

College of Charleston Spring 2017 Semester

CUBA

HAVANA



**Dates: February to
April 2017**

**Program Fee:
\$5,950***

*Fee is estimated and does not include tuition

Program Information:

The College of Charleston offers a spring semester program in Cuba, one of our nearest, most significant and exotic neighbors. Cuba blends the experience of cultures - African, European, American - which creates a unique environment that students will be able to experience by enrolling in courses taught by College of Charleston faculty as well as Cuban scholars. Students will be exposed to an array of cultural activities and study excursions designed to encourage direct interaction with the Cuban people. The program is designed to allow students to further their Spanish language skills, especially since they will be living in private residences. Students will learn about the rich heritage of Cuba, as reflected in its cultural, economy, political and social history, art, music, literature and rich natural environment. Study-visits and excursions with cultural activities and lectures will be an integral part of the student experience while in Cuba

Tentative Courses Offered (subject to change):

(students must enroll in at least 12 hours)

LACS 101: Introduction to Latin American and Caribbean Studies

LACS 103: Introduction to Contemporary Cuba

POLI 340: Politics of Latin America

POLI 245: Cuban Revolution

SPAN 333: Topics in Hispanic Cultures

SPAN 328: Spanish Language Study Abroad

See reverse side for more information



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The comprehensive program fee of **\$5,950* (estimated)** includes:

- Round-trip airfare from Charleston to Cuba
- Lodging with breakfast and dinner in private residences, casas particulares in Havana
- All ground transportation and entrance fees during program excursions
- Academic visas and health insurance
- Non-refundable application fee of \$50

NOT Included:

- Passport fees (if student does not already have a passport)
- Tuition: Students will pay their normal CofC tuition. All financial aid and scholarships that students normally receive will apply



Program Director

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To Apply:

To apply visit cofc.abroadoffice.net, create a profile, choose your program and follow the instructions. For more information contact **Holly Oppel, Program Advisor, Center for International Education, haoppel@cofc.edu, 843-953-0441.**

The application deadline is **November 15, 2016**. Please note that a non-refundable \$50 application fee, will be charged to the student's MyCharleston account once the application has been submitted to, and approved by, the CIE. This fee is included in the program fee of \$5,950

Scholarships of up to \$2000 each are available to support CofC degree-seeking students to study abroad; eligibility is based on demonstrated financial need and academic merit. The application can be found on the CIE website, <http://international.cofc.edu> under Scholarships. Deadline to apply is **October 5, 2016.**