

SPA 306: Intermediate Spanish Conversation for Study Abroad

This course is designed to enhance students' oral fluency and comprehension in Spanish while at the same time increasing their own intercultural awareness. In addition, it is specifically tailored to prepare students for their study abroad (SA) semester. As such, the main objective of the class is to use Spanish as a vehicle to promote their awareness of key concept related to interculturality (e.g., essentialism, stereotyping, otherising). In each class students will be invited to reflect on different types intercultural encounters and how these encounters shaped/will shape their upcoming SA experience: these encounters will be real ones (from students' own experiences meeting new people) mediated (through videos, narratives, readings) and improvised (through roles plays and improvisations).

Units: 3

Prerequisites:

[SPA 202](#) and Pre-study abroad status, or Instructor Consent.

Program: [Spanish](#)