IU Study Abroad: Dominican Republic July-Aug. 2018

What is the program?  [https://blogs.iu.edu/iusantiago2018/](https://blogs.iu.edu/iusantiago2018/)

- **Five weeks in** the DR, homestays with Dominican families: includes daily meals
- Two classes (6 credits): **S324/S495** and **S317**, taught by IU Faculty (IU Dept of Spanish and Portuguese)
- Excursions guided by IU professors and local staff including:
  - Charcos de Damajagua,  
  - Los Haitises,  
  - Museo Mirabal
- Some predeparture assignments will be expected.

**Where:** Santiago de los Caballeros, Dominican Republic (DR). The second-largest city in the DR, Santiago is a truly authentic experience of the DR. Known for its safety and cultural richness; it is also home to a major baseball stadium, the Centro León, and many other cultural and historical sites.

**When:** July 1-Aug. 4, 2018 (application deadline see Overseas Study website- http://overseas.iu.edu/programs/iuprogram/index.shtml)

**Who is eligible for the program?** The program is for Spanish majors and minors who have taken S280 and received a B (3.0 GPA) or above. The application requires two letters of recommendation and a statement from the student.

**Cost:** $4,000 (tentative) Includes room and board, tuition, fees, Health insurance in the Dominican Republic, and most excursions. Students are responsible for airfare to and back.

**How to apply:** Application information will be available at overseas.iu.edu. *Home-stays and in-country support (medical and safety) are provided by Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE). All host families have extensive experience with foreign students.

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**Pictures:** Monument to the Heroes of the Restoration, Sosua beach, San Gabriel's cave, Los Haitises.