



EXPERIENCE CUBA: URBAN AND RURAL LIFE

Now is the perfect time to visit Cuba and see different parts of the island. Join the University of New Mexico's Division of Continuing Education and Latin American and Iberian Institute and step back in time to experience the varying landscapes and pace of life in Havana, Viñales and Las Terrazas. You will enjoy the natural beauty of the famous mogotes in Viñales, the sustainable community of Las Terrazas, and the urban center of Havana. The program includes a visit to the home of the iconic author Ernest Hemingway. Experience the rapidly evolving entrepreneurial spirit in Cuba by dining at privately owned, intimate restaurants. Bring your adventurous spirit and expect the unexpected.

May 7-14, 2017
HAVANA, VIÑALES,
LAS TERRAZAS

ITINERARY

(SUBJECT TO MINOR CHANGE)



SUNDAY, MAY 7

- Morning departure from Fort Lauderdale, FL
- Orientation with local coordinators
- Spend the night at Hotel Presidente

MONDAY, MAY 8

- Walking tour of Old Havana (a UNESCO World Heritage Site)
- Architectural overview of Havana with urban planner and architect Miguel Coyula
- Visit Revolution Square
- Attend evening cannon firing at Fortaleza de San Carlos de la Cabaña
- Return to Hotel Presidente

TUESDAY, MAY 9

- Meeting with Institute for Friend with the Peoples (ICAP)
- Travel to Viñales
- Visit organic farm, including lunch
- Walking tour of Viñales and a tobacco farm
- Spend the night at Hotel Los Jazmines or Hotel Rancho San Vicente

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

- Brief walking tour of Valley of Viñales
- Visit Cueva del Indio
- Tour El Jardín de Caridad
- Return to Hotel Los Jazmines or Hotel Rancho San Vicente

THURSDAY, MAY 11

- Travel to Las Terrazas
- Explore Las Terrazas, a biosphere reserve and national park in the Sierra del Rosario of Pinar del Rio, and learn about its conservation projects
- Walking tour of artists' studios
- Spend night at Hotel La Moka

FRIDAY, MAY 12

- Discussion with director of the Literacy Campaign Museum
- Visit the home of painter José Fuster and discuss his various community projects
- Meet with members of grassroots community project Espiral
- Optional visit to the Fábrica de Arte Cubano (FAC), venue for concerts and vanguard art exhibits
- Spend night at Hotel Presidente

SATURDAY, MAY 13

- Tour Ernest Hemingway's home
- Driving tour of Cojimar, fishing village that inspired Hemingway
- Optional visit to explore Havana's book fair, arts and crafts market
- Farewell dinner with Cuban guests

SUNDAY, MAY 14

- Afternoon departure to Fort Lauderdale





IMPORTANT DEADLINES

February 8, 2017: \$500 non-refundable deposit due along with completed application form and copy of passport (passport must be current through September 14, 2017).

March 20, 2017: Full payment due along with signed risks and conditions form, visa application, and travel affidavit.

ABOUT THE SPONSORS

This program is offered by The University of New Mexico's Latin American and Iberian Institute (LAI) and Continuing Education

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INFORMATION SESSION

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PROGRAM COST: \$3,995

Space is limited and based upon first-come basis.

THE PROGRAM COST INCLUDES

- Roundtrip airfare from Fort Lauderdale to Havana
- 7 nights' lodging in Cuba
 - based upon double occupancy
 - single occupancy available for \$200 supplemental fee
- Breakfast and 7 lunches or dinners
- Ground transportation for all programmed activities in Cuba
- Majority of entrance fees for programmed activities
- Guides and translation for programmed activities
- Cuba visa
- Health insurance
- Cuban airport tax

THE PROGRAM COST DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Domestic roundtrip airfare to/from Fort Lauderdale
- Expenses in Fort Lauderdale
- Baggage fees
- Meals not included in the program
- Drinks, tips, etc.
- Optional and/or unscheduled activities (including transportation for those activities)
- Personal trip insurance (recommended but not required)