

SUMMER COURSES 2017

INTENSIVE SPANISH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE PROGRAMME FOR HIGHER EDUCATION STUDENTS

PROGRAMME

The Spanish Language and Culture Courses are designed for international students intending to start or continue their studies at the *Universidad Politécnica de Madrid (UPM)*, or for those who intend to spend a term/year at any Spanish University and need to have a previous knowledge of Spanish communicative skills.



The program is a 4-week course covering Spanish language and cultural components run by PROLINTER-UPM during the month of July, combining language and culture face to face lessons with outdoor cultural activities

The program includes:

- Spanish Language course run by experts in Spanish communication skills.
- Indoor/Outdoor Cultural Activities.
- Accommodation in the University Students' Residence.

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

JULY 2017						
L	M	X	J	V	S	D
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4	5	6 Film	7	8	9
10	11	12	13 Film	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

- – Arrival and Departure
- – Academic Activities. Spanish Language lessons
- – Cultural Activities and guided tours
- – Free days for independent trips
- – Final exam
- – Closing Ceremony

METHODOLOGY

The programme applies the Blended Learning methodology, which combines classroom face-to-face tuition with individual and group activities via the AVE online program (Virtual Spanish Classroom by *Instituto Cervantes*)

DURATION

One month course: **120 hours** (4 weeks), organized as follows:

Spanish Language and Culture lessons: 60 face-to-face hours

Team work tutored activities: 10 hours

Online language learning activities to merge the acquired knowledge (self-study and/or tutorials): 30 hours

Outdoor cultural activities: 20 hours



LEVELS

The course offers the following levels according to the Common European Reference Framework for Languages (CEFR):

A1 (Breakthrough)

A2 (Waystage)

B1.1/ B1.2 (Threshold)

B2 (Vantage)

Students will be required to take a level test at the beginning of the course.

TIMETABLE

Lessons will be run from Monday to Thursday:

9:30 – 11:30 - Spanish Language face to face session

11:30 – 12:00 - Break

12:00 – 14:00 - Spanish Language face to face session

14:00 – 15:00 - Lunch and free time for individual or team work

15:00 – 17:00 - AVE online tutored activities

VENUE

Lessons will take place at the UPM Campus located in the city center, at the *Escuela Técnica Superior de Ingenieros Industriales* and/or at the *Escuela Técnica Superior de Ingenieros de Minas y Energía*



CULTURAL PROGRAMME

The Cultural Programme is scheduled mainly on **Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays**.

Cultural contents include:

- Guided cultural walks around the most artistic areas downtown Madrid: the cathedrals, ancient heritage churches, museums, the Royal Palace, UPM Museums, art galleries, etc.
- Day trips to sightseeing attractions in the nearby areas of Madrid.
- Analysis of Spanish stereotypes and customs.
- Spanish film screening (subtitles in Spanish).
- Trends in Spanish contemporary art painting.

CULTURAL PROGRAMME TIMETABLE



WEEK 1

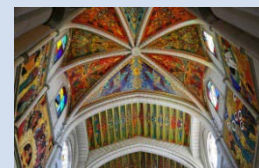


Monday 3th July	<p>9:00 - 9:10 – Course Opening</p> <p>9:15 – Beginning of classes</p> <p>14:00 - 15:00 – Get-together lunch</p> <p>19:30 - 20:30 – Madrid “City Rally” (organized by BEST-UPM MADRID students association)</p>
Friday 7th July	<p>10:00 - 12:00 – Seminar “Spanish contemporary art painting tendencies: Theory and Practice”, conducted by Natxo Arteta, Spanish contemporary painter</p> <p>12:15 -13:00 – Guided visit to the Art Gallery “Félix Cañada. Located at the Fundación Gómez Pardo</p>
Saturday 8th July	<p>10:00 - 13:00 – Guided tour around “Habsburg Madrid” The Golden Art Triangle I The Prado Museum: Goya and Velázquez’s masterpieces.</p> <p>Guided walk around the area “Madrid Castizo: Casa de las 7 Chimeneas and Convento de las Comendadoras”</p> <p><u>Meeting point</u>: 09:45 – Statue of Goya located next to the Prado Museum North entrance.</p>
Sunday, 9th July	<p>10:00 - 14:00 – Guided tour around “Habsburg Madrid”: The Golden Art Triangle II. National Museum “Centro de Arte Reina Sofía”: Picasso’s masterpieces.</p> <p>Guided walk around the “Barrio de las Letras”.</p> <p><u>Meeting point</u>: 09:45 – National Museum Centro de Arte Reina Sofía” Entrance.</p>

(Street/ Santa Isabel nº.52.) (Glass elevators)



WEEK 2



Thursday, 13th July **17:30 - 19:00** – Spanish cinema. Oscar awarded films: Fernando Trueba “*Belle Epoque*”

Meeting point: Residencia Gómez Pardo (c/Cristobal Bordiu, 30 bis. Metro: Rios Rosas).

Friday, 14th July **9:30 - 11:30** – Guided tour around “Bourbon’s Madrid” including:
Visit to the Royal Palace.

