

W&M Semester - La Plata, Argentina

Course Credit Guidelines

All courses will receive W&M credits and grades will be calculated into the GPA.

Comisión (CPM) Courses

You must take all four courses offered by the CPM during your semester abroad.

“Intro to Historical & Current Argentine Society” and “Intensive Spanish Language” are compulsory and offered every semester. Other courses offered may vary by term.

Course name	Choice of equivalents: Determined after program completion	# of credits
Intro to Historical & Current Argentine Society	HISP 299, GOVT 391, LAS 390, HIST 311	4
Intensive Argentine Spanish Language & Culture: Intermediate or Advanced	HISP 230, LAS 390	3
Argentine History Problems of Environment	HISP 390, LAS 390	3
Argentine Youth, Culture, and Politics	HISP 390, LAS 390	3
Mass Media and the Construction of Memory	HISP 390, LAS 390	3
Native People Rights and Nature Conservation	ENSP 249, HISP 390, ANTH 338, LAS 390	3

National University of La Plata (UNLP) Pre-Approved Course Options

It is strongly recommended that you take at least one UNLP course.

These are variable credit courses. Credit will be awarded corresponding to reported contact hours.

Rule of thumb: 30 contact hours = 2 credits; 45 contact hours = 3 credits; over 45 contact hours = 4 credits.

*Courses offered and number of credits awarded is subject to change. This is not a complete list of possible courses.

Course name	Choice of Equivalents: Determined after program completion	Probable # of credits
Alternative Journalism, Rock, and Counter-culture	HISP 390	3
American History I	HIST 311	2 or 4, depending on contact hours
Ceramics Workshop	ART 327 [but cannot serve as pre-requisite for higher level courses in ART]	
Communication and Media	HISP 390	4
Communication as a Political Tool	HISP 390, LAS 390	4
Communications and Human Rights	HISP 390	3
Creative Writing in Spanish	HISP 350 (3 credits) + HISP 230 (1 credit)	4
Drawing Workshop I	ART 211 [but cannot serve as pre-requisite for higher level courses in ART]	3
Economics and Politics in the New Models of Argentine Development, Post-Neoliberal Years (2002-2011)	LAS 390	3
From Tango to Rock	SOCL 340	3
International Relations and Communications	LAS 390	4
Introduction to Community Planning	LAS 390 or contact the Government department for GOVT approval	4
Introduction to Gender Studies in Social Work	HISP 300	2
Introduction to Philosophy	PHIL 201 (3 credits) + PHIL 306 (1 credit)	4
Issues in American History: Populism, Neopopulism and the New Left	HISP 230, HIST 299, LAS 390	3
Latin American Culture and Political Communication	HISP 230, LAS 390	3

Latin-American Thought and Processes – Socio-Political	LAS 390, HISP 230	4
Overseas migrations during the late colonial period: The case of Brazil and the River Plate migration	HISP 230, LAS 390	TBD
Painting Workshop	LAS 290	3
Photography and Digital Art	LAS 290	3
Popular & Informal Education Workshop	HISP 230, HISP 329, LAS 390	3
Problem of Argentine History: Cinema and Politics	LAS 390, HIST 299	3
Problems in Argentine History: Argentine History Debates & Contributions To Women and Gender	HISP 230, LAS 390, HIST 299, or contact Women's Studies for WMST approval	3
Problems in Argentine History: The Concept of Gender	HISP 230, LAS 390, HIST 299, or contact Women's Studies for WMST approval	3
Problems of Argentine History: Family & Sexuality in Buenos Aires	HISP 230, LAS 390, or contact Women's Studies for WMST approval	3
Procedures for the Visual Arts: Printmaking, Sculpture and Art Form	ART 340, LAS 390	4
Reform and Popular Participation in Latin America	LAS 390	4
Revolutionary Christianity, Politics and Society	HISP 230, RELG elective	3
Revolutionary Process in Latin America	HISP 390, LAS 390	3
Right to Communication	HISP 300	4
Seminar: The Silent Life	HISP 230, LAS 390	3
Seminar: Globalization, Integration Processes, and Mercosur	ECON 300	3
Social & Cultural Anthropology	ANTH 350	
Social Work I or II	SOCL 440, LAS 440	3
Sociology of Latin America, 20th C Latin American culture	SOCL 440, LAS 440	3
Sociology of the State and Public Policies	HISP 390	3
South America, International Law & International Relations	HISP 230	2
The Influence of the National Press in Shaping the Identity in the City	LAS 390	4
The Justifiability of Social Rights in Argentina	HISP 230	2
USA Literature	ENGL elective	3
Violence Against Women	HISP 390, LAS 390	

History courses taken at UNLP can be approved as HIST 299. Students must submit the history course syllabi to the Global Education Office at the Reves Center.

Students can satisfy COLL 300 requirements by earning at least three credits in a William & Mary sponsored international program. They may also satisfy COLL requirements on such programs where the course is designated as a COLL in this catalog. For non-William & Mary "faculty-led" or "faculty-assisted" programs, COLL requirements cannot be satisfied. Petition may be made to the Committee on Degrees to satisfy the COLL 300 requirement in a non-William & Mary sponsored international program.

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