Course Approval Form: USF in Spain (Direct USF Credit) - Summer 2018

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Courses below are considered "direct USF credit" as students will be registered in the course by the Education Abroad Office. **USF Students:** The form below to be completed only by the *academic advisor in a student's major* except where indicated in the shaded box. **Non-USF Students:** Education Abroad Advisor Signature of Student's Home Institution. **Students should select the courses they wish to be enrolled in.

ONCE YOU RECEIVE THE REQUIRED SIGNATURE(S) BELOW, UPLOAD THE FORM TO YOUR PROGRAM APPLICATION.

Questions? Contact the Education Abroad Registrar: <u>EA-Registrar@usf.edu</u>.

Course Selection	Course Title	USF Course	Hours	Grad Req.?* Yes No	Pre-requisites	Required Department Approval Signature Dr. De La Pava, <u>adelapava@usf.edu</u>
	Spanish I	SPN 1120	4		N/A	
	Spanish II	SPN 1121	4		SPN 1120	
	Spanish III	SPN 2200	3		SPN 1121	
	Spanish IV	SPN 2201	3		SPN 2200	
	Conversation 1	SPN 2240	3		SPN 2201	
	Journaling/Basic Conversation	SPN 2270	3		SPN 1121	
	Advanced Spanish Grammar & Comp	SPN 3300	3		SPN 2201	
	Spanish Civilization	SPN 3500	3		SPN 2201	
	Spanish American Civilization	SPN 3520	3		SPN 2201	
	Hispanic Cinema	SPN 3391	3		SPN 2240 (min. C-)	
	Expository Writing	SPN 4301	3		SPN 3300/2340	
	Advanced Conversation	SPN 4410	3		SPN 2241	
	Advanced Overseas Study	SPN 4470	3		SPN 2270	
	Andalusian Writers	SPW 4930	3		N/A	
	Intro Span Theater	SPW 4930	3		N/A	
	Span Phonetics and Phonology	SPW 4930	3		N/A	
	Spanish Theater	SPW 5934	3		N/A	

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	Art, Music, Folklore, and Traditions of Spain	SPW 3393	3		N/A	
	Art, Music, Folklore, and Traditions of Spain	SPW 4930	3		N/A	
	Hispanic Short Stories	SPW 4930	3		N/A	
	Hispanic Short Stories	SPN 4470	3		SPN 2270	
	Spanish Culture & Civilization	SPN 3520	3		SPN 2201	
	Spanish Culture & Civilization	SPW 4930	3		N/A	

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Required Academic Advisor Signature USF Students: To be completed student's Major Advisor; Non-USF Students: To be completed by the Education Abroad Advisor of the Student's Home Institution.						
Print Name	Department	Phone	Email			
Signature	University (if not USF)		document, I affirm that the student has informed F and understands how the above credit will cou			
Advising Notes:						

Directions for students completing course approval form -- Direct Credit Programs and FAQ:

Directions

- 1. Select courses you wish to take on the program based on the instructions on the form.
- 2. If a course has a listed pre-requisite that you have not completed, they must obtain special approval by the department listed in the shaded box. The department's representative (advisor, undergraduate coordinator, chair, etc.) signs off allowing the course. * If student does not wish to take that course, they may skip this step.
- 3. Student meets with their academic advisor to have the form reviewed <u>at least one month before their program's application deadline</u> (please refer to the program website for more information). Advisors will indicate if courses listed will count towards graduation requirements and discuss degree completion and excess credit hours with the student.
- 4. Academic advisor signs off indicating whether the course counts towards graduation requirements. This signature indicate that they have spoken to the student about how the class may impact their degree and excess credit hours.
- 5. Student reads and signs conditions on the form.
- 6. Signed course approval form is submitted to the USF Education Abroad Office (<u>EA-Registrar@usf.edu</u>)
- 7. Your form will be added to your application with Education Abroad and reviewed for acceptance. Certain programs require additional items for acceptance, please see program website for further information.
- Students should schedule to meet with their major advisors once the credit has been returned to USF.
- PLEASE NOTE: Students planning to take courses towards minors should coordinate communication between the minor and major advisor. The major advisor should still be the individual signing the form, though they may need confirmation from the minor advisor.

FAQ

Q: What does "Direct Credit Program" mean?

A: This means that the credit offered on this program is through USF (led by our faculty, reviewed by our departments, etc.). You will be registered for the credit by our office prior to starting the program and will see that registration OASIS / Canvas—just as if you were taking the class on campus.

Q: What if I want to change my classes?

A: If you change classes you must notify your Education Abroad Advisor and your Academic Advisor. Please note, you are subject to the same withdrawal and late registration policies as you are on campus so changes to courses after the program date may result in late registration fees or W grades.

Q: How does this impact my GPA at USF?

A: Students have three GPAs at USF: 1. Institutional (courses taken at USF), 2. Transfer (courses that are from outside USF), and 3. Overall (average of institutional and transfer). Grades earned on this program impact your institutional and overall GPA.

Q: Can I take these courses pass (S) / fail (U)?

A: S/U grades are possible as per regular campus policy. This is a contract between you and your faculty member and should be agreed to prior to beginning the course.

Q: Will this count for my degree at USF?

A: Please see your academic advisor. This course counts towards USF residency.

Q: Will this count for financial aid?

A: Every student's financial aid situation is different. Different awards have their own requirements. You will need to speak to a USF financial aid advisor for your specific situation. Be sure to tell them you are on a "direct credit program." Aid will likely not disburse until after the beginning of classes abroad. Please speak to USF University Scholarship and Financial Aid Services for details (www.usf.edu/finaid)