Cathedral “Santa María la Real de la Almudena”

Meeting point: (9:15h) Plaza de Oriente (Felipe IV Statue)

12:00 - 13:00 – Flamenco Seminar (Tablao Flamenco Las Tablas, Plaza de España, nº9)

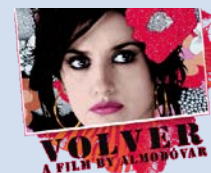
Meeting point: (11:45 h) Plaza de Oriente (Felipe IV Statue)

Saturday, 15th July **09:30 - 17:00** – Guided trip to Toledo

Meeting Point: (9:15 h) c/ Ríos Rosas, 22 (ETSI Minas- Main Entrance), Metro: Ríos Rosas



WEEK 3



Thursday, 20th July **17:15 - 19:00** – Spanish cinema. Oscar awarded films: Pedro Almodóvar “*Volver*”

Meeting Point: Residencia Gómez Pardo (c/Cristobal Bordiu, 30 bis. Metro: Rios Rosas)

**Friday, 21st July –
Monday 24th July** Free weekend for independent trips



WEEK 4



Thursday, 27th July Flamenco Party (optional and not included in the course fees)

Friday 28st July **13:00 - 14:00** – Closing Ceremony and Certificate awards Issue.
14:15 - 15:30 – “Spanish Paella” (Get-together farewell lunch)

Saturday 29st Pack up and Departure.

EVALUATION AND CERTIFICATES

Students will be awarded with a Diploma / Certificate, based on attendance and performance, stating the course level and attained grade dully signed and sealed by **PROLINTER UPM**. The certificate includes the level, attendance (80% compulsory), grades and 6 ECTS (4 per academic activities + 2 per cultural activities).



ACCOMMODATION

The accommodation (bed & breakfast) will be at the **Student Residence Hall , Fundación Gómez-Pardo**, located in the city centre, by “**Ríos Rosas**” **Metro station**.

The Residence facilities:

- ✓ Single room with in-suite bathroom.
- ✓ Breakfast 7 days a week
- ✓ 15 meal tickets to be used for lunch from Monday to Thursday
- ✓ Common Study rooms and .Spanish press available
- ✓ Individual internet connection in all the bedrooms
- ✓ Bedroom Weekday Cleaning (not weekends)
- ✓ Launderette (coin operated)
- ✓ 24 hours reception desk (Open entrance and leaving at any time)
- ✓ Microwave (no other kitchen facilities)

LOCATION: RESIDENCIA UNIVERSITARIA GOMEZ-PARDO

Street: Cristobal Bordiu, 30 Bis, 28003 Madrid

Phone Numbers: + 34 91 441 79 21 / 442 26 56 (Administration)/ 91 442 29 20 (Reception Desk)

Web page: <http://www.minas.upm.es/fundacion/fgp/index.php>

E-mail: fgp.minasyenergia@upm.es

ENROLMENT FEES

Total Course Fee: 1.920 €

Price without accommodation: **950 €**

The total course enrolment fee covers:

- ❖ Teaching materials (textbooks and photocopies)
- ❖ 90-days individual Licenses of the AVE programme and on-line tutoring
- ❖ Cultural programme, including museum tickets and bus to Toledo
- ❖ Talks and films attendance.
- ❖ Access to the ETSI MINAS 's Computer Rooms for individual and team projects
- ❖ Access to the university services (library, Internet, sports facilities, etc.)
- ❖ Certificate of achievement with the obtained grade and accomplishment.
- ❖ **Accommodation for 28 nights, (2nd July to 30th July):** Single room with an en-suite bathroom, breakfast 7 days a week and 15 meal tickets in University Residence Hall.
- ❖ Welcome and Farewell lunches

SPECIAL BONUS

For any bookings made for **10+** students from the same institution, the course will include

EXTRA FACILITIES AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE:

- Other proposed trips on request
- Extra days of accommodation (30€/ day) – possibility of staying till 30st July, (checking out at noon)
- Airport shuttle (to be confirmed according to the number of students)
- Extra weekday lunches and dinners are offered at the Student Residence Hall for €6 which includes two courses and dessert

REGISTRATION

Online Registration: <https://programalenguas.upm.es/2017/Spanish/Summer/gestor/>

Registration Period: 5st April till 15th June 2017

Additional Information: programa.lenguas@upm.es

➤ **COURSE FEE PAYMENTS**

- Payments should be made by **money transfer**. Data Bank will be included in the acceptance to the program.
- **Proof of payment by e-mail** (programa.lenguas@upm.es) or by fax (+34 91 336 3664).
- **Payment deadline: 19th June 2017**

➤ **COURSE ADMINISTRATION**

Programme Workforce:

- Specialized Spanish language lecturers. PROLINTER UPM
- Experts in different scientific, technical and art subject areas
- Specialized tourist guides

BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS:

Bank Entity: BANCO DE SANTANDER

Account Name: UPM- PROLINTER / Ref: 43746819003

Account Number: 0049-3830-76-2914029631

IBAN: ES63-0049-3830-76-2914029631

SWIFT or BIC: BSCHESMMXXX

Reference: ISSP – *Surname and name of student*

Programme Director: PROLINTER UPM – Marinela García.

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