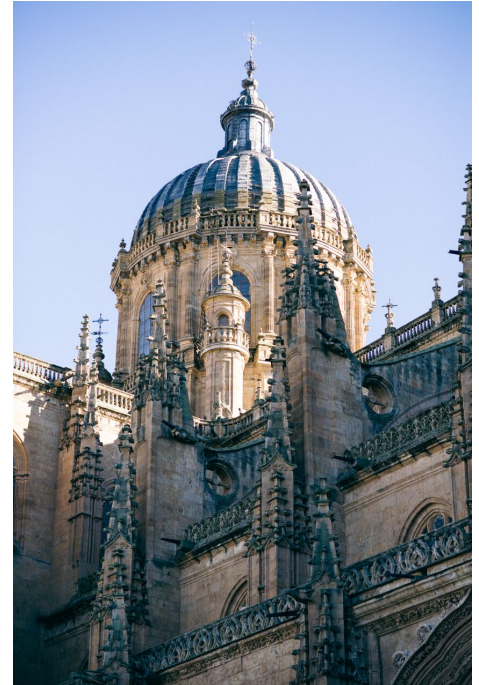
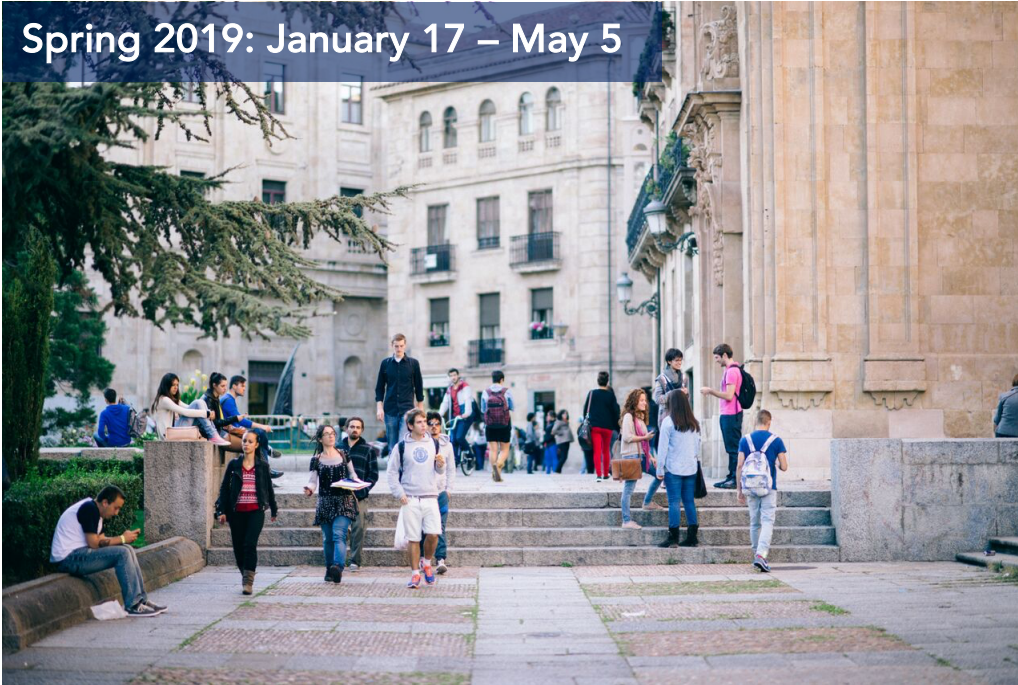


Semester in Salamanca **EDUCATION**

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PROGRAM:

The Semester in Salamanca (SIS) program offers students a unique educational experience that effectively combines academic work with extensive exploration of the city and around Spain. This education program will run concurrently with the traditional language SIS program, integrating students in all cultural activities, but offer a separate curriculum tailored to education-focused students' academic needs and interests.

Students in the Education Program will take 15 credits, consisting of four courses and a practicum in the local schools, under the direction of Dr. Shoffner. The curriculum is designed to meet requirements in the elementary (ELED), middle (IDLS) and secondary (MSSE) education programs but all students are welcome to apply. There is no language requirement for the Education Program.

Salamanca, located in northwestern Spain, about two hours from Madrid, retains its enchanting medieval character. The city has been occupied by the Carthaginians, the Romans, the Vandals, the Moors and the Castilians. Hannibal, Columbus, Fray Luis de Leon, Cervantes, and Unamuno are among the famous residents of the city.

In the Salamanca program, you will have the opportunity to experience the cultural richness of Spain, as your exposure to theatres, concerts, cinemas and other performing arts groups will unveil a new aspect of cultural learning.

COURSES:

EDUC 300. Foundations of American Education (3 credits)

EDUC 310. Teaching in a Diverse Society (3 credits)

MSSE 370. General Instructional Methods for Grades 6-12 (3 credits)

MSSE 371. Clinical Experience in Adolescent Education (1 credit)

EDUC 490. Literacy and Culture (5 credits)

