



STUDY ABROAD

Chile: Summer 2018 Universidad del Bío Bío

CHILLÁN, CHILE— Universidad del Bío Bío (UBB) 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.

For program details, visit: www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad/chileubbsummer

Professor Vrooman

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Application Deadline

Summer 2018

February 1, 2018

Padnos International Center

130 Lake Ontario Hall

Walk-In Advising Hours:

Monday - Friday: 8am - 4pm

Hours are extended to 7pm on Wednesdays
during the fall & winter semesters.

No appointment necessary!

Apply online at:

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Host University

Universidad del Bio Bio
www.ubiobio.cl

Dates

Summer: May 1 - July 13, 2018
Tentative dates
(11 weeks)

Housing

Local family homestay

Eligibility

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

Apply

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Courses **Issues friendly*

Students will register for a total of 12 credits:

- SPA 380:** Intermediate High Spanish (3 credits) **AND**
- SPA 321:** Composition and Conversation I (3 credits) **AND**
- SPA 304:** Spanish for Health Professions (3 credits) **AND**
- SPA 380:** Chilean Civilization and Culture (3 credits)

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

Program Highlights

- Study in Spanish alongside Chilean students
- Immersion with locals by living in homestay with Chilean families .
- Have an opportunity to be immersed in an academic environment which promotes learning about Chilean culture.
- Gain an understanding of the interdependence of our global society.
- Gain knowledge of Spanish language which will deepen their understanding of the host culture.

Cost

Program Fee & Registration

\$2,824 (paid to GVSU)

What's Included?

- IS 380 course fee (\$324)
- Program fee (\$2,500)

Other expenses

\$3,963 (estimate based on Summer 2018 costs)

What's Included?

- Airfare (\$1,500)
- Housing (\$1350) Paid directly to homestay
- Tuition (included in program fee)
- Meals (most included in homestay fee)
- Excursions (included in program fee)
- ISIC card (\$28-\$200)
- Passport/Visa (\$135)
- Books & Supplies (\$150)
- Personal Expenses (\$800)
- Airport greeting (included in program fee)

Total Estimated Cost: \$6,787—\$6,959 *Detailed budget available online.*

How do I pay for study abroad?

Students can use financial aid, scholarships, grants, personal funds and alternative loans to fund study abroad. For more information on funding, visit www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad



Total projected cost is based on in-state, upper-division tuition rates for 12-15 credits. All program information is subject to change. Cost varies based on housing selection. **Out of State Students who receive a GVSU tuition differential scholarship will be able to use that scholarship towards the cost of this program. Excludes international students. Out of state students who do NOT receive the tuition differential scholarship should reference the detailed budget for additional information.*