

Spanish Immersion in Nicaragua: Summer 2010

Satisfy language requirement
(SPN 201/202) and earn
6 credit hours with an
Immersion experience in
Nicaragua

Miami University



Course Description

Immersion Spanish for Intermediate Level Students (SPN 299) offers a great opportunity to study Spanish, live with a host family in Granada, and volunteer in the community for three weeks. In a five week period, students will be able to complete two semesters' course work, equivalent to SPN 201 and SPN 202. The first two weeks of class will take place at the Miami campus in Oxford and will prepare you for the last three weeks of immersion in Nicaragua.



Location Description

Nicaragua is the largest country in Central America. It is located north of Costa Rica and south of Honduras and El Salvador. Those who visit Nicaragua are pleased to discover the hospitality of the Nicaraguan people. The landscape includes twenty volcanoes and two great lakes, including Lake Nicaragua, the second largest lake in Latin America.

Granada is one of Nicaragua's most important cities and the country's main destination for international travelers. For centuries, it has been called 'The Great Sultana' in recognition of its beautiful colonial architecture. Granada is 40 km from Managua and less than 30 km from the capital's international airport. It is an excellent starting point for exploring some of the main attractions in Nicaragua, from active volcanoes to unique cloud forest ecosystems, from the beautiful islands on Lake Nicaragua to the endless beaches of the Pacific Ocean.

For more information:

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Thursday, October 22, 2009, 6:30 -7:30pm

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