



Universidad de  
**los Andes**  
SANTIAGO, CHILE



# GO CHILE & APEC

## JULY 2019



# GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES CHILE & APEC

## Short-term Program at Universidad de los Andes

July 1st - 19th, 2019 - Santiago, Chile

### HOST UNIVERSITY: UNIVERSIDAD DE LOS ANDES, SANTIAGO, CHILE

Universidad de los Andes is a non-profit private research university located on the northeast side of Santiago, Chile. It offers 28 undergraduate and 200+ graduate programs.

Founded in 1989, UANDES emphasizes on innovation, development and all-round education of students, with a personal dedication. The university community enjoys a unique campus where it has everything needed to study, research, develop talents, practice sports and extracurricular activities. From modern clinical and research laboratories, to soccer fields and an amphitheater for cultural performances, as well as a state of the art library building and academic center.

More info: <http://www.uandes.cl/study-in-chile>

### TYPE OF PROGRAM

Credit-Course - 3 weeks (60 contact hours) program.

### ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The GO Chile & APEC- July Program provides a unique experience for students to learn about Chile's economy and its role in the Latin American and Asia-Pacific Region, with an emphasis on the APEC Summit that will be hosted by Chile in 2019. It is also an opportunity to learn Spanish and about Chilean Culture, while enjoying winter at the UANDES Campus.

### DATES

➤ 3 weeks program - July 1st - 19th. 4 US Credits - 8 ECTS Credits.

**WATCH THIS VIDEO HERE ABOUT APEC 2019 SUMMIT IN CHILE** 



## REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS

Undergraduate and Graduate Students from all different backgrounds are welcome

No Spanish knowledge required, program is taught completely in English.

The GO Chile & APEC program will have both Chilean and international students in all lectures and activities.

## DAILY ACTIVITIES

The program will have numerous lectures and activities from Monday to Friday, mostly in the mornings. Additionally, there will be two Spanish sessions per week. Once a week there will be a scheduled cultural activity within Santiago to visit downtown and Santiago's main attraction points. During the afternoon students normally have free time, but we will have a student coordinator who will organize optional activities for each weekday. On weekends, students will have free time for personal activities or tours.

## PROGRAM DETAILS

Lectures are mainly related to economy and politics of member countries of APEC. It's important to mention that there will be some classes about Chilean Culture in order for the participating student to understand Chile's reality and immerse themselves in the local culture.

- **UNIT 1:** Introduction to APEC and how it came to be.
- **UNIT 2:** Where is the Region (Latin America) going as opposed to Asia.
- **UNIT 3:** Bilateral and Multilateral Relations between APEC member Economies.
- **UNIT 4:** What are the new challenges and trends for APEC member Economies?



Lectures provide by UANDES professors and external lecturers such as:

- What is APEC?
- APEC's legal legal implications.
- Chile in the APEC and the 2019 Summit.
- What is Pacific Alliance?
- APEC's political scenario.
- APEC's cultural challenges.
- China's protagonism in the Region.
- US and China: their economies and the "trade war".
- Climate change & sustainable development.
- Upcoming challenges for APEC: technology and beyond.

### ➤ Chilean General Culture

Lectures provide by UANDES professor such as:

- Chile in Figures.
- Chile's Economy.
- The Latin American Passion for Soccer.
- Overview of Chilean History.
- Innovation in Chile.
- Higher Education in Chile.

### **CULTURAL VISITS ABOUT IMMERSION IN CHILEAN CULTURE:**



- Guided to of the "La Moneda" the Presidential Palace, Centro Cultural La Moneda and Santiago Downtown
- Cerro San Cristóbal and Teleferico-Cable Car
- Central Market and "La Vega" Market
- Santa Lucia Hill, Bellas Artes museum and Lastarria neighborhood

*\*Final cultural visits will be confirmed upon availability prior to the program.*

## CONFIRMED CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

- UANDES Campus Tour
- Welcome and Orientation Day
- Typical Chilean Lunch
- International cultural Presentations
- Farewell Activities



### ➤ UNIT 6: LANGUAGE: Discovering Spanish

- **Discovering Spanish:** The Spanish course is directed towards those who are beginning their studies in the language and are interested in acquiring interaction tools for effective communication in everyday contexts of social exchange. The interactive methodology of the course allows students to be able to understand and use basic expressions, and to incorporate relevant grammatical resources.



