### "SCHOLARSHIP 2021"



The Scholarship covers 100% of the tuition fee. This program is designed for students who want to learn Spanish language in as short a time as possible. This course is recommended for serious students who want to make the most of their time abroad to achieve a good language level in Spanish. This is a very intense program and students have to study hard and do homework every day, so please make sure you understand this well. The program emphasizes what students can do with language rather than simply what they know about it.

# **Spanish & Culture**

Our objective for students is to learn the language and to use it with confidence. Various learning practices (oral and written expression, listening comprehension, audio and video materials, text reading, etc.) and focus on interactive communication will advance your improvement. You will not only learn Spanish effectively, but gain knowledge on the social, cultural and political life in Argentina.

### **SCHOLARSHIP GENERAL INFORMATION**

Duration: 2 weeks.

Hours per day: 6 classes of 55 minutes each

Levels: A1-A2-B1.

**Time schedule:** from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. // from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Requirements: Age range: 17 to 23. Beginner-Intermediate Spanish levels: A1-A2 or B1

**Optional University Credits:** students can obtain 3 university credits for their Spanish studies in Córdoba. They have to pass a final exam and this allows them to obtain a certificate which in turn can be transformed into university

credits in their home country. (See terms and conditions N° 5)

**Cost:** The scholarship covers the tuition fee **Number of Scholarships:** 20 for each group

# Dates:

# **Group 1**

Start Date: 2 August, 2021. End Date: 13 August, 2021.

# Group 2

Start Date: August 16, 2021. End Date: 27 August, 2021.

### **ONIX-INTERCAMBIO CULTURAL IS:**

### **Academic quality**

Our teaching methods incorporate the latest advances in Spanish education to ensure effective results.

# **Cultural immersion**

We engage and enable our students to apply their knowledge in the real world.

# **Professional services**

You focus on learning the language in Spanish lessons, while we help you handle the rest.

# What does the scholarship cover?

- Pre- Arrival Spanish Test.
- Welcome package and Orientation.
- Study materials.
- 2-week Intensive Spanish & Cultural Immersion Course.
- 60 Lessons of Spanish language & Cultural.
- Communicative language teaching focuses on interaction.
- Field visits.
- Seminar on Cross-cultural studies.
- Seminar on Culture of Argentina.
- Seminar on Argentine Music (Tango Class).
- Free Internet access WI FI.
- Audio and video rooms.
- Free coffee, tea and refrigerated water.
- Time Schedule: mornings and afternoons.
- 24-hour emergency phone line in English, Italian and German.
- Local mentor.
- All administrative and registration fees, tax and civil liability insurance.

# IT'S NOT THE NEW YEAR THAT HAS TO BE BETTER, IT'S YOU. QUINTO

# THE SCHOLARSHIP DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- All roundtrip Airfare
- Accommodation
- Personal expenses
- Laundry service
- Urban transport
- Health insurance
- Expenses for medical and other emergencies

- Visa fees
- Shuttle Bus service
- Personal travels and tranfers
- Meals
- Entertainment expenses including beverages and personal purchases

### **METHODOLOGY**

In order to make best use of all the productive and helpful aspects of the different Spanish teaching methods currently en vogue, Onix-Intercambio Cultural has developed an approach that selectively picks the most valuable elements of each. Our objective is to take full advantage of the different pedagogical principles for Spanish language education. This way, our methodology combines the latest strategies and methods (process and communicative approaches) with the more traditional ones that have proven to be efficient over many years (formal and functional approaches).

Our selective methodology was developed to meet the requirements of learning Spanish in an immersion context, and is based on the specifications proposed by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. This comprehensive teaching method allows students to develop simultaneously and in a harmonic way all the foreign language learning skills (speaking, listening, reading and writing), together with strategic skills. This way, it facilitates the integration of the students' different learning styles and abilities. Our experience shows that this approach is significantly enhancing our students' progress in acquiring content and developing language skills.

Indeed, learning a language is not only about learning grammar and vocabulary, but requires students to be able to put into practise their knowledge in different real-life situations. This also motivates our choice to integrate specific cultural contents (particularly the Argentine and Latin-American one) into the learning process. Communication requires knowing more than simply the structure of a language: it requires implicit knowledge of the cultural context in which interactions take place.

### **CULTURAL ACTIVITIES**

It would be a shame if we "only" taught you the Spanish language and neglected Argentina's and Latin-America's artistic, historic and literary legacy. At Onix-Intercambio Cultural, we believe that language and culture go hand in hand. This is why we have designed programs rich in cultural content, the degree of which varies according to the duration of your specific program and skill level. These activities form an integral part of our teaching methodology to ensure that our students gain true insights and get answers about our history and culture.

Every Monday we propose our students a list of at least four weekly events, including academic activities and upcoming city programs.

# Oral presentation Assignment: "Cultura de mis orígenes"

You will develop and deliver an oral presentation by yourself or with other students, and to answer questions from the audience about your presentation.

