

USAC San Ramón, Costa Rica Course Equivalencies for Fall 2018 & Spring 2019

Note: You will take a placement exam when you arrive in San Ramón. In general, Spanish language courses are offered in the fall and spring. If the course is only offered in one semester, the semester is noted in the “Term” column. You can check the USAC website for course descriptions: <https://usac.edu/study-abroad-programs/costa-rica/san-ramon/courses>. To see pre-requisites for any course, check USAC’s website.

Due to the U.S. State Department’s Travel Advisory to Cuba and [UWEC’s Travel Warning Procedures](#), UWEC students **WILL NOT be allowed to enroll in the Cuba Field Study course.

SPANISH LANGUAGE STUDIES			
USAC Title for San Ramón	Credits	UWEC Equivalent	Term
<i>Language Track I</i>			
Elementary Spanish I	4	SPAN 101	Fall/Spring
Elementary Spanish II	4	SPAN 102	Fall/Spring
<i>Language Track II</i>			
Intermediate Spanish I	3	SPAN 201	Fall/Spring
Intermediate Spanish II	3	SPAN 202	Fall/Spring
<i>Language Track III</i>			
Spanish Composition I	3	SPAN 301	Fall/Spring
Spanish Composition II	3	SPAN 302	Fall/Spring
<i>Language Track IV</i>			
Advanced Spanish I	3	SPAN 405	Fall/Spring
Advanced Spanish II	3	SPAN 410	Fall/Spring
SPANISH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE ELECTIVES			
Spanish Conversation & Oral Skills	3	SPAN 405	Fall/Spring
Spanish for Medical Professionals	3	SPAN 420	Fall/Spring
Survey of Latin American Literature I	3	SPAN 367	Fall
Survey of Latin American Literature II	3	SPAN 367	Spring
CULTURAL STUDIES			
Dances of Latin America	1	DNCE: 981 lower division elective GE4.LE – S3. Taught in Spanish but appropriate for all.	Fall/Spring
Government & Politics in Latin America	3	POLS 319: Politics of Latin America. Taught in English.	Fall/Spring

Latin America & its Cultures (200 level, taught in English)	3	GEOG 321: Geography of Latin America. Taught in English.	Fall/Spring
Latin America & its Cultures (300 level, taught in Spanish)	3	SPAN 354. Taught in Spanish.	Fall/Spring
Latin American Cuisine (this course has an additional fee for materials)	1	ELEC 907 lower division elective. Taught in English.	Fall/Spring
LIFE & HEALTH SCIENCES STUDIES			
Global Health	3	HCAD 907 upper division elective. Taught in English.	Fall/Spring
Women's Health: Global Health & Human Rights	3	ENPH 907 upper division elective. Taught in English.	Fall/Spring
Environmental Policy	3	GEOG 377: U.S. Environmental & Sustainability Policy. Taught in English.	Fall
Natural History of Mesoamerica	3	GEOG 980 lower division elective GE2.LE-K1. Taught in English.	Fall
Natural History of Mesoamerica Field Study	1	GEOG 980 Lower Division elective GE2. LE-K1 Lab Science.	Fall
Plant Taxonomy	3	BIOL 325: Plant Systematics. Taught in English.	Fall
Plant Taxonomy Field Study	1	BIOL Upper Division Elective GE2. LE-K1 Lab Science.	Fall
Society and Environment	3	SOC 301: Environmental Sociology. Taught in English.	Fall
Sustainable Development: Women and the Environment	3	WMNS 907 upper division elective. Taught in English.	Fall
Tropical Ecology	3	BIOL 907 upper division elective. GE 2. LE-K1. Taught in English.	Fall
Tropical Ecology Field Study	1	BIOL 980 Upper Division Elective. GE2. LE-K1 Lab Science	Fall
Biological Diversity	3	BIOL 907 upper division elective. Taught in English.	Spring
Biological Diversity Field Study	1	BIOL 980 Lower Division Elective GE2. LE-K1 Lab Science.	Spring
Ecology & Population Biology	3	BIOL 330: Population & Community Ecology. Taught in English.	Spring
Ecology & Population Biology Field Study	1	BIOL 980 Upper Division Elective. GE2. LE-K1 Lab Science.	Spring
Global Issues in Environmental Sciences	3	GEOG 378: International Environmental Problems and Policy. Taught in English.	Spring
Tropical Conservation Biology	3	BIOL 907 upper division elective. Taught in English.	Spring
Tropical Marine Biology	3	BIOL 907 upper division elective. Taught in English.	Spring
Tropical Marine Biology Field Study	1	BIOL 907 Upper Division elective.	Spring