

Are you a Spanish Major or Minor interested in earning SPA credit abroad?

The Office of International Studies and Programs (OISP) offers many study abroad options in Spanish speaking countries. However, not all of these programs are approved by the Department of Languages, Literatures, and Cultures (LLC). Below is a master list of the OISP programs that offer courses that have been pre-articulated for Spanish credit by the LLC department.

Program	City	Country	Fall	Spring	Spring Break	Summer	Academic Year
Universidad de Deusto - CIDE	Bilbao	Spain	x	x		x	x
Universidad de Granada	Granada	Spain	x	x			x
Universidad de Salamanca	Salamanca	Spain	x	x			x
Universidad de Salamanca - Avila Campus	Avila	Spain				x	
Quality Leadership University	Panama City	Panama			x		

Program Details

Universidad de Deusto - CIDE

Fall/Spring/Academic Year Details

Prerequisites: Successful completion of SPA 213, 2.75 cumulative GPA, good academic and disciplinary standing, completion of 24 credit hours at ISU or another college/university prior to program departure

Highlights: Earn 12-15 credits of 200 and 300 level SPA courses taught in Spanish by Deusto faculty. You can expect to be in classes with other international students. This program also offers internships to Bilingual Education majors.

Summer Details

Prerequisites: 2.75 cumulative GPA, good academic and disciplinary standing, completion of 24 credit hours at ISU or another college/university prior to program departure

Highlights: Earn 6 credits of Spanish credit ranging from introductory to advanced levels. Topics pertain to Spanish language and culture and are taught by Deusto faculty. You can expect to be in classes with other international students.

Granada: Universidad de Granada

Prerequisites: Successful completion of SPA 116 or equivalent, 2.5 cumulative GPA, good academic and disciplinary standing, completion of 24 credit hours at ISU or another college/university prior to program departure

Highlights: Take 15 credits with other international students at the Centro de Lenguas Modernas. The program begins with an intensive one month course as an introduction to the Spanish education system followed by four Spanish courses ranging from intermediate to advanced superior proficiency levels taught by Granada faculty. You can expect to be in classes with other international students.

Universidad de Salamanca – Avila Campus

Prerequisites: Successful completion of SPA 213, 2.5 cumulative GPA, good academic and disciplinary standing, completion of 24 credit hours at ISU or another college/university prior to program departure

Highlights: Take 6 credits during this one month summer program in Avila. Students will earn credit for SPA 214 and 215. One course will be taught by the ISU Faculty Director and one will be taught by an Avila faculty member. This is a great program to complete a Spanish minor.

Salamanca: Universidad de Salamanca

Prerequisites: Successful completion of SPA 215 or SPA 233, 2.5 cumulative GPA (undergraduate)/3.0 (graduate), good academic and disciplinary standing, completion of 24 credit hours at ISU or another college/university prior to program departure

Highlights: This program is highly competitive and intended for students studying Spanish at an advanced level. Students will take courses with locals at the university. Only two students will be selected per year to participate in this program. Students should contact the Faculty Sponsor for more details on the selection process.

Quality Leadership University

Prerequisites: Successful completion of SPA 116, 2.5 cumulative GPA, good academic and disciplinary standing, completion of 24 credit hours at ISU or another college/university prior to program departure

Highlights: This 3 credit program allows students to complete SPA 214 during 6 hours of ISU on-campus classroom time accompanied by the in-country portion of the program which is completed during ISU's Spring Break. The course will be taught by the ISU Faculty Director.

Interested in Exploring Other Options?

Spanish credit that has not been pre-articulated

ISU offers many other programs not pre-articulated by the LLC department which may offer courses that are transferrable for major electives or general education credit. However, not all programs are eligible for LAN credit. If a student wishes to participate in one of the non-LLC approved programs and take courses for Spanish credit, he or she must apply for credit upon completion of the program.

Students should submit all course materials including syllabi, handouts, work samples, copies of exams, etc. to the Spanish section for review upon return to the United States.*

** Please be aware that even by taking these steps, Spanish credit is not guaranteed.*

Recommendations by SPA Advisor

Students who choose to study abroad through a program that is not a LLC Spanish Language approved program and who are seeking LAN credit are encouraged to consult the course catalog when selecting courses to take abroad. It is recommended to enroll in classes related to academic writing and speaking skills, and/or literary, linguistics, or culture topics. The LAN Academic Advisor, is happy to sign off on Academic Planning Forms to have courses count as hours towards graduation prior to program departure but specific credit articulations will not be evaluated until post-program completion.