

INTERNSHIP YEAR-ROUND

Internships are available year-round, with flexible start dates and durations. Onix-Intercambio Cultural offers internships in a wide range of professional fields in Argentina, and our advisors are proud of their ability to find great opportunities in unique and highly specialized fields.

Information

Start dates: Every Monday

Duration: Flexible durations from 2 to 6 months with year-round start dates

Hours per day: 4 to 6 hours

Spanish Level: Depends on the internship placement

Placement process: Takes between 2 and 6 weeks

Tutor meeting: Once a week - Personalized Program Success Plan with ongoing coaching

Requirements: Suggested Ages 18 – 26 years old / Spanish level A1/A2 must take 30 hours of Spanish before starting the internship.

Certificates: Participation certificate for every participant

Spanish Exams: Optional, at the end of the course (no cost)

Consideration: Interns should have a passport valid for at least 6 months from the start of their program

What is included in the price?

- Pre-Arrival Orientation
- Airport pick-up upon arrival
- Welcome package & Orientation
- Teaching materials (study books)
- Level test, oral and written, before starting
- Optional exams at the end of each level and at the end of your stay
- Certificate including the amount of hours and level attained (plus grade if you passed the exam)
- 20 – 30 hours a week of internship
- Customized Internship placement
- Spanish language instruction: 20 hours
- Homestay – Half board – (Breakfast & Dinner) - Other accommodation options available
- Extracurricular activities per week (guided tours, museum visits, Tango class, Argentinean food & wine tasting, etc.)
- Weekly tutorials at the School and at the placement
- Free Internet access-Wi Fi
- Audio and video rooms
- Hot and cold drinks at school
- Help in organizing trips around Argentina
- 24 hour hotline in Spanish, English and German
- All administrative and registration fees, tax and civil liability - Insurance

The program does not include:

- All roundtrip Airfare
- Personal expenses
- Personal travels and transfers during and outside of program dates
- Laundry service
- Entertainment expenses including beverages and personal purchases
- Health insurance
- Expenses for medical and other emergencies
- Urban transport
- Visa fees

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

15 years of Experience

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

Global Citizens

Empowering students to address social challenges and strengthen civil society

Intercultural Competence

Develop key global skills like cross-cultural understanding

CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

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.

- Walking tours
- Language workshops
- Movie nights
- Tango classes
- Museum visits
- Food & wine tasting
- Sports
- Nightlife

HOUSING

Each of our programs involves a homestay. Living and sharing the student's experience abroad with a homestay is one of the important highlights of studying overseas. In fact, this can be the most enriching and lasting aspect of studying in a foreign country. Many students often maintain relationships with their host families well beyond the conclusion of the program. Our homestays make up an important part of our team. The hosts are carefully selected and interviewed, and have extensive prior experience.

We highly recommend the homestay experience as it is the best choice for a true immersion experience, however, should the student have extenuating circumstances, or need special accommodations; please contact us to discuss other options.

Here is what the student can expect from the homestay

In Argentina:

- On the weekdays and weekends, a light breakfast and dinner are provided by your homestay. Lunch and merienda* are not Included.
- Many homestays in Argentina are single mothers (host moms) with grown children. However, we do have different types of homestays and the final selection is based on your profile that you share with us.
- Homestays are usually in apartments versus houses.
- 90% of the Homestay are located in Downtown Córdoba and at walking distance from the school.
- Our homestays are considered middle-class by local standards and live in very safe neighborhoods.
- Homestays are located conveniently within a 5/15-minute commute to school - All homes have WiFi.

Our Commitment

We strive to provide the richest cultural experience possible with our programs, and realize that housing while abroad is an integral part to the experience the students have. After acceptance into our program we will provide you with a Housing Questionnaire in order to learn about specific housing needs. We want this to be a positive experience for the students! **The cultural growth the students will experience by living with a local host is truly unmatched.**

Meals

Breakfast and dinner are provided every day. Meals are a great way to spend time with a host and experience the local cuisine. We can accommodate most dietary requirements, such as gluten-free, vegan and vegetarian.

* Merienda is a light meal in Argentina. Usually taken in the afternoon, it fills in the meal gap between lunch at noon and dinner. It is a simple meal that often consists of a piece of fruit, cookies, yogurt, and other snacks paired with juice, hot chocolate, mate, coffee, spirits, and other beverages. It is typical for Argentines to have merienda or "tea" around 5pm. (Usually from 5 pm to 7 pm)

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Interns are responsible for observing the legal provisions applicable to enter and leave Argentina.
2. Personal expenses arising out of or related to the intern's stay in Argentina are not included in the price of the purchased services.
3. Payments to Onix-Intercambio Cultural Foundation will be made exclusively using the methods specified by Onix-Intercambio Cultural. **The internship fee must be paid in full prior the student arrival.**
4. Each organization/partner pays its own banking and financial charges.
5. Interns will pay for the replacement or repair, if applicable, of the damages caused to any facilities/goods available to them at Onix-Intercambio Cultural, internship placement, their host's residence as a result of negligent or inappropriate use. This clause includes, but is not limited to: furnishings, electrical appliances and PCs and their accessories.
6. **The partner is responsible for purchasing a comprehensive international health insurance policy to cover health care costs during the visit to Argentina.** Interns release and forever discharge Onix-Intercambio Cultural Foundation and Partners from any and all liability whatsoever for medical attention and medical expenses during that period.
7. Interns 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. Intern release and forever discharge Onix-Intercambio Cultural Foundation and our Partners from any and all liability whatsoever for any direct or consequential loss, injury or damage arising from any of the aforementioned situations.
8. **Reduction of Lesson:** Onix-Intercambio Cultural Foundation reserves the right to reduce the number of lessons in a class with less than 3 students/interns. If there are 2 students/interns in a class, lessons will be reduced by 50%. If there is 1 student/intern in a class, lessons will be reduced by 60%. **(20 group lessons = 10 two-to-one lessons = 8 one-on-one lessons)**

Onix-Intercambio Cultural

The School is located in downtown Córdoba. We have excellent transport connections to all parts of town. As most of central Córdoba, the School's neighborhood is a safe place, at day and night. It is close to major tourist attractions, theatres, cinemas and nightlife attractions. Our address is:

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