## **ASSESSMENTS AND EVALUATIONS**

The GO Chile & APEC 2019 program is an academic credit course which contains 60 contact hours within three weeks.

The program will have 3 evaluations:

- Participation (20%): students have to attend at least 80% of the lectures and activities, their active participation in the program will also be evaluated.
- Final Paper (50%): The student will choose a specific subject of personal interest related with APEC and write an essay about it.
- Final Presentation (30%): All students have to do a short oral presentation about their final paper.

## **TRANSCRIPT OF RECORDS**

At the end of the program, each student will receive a transcript of records which provides the amount of credits obtained according to their participation on this course. These credits may vary depending on the number of weeks spent in the program.

## **VISA**

Participants do not need a student visa in order to participate in short term programs as long as their stay does not exceed three months. If a student needs an invitation letter in order to obtain a tourist visa, UANDES can provide it. It is the responsibility of the student to request for such a letter.



## The Program Includes

- Program and materials
- On-Campus facilities (v. gr. Library, Sports) at Universidad de los Andes in Santiago.
- Wi-Fi on Campus
- Orientation and Cultural Activities with UANDES and International students
- External cultural activities and visits with the International Relations Office
- Spanish Language course (Customized)
- Lectures in English with “guest speakers” about Chile, UANDES, etc
- Cultural Trips and Off-campus Visits
- Student coordinator and a Program academic coordinator
- Typical Chilean Lunch
- Welcome and farewell activities with eats and refreshments included

## FEES 2019

Students	Application and Program fee	Tuition fee	Exchange Short-term: Semester-long	Short-term: short-term	TOTAL COST for the Student
FROM NON-PARTNER INSTITUTIONS	\$ 550 USD	\$ 1450 USD	N/A	N/A	\$ 2000 USD
FROM PARTNER INSTITUTIONS Exchange	\$ 550 USD	2-WEEK WAIVED*	4:1	1:1	\$ 550 USD
		3-WEEK WAIVED	3:1	1:1	\$ 550 USD

*\*I.E, 4 students coming to this program from the same Partner University is equivalent to 1 UANDES student for either doing an exchange semester on the partner University or 4 slots for UANDES students in a short-term program.*

## CANCELATION POLICIES

- Full refund of tuition fees will be made if a GO UANDES program is fully booked, is cancelled, or an application for a visa is rejected. Proof of the visa rejection is required within two weeks from the date of notice.
- Any student who cancels an enrolment in a GO UANDES program more than four (4) weeks prior to the commencement of that course will have the total fees paid refunded less a cancellation charge equivalent to 50% of the application and program fee.
- Any student who cancels an enrolment in a GO UANDES program less than four (4) weeks prior to the commencement of that course will have the total fees paid refunded less a cancellation charge equivalent to 100% of the application, tuition and program fee.
- Any student who cancels an enrolment after the commencement of a course is not eligible for a refund of tuition and application Fees.



## Additional costs

### ACCOMODATIONS

Universidad de los Andes does not offer on-campus accommodations; however, the International Relations Office can recommend external housing options. We recommend participating in a homestay program as it will allow students to immerse themselves in the Chilean culture.

**Homestay:** Housing with Chilean families include: Meals (Breakfast and Dinner), Wi-Fi, single room, laundry and housekeeping and pick up at the airport

**4 weeks: \$820 USD approximately**

*\*Other housing options can be recommended upon request.*



## AIRPORT ARRIVAL AND DROP OFF SERVICES

UANDES can organize the transportation for the students from and to the airport and assist them on transportation from their accommodation to UANDES:

- Approximately \$80 USD for a private transfer.
- Included in case the student chooses a homestay package

## PAYMENT PROCESS

Application and program payments fees should be made payable to Universidad de los Andes in Santiago, Chile and sent via wire transfer in one payment, from the either the partner University or directly from the student one month after sending the application form.

