**Location and Institution**
ARGENTINA - BUENOS AIRES: SOCIAL MOVEMENTS AND HUMAN RIGHTS
SCHOOL FOR INTERNATIONAL TRAINING (SIT)

**Program and Language Requirements**
- Minimum overall GPA of 3.0 (School of Management students must also maintain a 2.75 GPA for their major)
- Good academic and disciplinary standing
- Students must have 3 semesters of college level Spanish.
- Students must have previous courses in social work, political economy, developmental studies or Latin American studies.
- Students are required to enroll in a Spanish language course and 13 units of specific coursework listed below
  * Consult academic dean for below minimum GPA approvals and major-specific requirements. Check with study abroad advisor or program website for country and program specific requirements.

**Language of Instruction**
Courses are taught in Spanish

**Application Deadline**
Applying to study abroad for a semester is a two-step process. *You should plan to apply at the beginning of the Fall semester of your Sophomore year.*

**Fall & Spring:**
December 1st

1. Students must meet with a Study Abroad Advisor and complete a USF Study Abroad Pre-application for their program of choice and an alternate through the Center for Global Education’s website. Pre-Applications completed by the Dec 1st deadline will be reviewed and students will be notified of their program nomination by the 3rd week of January.
2. Accepted students can then apply for their nominated program. Students are responsible for submitting the host program’s application and required documentation by the program’s deadline. *Please note that nomination by USF does not guarantee acceptance by the host program.*

**Program Dates**
Fall: August-December
Spring: February-June

**Program Layout**
- Seminars/courses and homestay in Buenos Aires: 6 weeks
- Educational field excursions throughout Argentina: Patagonia, northwestern region, and a visit to the Bolivian border: 3 weeks
- Independent Study Project in Buenos Aires or another approved location appropriate to the project. Students are on their own with minimal supervision: 4 weeks
- Final seminar where students present their project and participate in a reentry program: 3-4 days.

**Course Subjects**
Students enroll in a 16-unit course load consisting of the following 3-credit courses:
- Social Movements and Human Rights in Argentin;
- History and Human Rights in Argentina;
- Research Methods and Ethics;
- Intensive Language Study: Spanish for Social Sciences; and
- Independent Study Project (4 credits). *Courses subject to change*

**Special Courses, Internships, and/or Scholarships**
SIT offers matching Pell Grant. SIT scholarships are available at:
http://studyabroad.sit.edu/how-to-apply/scholarships-and-financial-aid/

**Accommodation**
Students will be housed in urban homestays in Buenos Aires, and two rural homestays in Quebrada del Toro and Patagonia. Other accommodations during the program include small hotels and hostels.
* USF Program Fee: Includes room and board. Board includes all meals.

**Other Expenses Not Included in USF Tuition**
Airfare, passport, visa, books, local transportation, independent travel, and incidentals.
*Print the Budget Planning Worksheet to determine cost estimates*

**Supplemental Health and Travel Assist Services**
Enrollment in USF sponsored programs include automatic coverage through ACE/AXA ASSISTANCE USA, Inc. while abroad. Students are also covered by SIT insurance.

**Visa Requirements**
You will need a student visa to enter and study in Argentina. You must apply as soon as possible once accepted into the program. Documents must be submitted in person or by a duly authorized third party. Contact consulate for specific documents, requirements, and steps. Some are appointment-based only.
*CGE is not responsible for applying for and/or obtaining your student visa.*

**Website**
www.sit.edu/ARR