**JANUARY & FEBRUARY PROGRAMS**

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| Name of Institution | PONTIFICIA UNIVERSIDAD CATOLICA DE VALPARAISO |
| Type of institution | UNIVERSITY |
| Location | VALPARAISO, CHILE |
| Name of the course/program | JANUARY PROGRAM/ FEBRUARY PROGRAM |
| Objective of the program | The purpose of these programs is to develop the intercultural communicative competence of the students under a total immersion/interaction context providing different locations of learning: the city, the family, the university where international students can develop their linguistic and cultural competences and skills. |
| Study and live in Spanish in Valparaíso, Chile | At PUCV, for more than 20 years we have provided and supported international students with different academic and experiential scenarios for them to develop their competences and skills in order to have a second language and interact in our culture. In this sense, we take a real advantage of the total immersion context where students study, live, and travel, intending, differentiating, and assessing international and intercultural learning outcomes during her or his staying in PUCV, Valparaíso, Chile. |
| Content (courses list) | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **CODE** | **COURSE NAME** | **CREDITS** | **CONTACT HOURS** | | PIIE 1145 | Gramática, nivel principiante | 3 | 45 | | PIIE 1245 | Conversación y cultura chilena, nivel principiante | 3 | 45 | | PIIE 2145 | Gramática, nivel intermedio | 3 | 45 | | PIIE 2245 | Conversación y cultura chilena, nivel intermedio | 3 | 45 | | PIIE 3145 | Gramática, nivel avanzado | 3 | 45 | | PIIE 3245 | Conversación y cultura chilena, nivel avanzado | 3 | 45 | | PIIE 4245 | Literatura hispanoamericana contemporánea | 3 | 45 | | PIIE 5345 | Cine y literatura latinoamericanos | 3 | 45 | | PIIE 5545 | Historia sociopolítica de américa latina, siglos XX – XXI | 3 | 45 |   *In every program students enroll 2 courses.*  *Program total contact hours: 90. Program total PUCV credits: 6* |
| Courses start and end dates (2018) | JANUARY   |  |  | | --- | --- | | Application deadline: | December 7th, 2018 | | Official arrival date: | January 2nd, 2019 | | Program starts: | January 3rd, 2019 | | Classes: | January 4- January 25th, 2019 | | Official departure date: | January 26th, 2019 |   FEBRUARY   |  |  | | --- | --- | | Application deadline: | January 4th, 2019 | | Official arrival date: | January 27th, 2019 | | Program starts: | January 28th, 2019 | | Classes: | January 29th - February 20th, 2019 | | Official departure date: | February 21th, 2019 | |
| Course costs | |  |  | | --- | --- | | JANUARY FEE: | USD 2,300 | | FEBRUARY FEE: | USD 2,300 | |
| Course delivery language | Spanish  These programs offer Spanish courses in different levels: beginner, intermediate and advanced.  Required level of Spanish: none |
| Services included | 1. Airport pick-up and drop-off (during official arrival/ departure dates) 2. Valparaíso City Tour 3. Access to International Programs services: computer room access (Monday to Friday) + assistance in case of emergency (24/ 7) |
| Entry requirements | 1. [PUCV application form](http://www.dri.pucv.cl/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/PUCV_JAN_FEB_APPLICATION.docx) 2. Health insurance 3. Motivation letter 4. Passport copy 5. Transcripts of records |
| Accommodation options and costs | Housing with host Chilean families. This service includes: at least three meals per day; a single room; laundry service; internet wireless.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | JANUARY HOMESTAY FEE: | USD 1,100 | | FEBRUARY HOMESTAY FEE: | USD 1,080 | |
| Website | <http://www.dri.pucv.cl/?p=2711> |
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