The banking information is as follows: please note that the wire transfer fees must be paid in full by the student or sending Institution, not charged to UANDES. Confirm with your bank that total amount received by Universidad de los Andes is the TOTAL COST of the program after all transfer and banking fees have been applied.

Commissions may be charged in the international transfer process; both the sending bank and the intermediary bank that is responsible for the

deposit reaching our bank. For this reason it is important that the student assures with his bank, that when making the payment, the total amount is sent under the EXPENSES OUR modality, this proves that the University will receive the full amount of the transferred fees without discounts by intermediary banks.

### UNIVERSIDAD DE LOS ANDES

**ID (Tax Number): 71.614.000-8**

**Account N°: 051-00-08649-4**

**Bank: Banco Santander Chile**

**Swift Code: BSCHLRM**

**Address: Bandera 140, Santiago, Chile**

**Reference: Rosario Diaz**

Once the student has carried out the program fee transfer, the transfer voucher details must be forwarded to [rdegrazia@uandes.cl](mailto:rdegrazia@uandes.cl)

## HOW TO APPLY

### Application deadline: May, 1st, 2019

Students must contact Camila Sanchez Lillo ([casanchez@uandes.cl](mailto:casanchez@uandes.cl)) who will be guiding them on the registration process. Registration will require the following documents, all in one PDF file:

- 1 ID photo
- Application Form
- Copy of Passport (Personal Information)
- 1 headshot photo
- Short Student biography
- Proof of International Health Insurance

The international relations office will confirm the reception of these documents and will provide the link to the Placement Test that needs to be completed by all applicants.

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# MORE ABOUT UANDES!

## A YOUNG AND DYNAMIC UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1989.

## NATIONAL AWARDS AND RANKING

- Ranked Top 3 in Chile according to the scores of students in the National Admission Test (PSU) 2019.
- First non-traditional university nationwide accredited in all five areas by the *Comisión Nacional de Acreditación (CNA)*

## RESEARCH AND INNOVATION

- Interdisciplinary Research.
- 59 R&D projects awarded in the fields of: Biomedicine, Engineering, Dentistry and Education from 2011 to date.
- 60 technologies currently under development.
- Technology Transfer success:
  - Cells for Cells: First biotech company in Chile that researches and develops therapies using adult stem cells.
  - Regenero: Company focused on developing cell therapies for degenerative diseases.
  - Día+: Platform for diagnosing reading and mathematics skills, in students from kindergarten to fourth grade.
- Strong collaboration with public and private sectors.
- 17 collaborations with national and international partnerships institutions.

## AREAS OF STUDY

### ➤ HEALTH:

Dentistry / Physiotherapy / Medicine / Nursing / Psychology / Nutrition and Dietetics / Occupational Therapy / Obstetrics and Midwifery / Speech Therapy.

### ➤ BUSINESS AND ADMINISTRATION:

Business and Economics / Service Management.

### ➤ ENGINEERING:

Civil / Computer / Electrical / Industrial / Environmental.

### ➤ HUMANITIES:

Advertising / Audiovisual Communication / Education / Family Sciences / History / Journalism / Law / Literature / Philosophy.



# FURTHER OPTIONS AT UANDES

## TAILOR MADE PROGRAMS

UANDES designs and delivers tailor-made programs for international groups. Taught in English or Spanish, Faculty-led or with UANDES professors, our programs are offered in a wide range of topics, such as Chilean Culture, Business in Latin-America, Education, Spanish as a Foreign Language, Humanities, Engineering, Health, among others.

Program dates, duration, lectures and cultural activities are customized to fit the academic requirements of your institution and also we incorporate UANDES students to enhance the cultural immersion of the students and also the synergy of different views.

## SEMESTER-LONG SPANISH LANGUAGE COURSES IN CHILE

Universidad de los Andes offers international students the possibility of learning or improving their Spanish skills in a cultural and academic environment. Our immersion programs provide the necessary tools to comprehend and interact with the Latin-American Culture with a practical approach. This program can be semester-long or short-term and for different levels and study areas.

