



TESOL Practicum in Iquique, Chile

Program Description

Students will gain experience as English as Foreign Language (EFL) teachers while immersing themselves in Chilean culture. In addition to attending English Language Teaching classes at Universidad Arturo Prat, students will observe EFL courses at a variety of age and proficiency levels, intern as EFL teachers for two weeks, and lead student workshops. Weekend excursions are also included. Spanish speaking ability is NOT required.

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Highlights

- Opportunities to observe and intern in multiple contexts: elementary through college-age students at private, semi-private, and public institutions. Multiple proficiency levels are also represented.
- Day long excursions to locations like:
 - Humberstone, Santa Laura, Pica, Matilla, La Huayca, and La Tirana
 - Llamara Salt Lake, Tamentica, Huatacondo, and Dinosaur Tracks
 - Isluga National Park, geysers, and coastal tours

Requirements

Undergraduate and graduate students interested in completing a TESOL certificate or adding an ESL supplemental endorsement. Students must be at least sophomore level and have at least a 2.5 GPA.

Courses

EN 4493/6493: TESOL Practicum (3 credit hours)

Application and Deposit Deadline

March 27, 2015: \$150 (non-refundable)

Program Dates : June 3, 2015—July 1, 2015

Price : \$3,350

April 10, 2015 - Payment #1: \$1,600

April 24, 2015 - Payment #2: \$1,600

*All program fees are charged to MSU student accounts. Once each payment deadline has passed and the student's account has been charged, the fee is non-refundable.

Program cost includes:

- International health insurance
- Round trip airfare from Memphis
- Host family lodging
- Most meals (breakfasts and dinners)
- Transportation from/to airport in Chile
- Guided city/area tour
- Two to three Saturday excursions

Cost does not include:

- MSU tuition and fees
- Most lunches
- In town travel
- Fees for student passports and visas

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