

Quito-IES

Area Studies & Language Program

Select courses as follows (15-19 credits):

1. Required Spanish language course (level pending placement exam): 4 credits
2. Required IES area studies course (minimum of one course): 3 credits+
3. Additional area studies courses at IES and/or outside university (up to 3 courses in total)
 - a. Optional service learning seminar and placement (4 credits) instead of one outside university course

Important Notes:

- Courses below may not be offered each term. These courses have been offered in the past and the equivalencies shown indicate how courses have transferred back to IU. Please check the [Quito-IES program website](#) for the most up-to-date course offerings (IES does not list IU equivalencies).
- Students should inquire with ksabroad@indiana.edu about business credit.
- Undistributed 100-level (-OS 100) courses have not yet been evaluated by an IUB department. Courses with a DEPT-OS 100 equivalent will be applied towards overall credits to graduate. However, students may submit the course materials to that department to be evaluated for specific credit either before or after studying abroad.
- If a course is listed as OS200/300/400, the course has been evaluated by the academic department. Be in touch with the academic department to determine how course may fulfill degree requirements.
- Some courses may carry pre-requisites; be sure to check the program's site to determine eligibility.
- Students are not permitted to take cooking, art, sports, or other "Activities" type courses without written permission from OVST. Student may not use these courses to satisfy minimum enrollment in 15 credits.
- ***Additional Information and resources for outside university:***
Universidad San Francisco de Quito (USFQ): Enrollment eligibility determined after on-site placement exam. [Course offerings](#) are also available online.

Symbol Key:

1. #: GEN ED A&H credit
2. %: GEN ED S&H credit
3. ~: GEN ED N&M credit
4. *: Course has already been evaluated by a department and does not carry more than OS-100.
5. + IU Title: Special Topics in Foreign Study (upper-level elective credit in COLL)

6. ^ SPEA Topics courses; must obtain advisor approval whether course will apply to specific SPEA major. [Check SPEA Approval List](#) for currently approved courses. Students can earn up to two SPEA courses on an OVST study abroad program.
7. ! Must confirm with Biology department how course may fulfill degree requirements.
8. † Some courses have different equivalencies depending on what the student has previously taken. If the student has taken the first equivalency, then, and only then, will they receive the second equivalency.

IES Course Title	IU Equivalent
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1. Required Spanish Language Course (based on placement exam)

Spanish Language in Context: Independent Abroad	HISP-S 317
Spanish Language in Context: Emerging Competent Abroad	HISP-S 308

2. Required IES Courses – One (1) required course, choose up to 3 additional pending placement exam

Environmental Diversity of Ecuador		BIOL-L 433 OR SPEA-V 450^
Cultural Diversity of Ecuador (fall only)	(CASE A&H)	HISP-S 412 OR ANTH-E 300
Politics & Society in Latin America		SOC-OS 100 OR HISP-OS 300
Political Economy: Ecuador and Globalization	(CASE S&H)	POLS-Y 346
Andean Popular Arts		ARTH-OS 100 OR HISP-OS 400
Indigenous Literature	(CASE A&H)	HISP-OS 300 OR HISP-S 334 OR (CASE A&H) HISP-S 412

3. Elective University Course and/or Service Learning – Select two to three courses

- **Service Learning offered through IES (requires pre-registration after acceptance)**

Service Learning Seminar (4 credits)*	FRST-F 400+
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**Internship Incentive Grant recipients are required to enroll in and complete this course*

- **Direct Enrollment courses at USFQ (enrollment onsite after placement test)**

The following courses are examples of direct enrollment courses taken by IU students in prior semesters. You are not limited to just these classes. Further details on enrolling in classes at the local university will be presented to you during onsite registration.

The Latin American Boom	(CASE A&H)	HISP-S 420
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Students have access to nearly all course offerings including:

Architecture

Arts

Business Administration (*Not for KSB credit*)

Communications

Education

Health Science

Hospitality

Humanities & Economics

Languages

Management

Mathematics (*Majors only*)

Sciences (*Majors only*)

Social Sciences

Spanish Language