholarships.

WHO CAN TELL ME MORE?

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