Havana, Cuba
The Cuban Revolution: Social Justice, Sovereignty, and Emigration
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July 1—July 31, 2016*
*Dates subject to change

Please note: This study abroad program is on-site in Cuba for three out of six weeks. The course will be taught on the John Jay College campus for the remaining three weeks.

Program Director: Prof. Lisandro Perez, Department of Latin American and Latina/o Studies

Application Deadline: Friday, April 1, 2016

PROGRAM

Few Americans have the opportunity to experience Cuba firsthand. It is difficult to teach students about the Cuban Revolution and the current conditions in Cuba, given the selectivity of the information that emerges from the island, information filtered through the opaqueness imposed by an embargo and travel restrictions. This program will be an opportunity for students interested in Latin America to see and experience firsthand the contours of modern Cuba and the results of a more than half-a-century experiment, the most ambitious national project for social justice and sovereignty in the history of Latin America, one that has had global implications.

ACADEMICS

Undergraduate Course: History of Contemporary Cuba (3 credits): This course will trace Cuban history, from the War of Independence of 1868, through the establishment of the Republic, up to and including the Revolution of 1959. The revolutionary period will be the main focus of the course.

Through study, research, and firsthand experience, this course invites the student to critically evaluate the Cuban Revolution as a project for the attainment of two foundational tenets of the Cuban nation: social justice and sovereignty. The course surveys the historical forces that led to the “redemptive” Revolution of 1959, and the successes, failures, and costs of that revolution in fulfilling the aspirations for social and international justice. Emphasis is on the contemporary state of Cuban society and the antecedents and consequences of large-scale emigration since the Revolution.

PRE-REQUISITES

⇒ Minimum 2.5 GPA
⇒ ENG 101 and sophomore standing or above or permission of section instructor
⇒ All students must have conversational proficiency in Spanish—be able to read, speak and understand Spanish

PROGRAM COST: $3,198.00**
**Subject to change. Includes double occupancy accommodations, visa costs, roundtrip airfare from Miami to Cuba some meals, international health insurance, excursions and transportation on-site associated with program. Does not include tuition, roundtrip airfare from New York to Miami, some meals, personal expenses & excursions, etc.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Ken Yanes, Dep. Director
Emily Pasquerello, Coordinator

212-484-1390, studyabroad@jjay.cuny.edu

⇒ All CUNY students must meet with their study abroad advisor to be sure the proper e-Permit registration process is followed.
⇒ Students are encouraged to consult the Financial Aid Office.
⇒ Scholarship opportunities can be found at http://www.jjay.cuny.edu/scholarships, and on www.studyabroadfunding.org.
⇒ Students are encouraged to apply early, due to limited space.
⇒ Information in this brochure is subject to change, including **program cost(s), *dates, itinerary, etc.

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