

The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Portuguese Language and Brazilian Culture Studies
Portuguese 101, 102, 103, 104, 199, or 595

Destination:

Salvador, Brazil

When:

May 20–July 1, 2009

Program Summary:

In this program, students will take two courses, one on the Portuguese language and the other on Brazilian culture, earning six hours of credit. The language courses provide introductory to advanced level instruction in Portuguese with the goal of enhancing students' communicative abilities in the language. The culture course is given in English and provides an interdisciplinary perspective on key topics in the study of Brazilian culture and society. In addition to class meetings, students will make excursions into the local community to visit Candomble temples and Catholic churches, museums, historical sites, NGOs, community organizations, music concerts, and capoeira classes.

Program Fee:

\$3,350.*

Includes: Orientations, housing, meals, excursions, and insurance.

Does Not Include: Airfare, books, or personal expenses.

*Price is subject to change due to exchange rate fluctuations and the number of participants.

Contact:

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Department of Spanish, Italian, and Portuguese

Prerequisites:

Port 199 or 595 open to all University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign students; language course eligibility depends on previous experience in Portuguese. Please contact the instructor for more information.

The Latin American, Caribbean & Iberian Studies Program (LACIS) at the University of Wisconsin-Institute: Summer Intensive Portuguese 2009

Destination:

University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin

When:

June 15-August 7, 2009

Program Summary:

This special eight-week course is designed for people wishing to study intensively beginning Brazilian Portuguese. Graduate students, faculty and other researchers, and advanced undergraduates who need to develop communication skills and reading knowledge for research will find this special Institute particularly useful. The Institute will take place during the eight-week summer school session at UW-Madison, June 15 - August 7, 2009. Instruction is five days a week, four hours a day, and the course (listed as Portuguese 301-302) carries eight (8) semester hours of credit.

The institute will be directed and taught by Professor Severino Albuquerque who will be assisted by a lecturer or teaching assistant. The application deadline is May 8, 2009. Forms and details are available from the UW-Madison Department of Spanish and Portuguese, 1018 Van Hise, 1220 Linden Drive, Madison, WI 53706, (608)262-2093, <http://spanport.lss.wisc.edu>. A limited number of Title VI FLAS Fellowships are available to graduate students in conjunction with the Institute.

Program Fee:

Standard credit-hour fees for the University of Wisconsin based on state residency

Contact:

Please contact LACIS, 1155 Observatory Drive, 209 Ingraham Hall, Madison, WI 53706-1319, (608)-262-2811, lacis@intl-institute.wisc.edu or <http://www.lacis.wisc.edu/>.

Prerequisites:

Knowledge of Spanish (2-3 years equivalency)

University of Florida in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Language and Culture

Destination:

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil at the Instituto Brasil-Estados Unidos (IBEU)

When:

Summer 2009, exact dates TBA for a six week program

Program Summary:

Rio de Janeiro is a sophisticated city of over 10 million people located in one of the world's most beautiful urban settings. Each course offered is for three undergraduate transfer credits that generally satisfy the University of Florida's academic requirements. There are courses in both Portuguese language as well as Brazilian culture. The language classes are generally taught by IBEU faculty. The culture classes are taught by Senior UF faculty and guest lecturers, including professors from our partner-institution, Georgetown University. Also, students will be able to have home-stays with Brazilian families. There will also be opportunities for cultural excursions to the following locations: Petropolis, Rio's historic center and nature parks, as well as Sugar Loaf and Corcovado. Additional excursion fees may apply. Airpasses to other Brazilian cities, such as Sao Paulo, Porto Alegre, Salvador, and Recife are also available through US travel agents.

Program Fee:

Total program fee is TBA.

Program will include tuition for six credits at UF, housing, some meals, several local excursions, language and cultural instruction, on-site orientation, international health insurance and emergency medical assistance.

Contact:

UFIC Study Abroad Advisor, Hernando Zambrano, hzambrano@ufic.ufl.edu, 352-273-1508

Program Coordinator: Dr. Charles A. Perrone, perrone@ufl.edu, 352-392-2100

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Prerequisites:

Open to UF and non-UF students who are at least 18 years of age with a minimum GPA of 2.5. Students must have completed at least one year of Portuguese. Students must apply by **April 1, 2009**.

