

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

Note: You will take a placement exam when you arrive in Heredia. 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/heredia/courses>. To view any pre-requisites, please see USAC's website. The UWEC transfer wizard always takes precedent if there is a discrepancy in the equivalency.

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 & LITERATURE STUDIES			
If you have taken the first course in the language track, you do not have to take it for credit but you will have to audit it.			
USAC Title for Heredia	Credits	UWEC Equivalent	Term
Language Track I			
Elementary Spanish I	4	SPAN 101	Fall/Spring
Elementary Spanish II	4	SPAN 102	Fall/Spring
Intermediate Spanish I	3	SPAN 201	Fall/Spring
Intermediate Spanish II	3	SPAN 202	Fall/Spring
Language Track II			
Intermediate Spanish I	3	SPAN 201	Fall/Spring
Intermediate Spanish II	3	SPAN 202	Fall/Spring
Spanish Composition I	3	SPAN 301	Fall/Spring
Spanish Composition II	3	SPAN 302	Fall/Spring
Language Track III			
Spanish Composition I	3	SPAN 301	Fall/Spring
Spanish Composition II	3	SPAN 302	Fall/Spring
Advanced Spanish I	3	SPAN 405	Fall/Spring
Language Track IV			
Advanced Spanish I	3	SPAN 405	Fall/Spring
Advanced Spanish II	3	SPAN 410	Fall/Spring
SPANISH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE ELECTIVES			
Advanced Spanish Writing & Stylistics	3	SPAN 907U upper division elective	Fall/Spring
Spanish Conversation & Oral Skills	3	SPAN 405 Advanced Conversation	Fall/Spring
Medical Spanish	3	SPAN 420 Spanish for Health Professions	Fall

Survey of Latin American Literature I	3	SPAN 367 Survey of Latin American Literature	Fall
20th Century & Contemporary Latin American Theatre	3	SPAN 475 Topics in Latin American Literature	Fall
Business Spanish	3	SPAN 340 Spanish for Business	Spring
Survey of Latin American Literature II	3	SPAN 367 Survey of Latin American Literature	Spring
20th Century & Contemporary Latin American Cinema	3	SPAN 475 Topics in Latin American Literature	Spring
20th Century & Contemporary Latin American Novel	3	SPAN 477 The Novel in Latin America II: 1950 - Present	Spring
20th Century & Contemporary Latin American Poetry	3	SPAN 475 Topics in Latin American Literature	Spring
LATIN AMERICA & ECOLOGICAL STUDIES			
Dances of Latin America	1	DNCE: 981L lower division elective GE4.LE – S3. Taught in Spanish but appropriate for all.	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 America & its Cultures Field Study	1	ANTH 984 lower division elective. GE 3, Foreign Culture. LE – K3, R2. Taught in English or Spanish depending on level.	Fall/Spring
Latin American Cuisine (This course has an additional fee for materials)	1	ELEC 907 lower division elective. Taught in English & Spanish but appropriate for all.	Fall/Spring
Water in Tropical Landscapes	3	GEOL 308: Water Resources. Taught in English.	Fall/Spring
Water in Tropical Landscapes Field Study	1	GEOL 343: Geological Field Excursion. Taught in English.	Fall/Spring
Government & Politics in Latin America	3	POLS 319: Politics of Latin America. Taught in English.	Fall
Introduction to Tropical Ecology	3	BIOL 980 lower division elective GE2.LE – K1. Taught in English.	Fall
Introduction to Tropical Ecology Field Study	1	BIOL 980 Lower Division Elective. GE 2. LE-K1 Lab science. Taught in English	Fall
Plants and People	3	BIOL 195: Plants & Society. Taught in English.	Fall
Plants and People Field Study	1	BIOL 980 Lower Division Elective GE 2. LE-K1 Lab science. Taught in English.	Fall
Survey of Art I: Pre-Columbian Art & Cultures	3	ARTH 335: Ancient Art & Architecture of Mexico and Central America. Taught in Spanish.	Fall
Food & Travel Writing	3	CJ 980 Upper Division Elective. LE-S3. Taught in English.	Spring

International Political Economy: North-South Relations	3	ECON 356: Economic Development of Latin America. Taught in Spanish.	Spring
Introduction to Conservation Biology	3	BIOL 180: Environmental Biology & Conservation. Taught in English.	Spring
Introduction to Conservation Biology Field Study	1	BIOL 980 Lower Division Elective GE2. LE-K1 Lab Science. Taught in English	Spring
Introduction to Tropical Plant Biodiversity	3	BIOL 980 lower division elective GE2.LE – K1. Taught in English.	Spring
Introduction to Tropical Plant Biodiversity Field Study	1	BIOL 980 Lower Division Elective GE 2. LE-K1 Lab Science. Taught in English.	Spring
Phonies, Fakes, Liars & Conmen: Reading in Fact and Fiction	3	ENGL 372 Topics in Popular Culture. Taught in English.	Spring
Survey of Art II: Colonial Period to the Present	3	ARTH 980L lower division elective GE4.LE – K4. Taught in Spanish.	Spring

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