

UVA in Argentina

Global Technology Consulting

Comm 4293 (3 cr) & SYS 3054 (3 cr)
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UVA IN ARGENTINA

- An international consulting project on your CV
- A good differentiating story to tell recruiters: real clients, real projects
- Winemaking is a global business
- Spanish useful, not necessary
- Counts towards

 (1) the IT concentration, (2) the Global Commerce
 Track, (3) McIntire electives.



AN INTERNATIONAL CONSULTING PROJECT IN YOUR CV



 Understanding customers via social media





WORKING WITH REAL-WORLD CLIENTS:



Gathering customer information for marketing





McINTIRE SCHOO of COMMERCE



Collaborative: Comm + SEAS







Culture is real























Just Google: "Grazioli Argentina"

Comm 4293: IT Practicum in Argentina

By taking this class you will practice international IT consulting. Working with your team and with the help of faculty and translators, you will propose solutions to real-world challenges experienced by winemaking companies in Mendoza, Argentina. Winemaking is a global business that fuels worldwide exports. You and your team will analyze problems, identify solutions, and present recommendations to real clients.











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Syllabus and Box

Students' blog

Estimated costs tuition + fees + housing: ~ \$5,500

Some meals, personal expenses and airfare excluded. Out of state: add \$300

SAMPLE PROJECT



Business intelligence





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Line
 productivity
 measurement

A CLIENT: RENACER



Integrated business system



A CLIENT: SIN FIN



 Understanding customers via social media





TYPICAL WORKDAY









8:30 1:00 @ Client Site 1:00 5:00

Siesta

5:00 8:00

Work Session 8:00-?

Dinner, Social

EXAMPLE ITINERARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
12/24	12/25	12/26	12/27	12/28	12/29	12/30
			A Samuel	Students Arrive	Client Day	Cerro Arco
12/31	1/1	1/2	1/3	1/4	1/5	1/6
Open	Open am. Work in afternoon	Client Day	Client Day	Client Day Draft Reports Due	Client Day	Cacheuta / Zuccardi
1/7	1/8	1/9	1/10	1/11	1/12	1/13
Zuccardi / Cacheuta	Client Day	Client Day	Client Day	Workday at El Portal Reports Due	Final Presentations	Depart Mendoza
1/14	1/15	1/16	1/17			
			UVA Courses Start			







LIFE IN ARGENTINA









































ENROLLING

- Go to the UVa ISO website and complete the Education Abroad Workshop
- The ISO site has info on deadlines and costs