UCLA in Brazil

Destination:

Salvador da Bahia, Brazil

When:

Summer 2009, TBA

Program Summary:

Make this summer your tropical winter in Brazil! Take advantage of a unique opportunity to live and study in Salvador da Bahia, one of Brazil's foremost cultural centers. Walk the cobblestone streets of the restored "old city" and explore the largest group of Baroque buildings in the Americas. Catch a street celebration and feel the pulsating rhythms of Bahia's African-inspired music and dance. Savor *moqueca*, *vatapá* and other delicious Afro-Brazilian dishes. Study Brazilian culture while learning or improving your Portuguese language skills in this vibrant seaport.

Program Fee:

Total Program Fee TBA. This program qualifies for FLAS funding. The core program consists of 126 contact hours. Some FLAS awards may require more contact hours. To increase the contact hours, FLAS recipients may register for the [optional 199 course](#). For cost breakdown information, [click here](#).

Contact:

Professor Carlos Quicoli, UCLA Department of Spanish and Portuguese. For more information, please click the above links.

Prerequisites:

Inquire within.

University of Florida Business in Brazil Program

Destination: Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo, Brazil

When:

May 18-June 12, 2009

Registration Deadline: March 16, 2009

Program Summary:

The University of Florida Center for Latin American Studies and Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) are again offering their summer business program in Brazil. The program is co-sponsored by the CIBERs of the University of Kansas, the University of Pittsburgh, and the University of Pennsylvania.

With its economy booming in recent years, Brazil has emerged to join China, India and Russia as one of the leading emerging markets in the global economy. Today more than ever international companies are looking for business graduates who understand the Brazilian market and are familiar with its language and culture of Latin America's largest country.

This four-week summer (May 18-June 12) program combines Portuguese language training with a professional level course on Brazil. During the first three weeks in Rio de Janeiro, students take business- oriented Portuguese language instruction (at either the beginning or intermediate levels) at the Instituto Brasil-Estados Unidos (IBEU) in the mornings. The afternoon portion of the Rio program, hosted by the School of Business at the Catholic University (PUC-Rio), consists of academic lectures and discussions in English on its campus, complemented by visits to prominent local companies. For the fourth week the program moves to São Paulo for visits to local companies and financial institutions. Participants can earn 6 hours of transfer credits (3 in business and 3 in Portuguese).

Program Fee:

Estimated Costs: Program Fee is \$3,634, which does not include airfare. It covers tuition for 6 transfer credits, housing with 2 meals a day in Rio, excursions in Rio and São Paulo, travel to and hotel rooms in São Paulo and Paraty. Contact your local Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) to check on scholarship availability.

Contact:

Mary Risner, Associate Director, UF Center for Latin American Studies, mriskner@latam.ufl.edu
Hernando Zambrano, UF Study Abroad Adviser, hzambrano@ufic.ufl.edu

Prerequisites:

The program is open to graduate and professional students and upper level undergraduates. To be eligible they must have taken the equivalent of one full semester of business coursework.

Harvard: Portuguese Language and Brazilian Culture with Internship Opportunities

Destination:

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

When:

June 22-August 17

Application Deadline: February 27, [apply online](#)

Program Summary:

Rio de Janeiro, with its ebullient and diverse cultural life, is an intriguing center for the arts, theater, music, exhibitions, street performances, international conferences, and cultural and social debates. Rio de Janeiro provides students with the ideal atmosphere for full immersion into the Portuguese language and Brazilian culture. Students stay in family homes, where they have the best chance to experience the Brazilian way of life and to speak everyday Portuguese. In addition, students in the program benefit from special lectures and workshops by Brazilian artists, activists, and renowned scholars. A large number of instructional excursions in and around Rio allow students to have hands-on experiences with different social strata of the population. The course is hosted at Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro (PUC-Rio), one of Brazil's leading universities.

For the last two weeks of our program, PUC-Rio will generously accept all students at its well established and closely supervised Internship Program. Students will be able to choose to do their internships either at the private sector or at nongovernment organizations. Opportunities include, but are not limited to arts, environmental, health care, and law organizations.

Program Fee:

\$5610 for 8 credits

Contact:

Clémence Jouët-Pastré, [Faculty](#)

Send Application Materials To:

Matilda West

Study Abroad Coordinator

Harvard Summer School

51 Brattle Street

Cambridge, MA 02138 USA

Prerequisites:

Harvard students must have completed either Portuguese A, Portuguese Ac and Ad, Portuguese Ba, or the Harvard University placement test. Other students must have completed one year or

one accelerated semester of Portuguese. Additionally, students should be at least 18 years old. This is a FLAS eligible program.