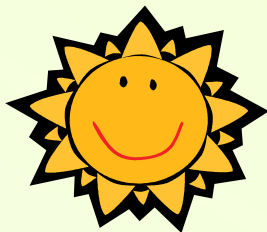


EXCURSIONS

- Day tours to places of historical, cultural and recreational interest
- Walking Tour of Antigua
- Museo de Café
- The Island Flores
- San Antonio Aguas Calientes
- The Famous Pyramids of Tikal
- Town of Chichicastenango
- Fabrica de Chocolate
- Macadamia Farm

CLIMATE

Antigua's climate is pleasant most of the year and ranges in the upper 70's to low 80's with sunny skies year round.



EXPENSES:

15 Day Program	\$2495
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Fees Include:

- Airfare
- Excursions
- Lodging
- Insurance
- Individual Spanish Lessons
- Transportation
- Pre-trip Orientation
- In-country Transportation
- Cultural Activities

Additional Expenses:

- Passport
- Souvenirs



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COURSE OVERVIEW



Participants will develop knowledge and skills in the following areas:

- Cultural Competence—1 credit
- Service Learning—1 credit
- Spanish Language Acquisition—1 credit

Participants will be challenged to consider the important educational issues of cultural difference, engaged learning and the experience of being a learner beyond the borders of their comfort zones. These are significant facets of our abilities to work with our students and with each other effectively.

Other Course Hi-lights:

- Two pre-trip training sessions
- Travel to Guatemala
- One post-trip wrap-up
- Project completion



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PROFESSIONALS ABROAD: GUATEMALA

Superbly situated in a sweeping highland valley, suspended between the cones of Agua, Acatenango and Fuego volcanoes, is one of the Americas' most enchanting colonial cities: **Antigua**.

In its day this was one of the great cities of the Spanish empire, ranking alongside Lima and Mexico City and serving as the administrative center for all of Central America and Mexican Chiapas. This program will take you to Antigua, Guatemala; it's renowned for its language schools and located just miles from Guatemala City.

Antigua:

- Guatemala's foremost tourist destination
- The main attraction is the city's beauty
- Social bar scene and superb restaurants
- Baroque-style colonial buildings and cobble streets
- Antigua's language schools are some of the best in all Latin America

In Antigua, participants will be immersed in the culture and language, attend the renowned **Escuela Tecún Umán**, live with carefully selected families and participate in afternoon and weekend excursions to cultural sites.



The Tecún Umán Spanish School was established over 27 years ago and has achieved a reputation as one of Guatemala's best Spanish schools.

- Fully accredited through Universidad Rural de Guatemala
- Teachers have an average of 19 years teaching experience
- The founder continuously improves the curriculum
- Accredited by the Ministry of Education and the Office of Tourism in Guatemala (INGUAT)
- Students come from diverse backgrounds, various countries, professions, different ages, and area of study.

Intensive Spanish classes, cultural seminars, special interest classes, home-stays, and excursions come together to give you practical knowledge that you can take into the classroom and workplace.

Participants will have the opportunity to experience some of the most interesting sites in Guatemala and will delight in learning the most Spanish in the shortest time possible. Language learning has never been so fun!

TOTAL IMMERSION

- 3 hours of daily Spanish instruction
- 1 student per teacher
- All levels of instruction available
- Total immersion environment
- 1 hour daily cultural seminar

WORKSHOPS

- Cooking classes
- "Guatemala Today"
- Cultural differences
- Dance classes
- Natural healing and medicine
- Music & dance performances
- Artisan classes

HOME-STAY

- Specially selected families
- Two participants per household with private room
- Wonderful "señoras"
- Middle class homes
- Close to school
- Excellent integration of students

SERVICE LEARNING

- Local orphanages
- Casa del Nino

REGISTRATION: Complete the registration form and submit it, along with check or money order for \$250 payable to MATC Professionals Abroad: Guatemala. This check will hold your spot and will be applied toward the total trip cost. Visa/MC also accepted.

The \$250 deposit is NONREFUNDABLE..

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Please print clearly

Full Name as on passport: _____ ID Number: _____

Address _____ City / State / Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Primary e-mail _____ Secondary e-mail _____

_____ give MATC permission to release my name, photo, email and phone number to other study abroad participants and staff.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Return registration form to: Milwaukee Area Technical College
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Pay \$250.00 nonrefundable deposit to the Cashier's Office at any campus.