Puerto Rico FLP

A Taste of Paradise!
Summer 2017

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The Courses

NUFS 144 – 3 units (GE-SJSU Studies-Area V)
Food and Culture: Consuming Passions

NuFS 139 – 3 units (GE-SJSU Studies-Area R)
Hunger and Environmental Nutrition

This program allows you to complete a total of 6 units during this Faculty Led Program
The Dates in Summer 2017

On campus classes June 21, 23, 26, 28, 30 (10am-2pm)

Off campus in Puerto Rico July 3-19

After returning, take some time to write research papers-2 major research papers due after we get back. (Dates TBD)
The Experience

Hiking & waterfalls in El Yunque National Rainforest
Cultural visits to San Felipe del Morro and other important historical buildings in Old San Juan and Ponce
Visit Bioluminescent Bay
Puerto Rican Cooking Class
Visit open air organic markets

*represents a sampling of activities
The Experience

Cultural Painting class
Visit to Dairy Farm
Artisinal Cheese making tour/class
Arecibo National Observatory
Visit old sugar plantation
Tour an organic coffee plantation
Salsa Dancing lesson!

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The Experience

• Community service at the Boys & Girls Club and Tree Nursery
• Eat Puerto Rican street foods on the beach
• Museo de Arte
• Visits to Buddhist temple and Jewish community center
• Class on the beach!
Costs

• Program Cost - $3795
  (Includes tuition, admin fee, accommodations, one meal a day, and all activities)

  - Airfare not included - last year students paid an average of $450 for airfare and brought anywhere between $350-500 to spend on food, and souvenir shopping
  - Several students received $500 scholarships through CASA
  - You are allowed to use Financial Aid monies to help pay for this experience
Thank you for your interest!

Next Steps:

• Fill out application on SJSU FLP web page

• Selected applicants will be asked to come back for a one-on-one interview

• Decisions likely by the end of November!

• I will accept between 12-13 students for the Puerto Rico FLP
Thank You!

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