

# Glendale Community College Study Abroad

## Madrid, Spain - Summer 2020

June 19 to 28, 2020

**\$ 1,250 plus airfare and community college course fees**

**Price based on 1 Euro exchanged at US\$1.13 and a minimum of 20 paying participants**

This 10-day/8-night program is designed with GCC faculty and staff schedules in mind. Unlike our traditional study abroad programs, this offers just a 1-unit Art History Field Studies course with a focus on observing and appreciating the interconnections of European art, history and architecture in the field. The program includes some key artistic and cultural highlights of Madrid, Toledo and Segovia. A typical day is designed to allow time for a field excursion, short lecture/discussions, and time to relax and/or explore independently.

The program will be led by GCC Art History professor Emily Haraldson. She will share her experience and passion for exploring European art, history and culture – bringing these subjects to life through travel and direct observation. All participants are required to enroll and actively participate in the course, which encompasses a combined 16 hours of lecture and field activities. Family members are welcome to join if they also enroll in the course.

### Program Includes

- 8 nights accommodation in a 3-star apart-hotel (w/ kitchenette) in Madrid based on 2 guests per room.
- The accommodation is within easy walking distance of the Diego de Leon metro station.
- Daily breakfast fund, welcome dinner and farewell dinner.
- Group Airport Transfers
- 7-day Madrid public transit pass
- Guided tour of Madrid's important museums of interest such as:
  - Prado
  - Reina Sofia
  - Thyssen Bornemisza
- Day tour to Segovia with guide
- Day tour to Toledo with guide

### Optional Costs

- Single supplement for the entire 8 nights with private bedroom and bathroom (\$380)

### Does Not Include:

- Airfare (estimated at \$900 to \$1200 if purchased by January 2020)
- GCC tuition and books for a 1-unit Art History Field Studies course
- **Mandatory travel insurance** (estimated \$20-\$60 depending on age and coverage limits)

### **Basic Shell Itinerary for Madrid, 2020**

Fri June 19 Depart LAX for Madrid, Spain.

Sat June 20 Arrive Madrid in the afternoon. Transfer to the accommodation and settle in. Brief orientation to the neighborhood including the locations of supermarkets, ATMs, pharmacies, etc.

Sun June 21	Walking tour of Madrid. Free time to unwind. Welcome dinner with Flamenco show.
Mon June 22	Visit to The Prado museum. Afternoon class discussion. Free evening
Tue June 23	Day trip to Toledo. Evening free
Wed June 24	Visit to Reina Sofia museum. Afternoon class discussion. Free evening
Thu June 25	Day trip to Segovia. Evening free.
Fri June 26	Class discussion. Visit to Thyssen Bornemisza museum. Free evening
Sat June 27	Free day to explore Madrid on your own. Meet up for the Farewell Dinner.
Sun June 28	Depart for Madrid's Barajas Airport for our flight to LAX, arriving the same day.

\*Class session times TBA.

## **Signing Up**

- Visit the program website [www.glendale.edu/studyabroad](http://www.glendale.edu/studyabroad) and click on the Spain 2020 icon where you'll find the program details and the application.
- Print and fill out the application ASAP (this program could fill very quickly).
- Drop the completed application off with Patrik Namagardi or Nonah Maffit in AD145 along with a deposit check in the amount of **\$500** payable to Glendale Community College.
- Coordinate with Darren Leaver and Flavio Frontini to purchase airfare once the program fills, but before February 2020 to get a great airfare deal.
- Make the final payment of **\$750** (plus any single supplement option) due by March 15, 2020.
- Attend the Mandatory Orientation Session on April 4, 2020.

All payments are non-refundable. We can make a partial refund only if we find a suitable replacement for you. Space is limited to approximately 24 fully-paying participants, so act quickly.