

Tentative Itinerary

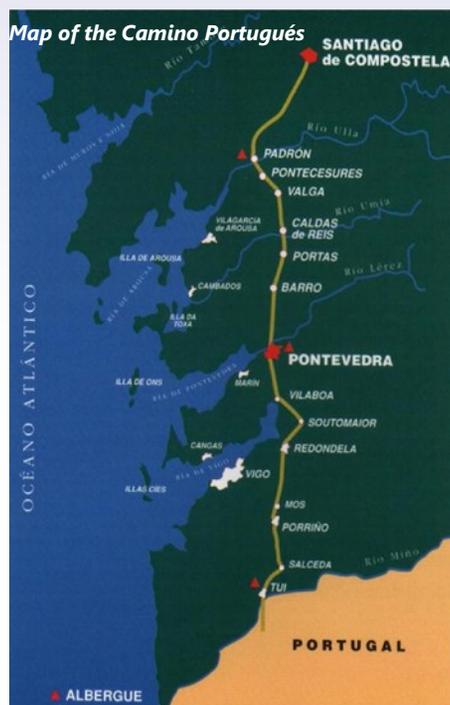
January 5-9 class on campus

January 11-12 travel to Madrid, and then on to Vigo and Tuy

January 14-20 hiking the Camino Portugués (the Portuguese Way) from Tuy to Santiago

January 21-28 class and final project preparation in Santiago de Compostela

January 29 or 30 return flight to Richmond



Important Note:

Students must make the deadlines for deposits and full payment as instructed below. **October 1st** is the last day to ADD or DROP J-term study/travel courses. For the College's cancellation and refund policy for study/travel courses, visit the J-term section on the OIE website (www.rmc.edu/studyabroad).

Date	Amount Due
At time of registration	\$100 non-refundable deposit Students must take their check and signed add-form to the Registrar's Office to be added to the course. The \$100 is applied to the 50% deposit due by Aug. 1st - transferrable if student changes to another study/travel course before Oct. 1st*
Prior to Aug. 1	50% deposit payable by check, due to Business Office. Non-refundable after October 1st**
Aug. 1 - Sept. 30	\$100 deposit at time of registration plus 50% of program fee due immediately, if student is adding a J-term study/travel course during this period
By Oct. 1	100% of fee Students' J-term study/travel program fee due in full. Students who have not paid in full by October 1st will be withdrawn from the J-term study/travel course. Course Instructor will determine amount of refund available to withdrawn students**

** unless an earlier deadline was established by the instructor.*

J-term Need-based Travel Scholarship

Deadline for Returning Students - May 9, 2014

Deadline for New Students - September 19, 2014

To be considered, you must be pre-registered for a J-term 2015 study/travel course and have completed a 2014-2015

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Award notifications will be sent out to students'

R-MC email addresses. Complete details are listed on the application, available at www.rmc.edu/FAForms.

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Randolph-Macon College

Ashland, Virginia

J-TERM STUDY / TRAVEL COURSE 2015

SPAN/FLET 381

The Camino de Santiago and the Culture and Literature of Galicia

The Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela



Trail marker

TRAVEL DATES:
January 12-29, 2015

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J TERM 2015: WALKING THE CAMINO

SPAN 381 (4 credit) & FLET 381 (3 credit)

Course Description:

The Camino de Santiago, also known as “the Way,” is a name that designates any one of many pilgrim routes to the city of Santiago de Compostela in Northwestern Spain. Santiago is now the capital of the Spanish region of Galicia and is still, as it has been since the Middle Ages, the goal of millions of pilgrims who journey to visit the tomb of Santiago, or St. James, the apostle of Jesus, whose remains are in the crypt of the Cathedral of Santiago. We will spend one week on campus learning about the history of this famous pilgrim shrine and the legions of travelers who sojourn there as well as



1568 engraving of pilgrims

about the region of Galicia, its literature, culture and the significance of the Camino on the region. Then, we will travel to Spain and begin our hike from



A portion of the Camino Portugués

the city of Tuy on the border of Spain and Portugal to Santiago, one of the most beautiful cities on the Iberian Peninsula, staying in pilgrim shelters along the way. We will learn of the region’s literature by reading short and captivating selections from famous authors of the region. After reaching Santiago, we will visit the Cathedral, museums of the pilgrim route and we will savor the culture, cafés and the fine cuisine of one of the most beautiful and interesting regions of Spain. In the afternoons, students will have the opportunity to explore both the modern and historical sections of this bustling university city.

Location:

Tuy, Spain; the Camino Portugués and Santiago de Compostela. We will fly into Madrid, but will not spend time there.

Prerequisites:

None for FLET 381;
SPAN 241 for SPAN 381.

Both courses get CAR experiential and AOK literature credit.



Pilgrim accessories

Faculty:

Professor Mark Malin has a long-standing relationship with Spain, and in particular with Santiago de Compostela since he lived there for a year with his wife as a graduate student. He has led courses to



Spain in Jterm on four different occasions, and has traveled to Spain for pleasure and research numerous times. His specialty in Spain is 18th- and 19th- century Spanish literature as well the history and culture of Spain and Galicia. He has published and presented extensively in his research areas.

Costs:

Estimated costs are between \$3500 and \$4200. The costs will include round trip airfare, all travel and lodging in Spain, museum admissions and two meals a day. Students will be responsible for one meal and for incidental expenses.



Spain map with multiple routes of the Camino

Albergue de peregrinos (Pilgrim's shelter)

