

# SPAIN

## A GVSU FACULTY-LED PROGRAM



### Spain: Education Open to: All majors

#### TELL ME ABOUT THIS PROGRAM

**EXTENDED Application Deadline (2018 Program): February 12, 2018**

Ourense, Spain - The program will take place in Ourense, which is in the Region of Galicia, in Northwest Spain, 1.5 hours away from Santiago de Compostela, the capital of Galicia, and 2 hours from Porto Portugal. Schools in this region are becoming more and more multicultural, and in response, education has become trilingual: the subjects are taught in Galego (Galician), Spanish and English. By working in local classrooms, students will be able to compare the current education systems in the U.S. and Spain and learn the foundations of both systems. Field trips and home stays with local families will further allow students to be immersed in Spanish culture.

#### WHEN CAN I GO?

**May 14 - June 23, 2018 (6 weeks)**

#### WHERE WILL I LIVE?

Program participants will live with host families.

#### WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE?

Open to all majors.

2.0 GPA required.

[Non-GVSU](#) students are eligible.  
Visit the website for details.

#### HOW DO I APPLY?

To apply for this program, log on to [www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad](http://www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad) to begin your online application.

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**Non-GVSU Students** are welcome to apply. Please view [Non-GVSU Student Information](#).  
Apply at : <http://www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad/>

#### WHAT CREDITS WILL I RECEIVE?

Students will register for a total of 6 credits:

**EDF 315: Diverse Perspectives on Education\* (3 credits) AND**

Fulfills Cultures - U.S. Diversity requirement and one Issues requirement

\*Fulfills a requirement for admission in the College of Education

**Language of instruction:** English

## HOW MUCH DOES THE PROGRAM COST?

The approximate fee for this program is Program Fee: \$4,475.

### Includes

- Round-trip airfare
- Housing
- Most meals
- All excursions and fees
- All ground transportation

### Other Expenses

- Tuition (\$3,150)
- Passport (\$140)
- ISIC Card (optional - \$28)
- Additional meals (\$200)
- Personal Expenses (\$300)

**Total Estimated Cost: TOTAL PROJECTED COST (Program Fee + Other Expenses): \$8,293**

## FINANCIAL AID

To contact the Financial Aid office, email [finaid@gvsu.edu](mailto: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 FAQs](#)

## GRANTS

**FACULTY-LED PROGRAM GRANT (Up to \$1,500):** All degree-seeking students who apply to their faculty-led program by the priority deadline are automatically considered for a grant of up to \$1,500 from the Padnos International Center. Students must have a current FAFSA on file to be eligible. No application required.

**James F. and Virginia L. Goode Global Programs Scholarship:** The purpose of the scholarship is to reduce the financial pressure on students and their families and make a Grand Valley education accessible to students from all backgrounds. This need-based scholarship will ensure that financial need does not become a barrier to intellectual and personal growth for students planning to study abroad.

MyScholarships: <https://gvsu.academicworks.com/opportunities/10186>

Visit [www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad/scholarships](http://www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad/scholarships) for more information on these and other grants/scholarships.

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