

### Business Argentina: Core Abroad

Foster Study Abroad Program Winter Quarter 2020

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#### What is Business Argentina?

 Winter Quarter 2020 Faculty-Led Program for Foster students in Buenos Aires, Argentina





#### Program Details

- Program led by Foster Faculty Marty Matthews, Shaosong Ou and Izzy Weber
- Students will take 3-4 courses and live in shared apartments in Buenos Aires
- Cohort made up of 20-30 Foster students
- Winter Quarter  $\rightarrow$  January 6 March 6, 2020

#### Courses

- **IBUS 300** Introduction to Global Business (4 credits)
- **MKTG 301** Marketing Concepts (4 credits)
- **IS 300** Introduction to Information Systems (5 credits)
- **MKTG 450** Consumer Behavior (4 credits)
- **IBUS 490** Macroeconomics of Emerging Markets (4 credits)



#### Credits

- Students take:
  - minimum of 3 courses
  - maximum of 4 courses
- Total UW credits will be 12 to 17





#### Where will classes be held?

Students will be based at the Universidad de San Andres (UdeSA) downtown campus in the heart of Buenos Aires' Recoleta neighborhood

# Where will students live?

- In shared studios with other students on the program
- All apartments will be in the same building
- Apartments will include kitchenettes
- 30 minute walk to class

# What is happening in addition to going to class?

- Company visits related to the courses
- Cultural activities and excursions like a full day 'Asado' at an Argentinian Estancia, a cooking class and a Tango show

#### Program Schedule

- Program activities (classes, company visits, & cultural activities) will be scheduled Monday through Friday
- Weekends will be open for students to explore Argentina and explore South America



#### Program Cost

## • Program Fee = \$9,675

• This fee includes...

- Cost of the credits & faculty
- Housing
- Classroom space at UdeSA
- Administrative fees
- Company visits and cultural activities

• What is not included is...

• Airfare

• Food

- Personal expenses, like weekend travel
- UW Study Abroad Health Insurance (\$1.64 a day)

#### Funding

- Student pay the program fee instead of their regular tuition
- Financial Aid will apply to the program fee
- Apply to the program by May 15<sup>th</sup> to be considered for the UW Study Abroad Scholarships
  - For high need WA state residents
- Students who are going on the program will be able to apply for Global Business Center funding
- Other scholarships out there including the Gilman, Fund for Edu Abroad, and other UW awards

# Eligibility

To apply, students need to be a current **Foster School** student or a Sales Certificate student.

#### Application → *bit.ly/UWBusArg2020*

- Apply online by June 15, 2019
- Online Application includes:
  - Personal Statement Why is this Program a Good Fit?
  - 2 short answers concerning adaptability and group dynamics
  - 4 electronic signature documents
  - 1 fac/ta/staff recommendation
- In addition to the online app, students will come in for an interview

## **Questions?**

Contact Theresa Maloney at <u>tmaloney@uw.edu</u> with questions.