# **SCHEDULE SAMPLE**

DAY	HORARIO	ACTIVIDADES
Monday	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 1	06:00 pm - 08:00 pm	Orientation & Introduction - Seminar: "Mate history: myths and secrets-Workshop"
Tuesda	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 2	06:00 pm - 08:00 pm	Seminar: <u>"Culture of Argentina"</u>
Wednesday	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 3	03:00 pm - 04:30 pm	Seminar & Field Visit: Museo de la Memoria "Humans Rights"
Thrusday	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 4	06:00 pm - 08:00 pm	Seminario: " <u>Historia del Tango – Clase de Tango</u> "
Friday	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 5	Free Afternoon	Free Afternoon
Saturday	Free Day	We suggest visiting
Day 6		<u>"La Cumbrecita"</u>
Sunday	Free Day	We suggest visiting
Day 7		<u>"Alta Gracia"</u>
Monday	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 8	06:00 pm - 08:00 pm	Seminar/Reflections: "Living in Argentina"
Tuesda	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 9	06:00 pm - 08:00 pm	Seminar/Reflections: "Critical Perspectives on Argentina: Culture & Society "
Wednesday	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 10	06:00 am - 07:30 pm	Seminar/Reflections: "Mafalda, la niña rebelde que quiso cambiar el mundo"
Thrusday	09:00 am - 01:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course
Day 11	06:00 pm - 08:00 pm	Students Public Speaking—Oral Presentation: "Cultura de mis orígenes"
Friday	09:00 am - 02:30 pm	Spanish Language & Culture Course - Farewell Lunch
Day 12	Free Afternoon	Free Afternoon – End of Program







An Interview with Andrew Graham-Yooll, Translator of the Famous Argentine Comic Strip



### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

### **Elegibility**

Candidates must meet the following requirements:

- Age range: 17 to 23.

- Beginner/Intermediate Spanish Levels: A1-A2 or B1

# **Application Precedure**

Each candidate must submit his/her:

- CV (Curriculum Vitae in your native language)
- Scholarships Motivation Letter
- Online Application

**Application:** https://www.argentineculture.org/apply-now

Deadline: December 20, 2020.

Scholarship Winner Announcement: Results of the scholarship selection will be announced: December 21, 2020

# How are scholarship recepients chosen?

# Euro Club de Córdoba, Club de Derecho de Córdoba y el Instituto Argentino de Cultura

Our selection committee (integrated by one member of each 3 institutions) takes many factors into consideration when choosing scholarship candidates. Scholarships are awarded to those who demonstrate a commitment to their communities, voluenteer work and a genuine interest in cultural programs.

Preference may be given to: Applicants Résumé, Spanish language level and volunteer work.

### **General Considerations**

- 1. Students are responsible for observing the legal provisions applicable to enter and leave Argentina.
- 2. Personal expenses arising out of or related to the student's stay in Argentina are not included in the scholarship.
- 3. Student is responsible for purchasing a comprehensive international health insurance policy to cover health care costs during the visit to Argentina. Students release and forever discharge Onix-Intercambio Cultural Foundation from any and all liability whatsoever for medical attention and medical expenses during that period.
- 4. Students personally assume all risks, whether foreseen or unforeseen, for any harm, injury or damage that may befall them during their visit to Argentina. They are also fully responsible for their luggage and personal property entirely throughout their trip. Students release and forever discharge Onix-Intercambio Cultural Foundation from any and all liability whatsoever for any direct or consequential loss, injury or damage arising from any of the aforementioned situations.
- 5. **Optional University Credits:** students can obtain 3 university credits for their Spanish studies in Córdoba. They have to pass a final exam and this allows them to obtain a certificate which in turn can be transformed into university credits in their home country. The exam has a cost of USD 45.
- 6. All scholarship recipients are responsible for their own airfare, airport transfer, accommodation, health travel insurance and daily living expenses.
- 7. **Reduction of Spanish Lesson:** Onix-Intercambio Cultural Foundation reserves the right to reduce the number of lessons in a class with **less than 3 students**. If there are 2 students in a class, lessons will be reduced by 50%. If there is 1 student in a class, lessons will be reduced by 60%.

(20 group lessons = 10 two-to-one lessons = 8 one-on-one lessons)

Opportunities are open to people regardless of their race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, geographic location, socio-economic status, disability, sexual orientation or gender identity. Onix-Intercambio Cultural is committed to fairness, equity and inclusion.

### **SINCE 2005**

Onix-Intercambio Cultural Foundation is a nonprofit, nongovernmental organization. Onix-Intercambio Cultural has helped 2.600 students and teachers gain the knowledge and skills necessary to live and work in a globally interdependent and culturally diverse world by offering the most comprehensive, relevant, and valuable exchange programs available in Argentina.

### **School Address:**

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School: https://www.argentineculture.org/school-in-picture

Meet the Team: PDF o visita: <a href="https://www.argentineculture.org/meet-the-team">https://www.argentineculture.org/meet-the-team</a>

Student Pictures: <a href="https://www.argentineculture.org/onix-in-pictures">https://www.argentineculture.org/onix-in-pictures</a>

To know more about the school: <a href="Impressum">Impressum</a>

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