

Guatemala Study Abroad 2014

Informational Meeting:
FRI, SEPT 6TH /12PM /UNION ROOM 202



EDST 4740/EDCI 5870: Indigenous Schooling in the Mayan Highlands

Travel Dates: June 2nd - 30th
Estimated Cost: \$2000

An \$800 Cheney scholarship may be available to help cover your costs.

Cost does NOT include:

- *Airfare (approx. \$650-\$850)
- *Tuition (3 credits)
- *Study Abroad Fee (\$100)
- *Some meals
- *Spending Money
- *Vaccinations
- *Passport Fees



Dates to Remember:

- Nov 1** Non-refundable
Deposit* Due -
\$500
- Jan 30** Second Installment
Due - \$800
- Mar 15** Third Installment
Due - \$700
- Apr 15** Final Installment
Due - \$600
- May 26-30** Pre-Departure
Class
- June 2-30** Study Abroad

**This is also considered your first installment. Deposit is non-refundable once six students are enrolled.*

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+ Itinerary

- Daily Spanish class
- Lectures & Workshops by Guatemalan Faculty
- Fieldwork - Community Service Project
- Evening debriefing sessions
- Cultural Day Trips
- Community Engagement
- Final Reflective Project

Study Abroad trip limited to 15 students

GUATEMALA – Indigenous Schooling in the Mayan Highlands

In collaboration with Universidad del Valle de Guatemala, Campus Altiplano, this study abroad program will focus on the educational experiences of indigenous peoples of Guatemala with a particular lens on the national and local politics of schooling. Hosted by the Universidad del Valle, one of the most prestigious private universities in Guatemala, students will reside in dormitories of the Campus Altiplano (Highland Campus) in Sololá, Guatemala. Sololá is about 15 minutes from Panajachel on Lake Atitlan. Sololá is a highland Cakchikel city of about

80,000, mostly Mayan people. It is the capital of the province of the same name, and has a breath-taking view of Lake Atitlan and its volcanoes. The Guatemala study abroad program will provide a new perspective on education through exposure to coursework based on indigenous cultural frames of reference. The program will comprise of: Spanish instruction, lectures and workshops by Guatemalan faculty, on-site fieldwork and day trips to several Guatemalan destinations. This is a 3-credit course.

For further information, contact Dra. Aurora Chang at achang@uywo.edu.

Informational Meeting: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH /12PM -1PM /WYO UNION ROOM 202