

## COURSES ON THE CAMINO

# # THE CAMINO DE SANTIAGO: *training and experience*

**DURATION:** 2 WEEKS - 1 WEEK OF LESSONS AT THE USC + 1 WEEK WALKING THE CAMINO

<b>DATES:</b>	OPTION A		OPTION B	
	Includes walking a stretch of the Camino del Norte	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">24 MAY</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">4 JUN</div> </div>	It includes walking a stretch of the Camino del Sudeste - Vía de la Plata	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">27 SEP</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">8 OCT</div> </div>
		START DATE    END DATE		START DATE    END DATE

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** 15 days before programme start date

**SCHEDULE:** MORNING SESSIONS: Monday to Friday, from 9.15am to 2pm. 1 hour of Spanish language + 3 hours of seminars about the Camino. AFTERNOON SESSIONS: cultural activities

**LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS:** B1 As per the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR)

**COURSE MATERIAL:** Textbook + Teaching material developed by the school

**THE COURSE INCLUDES:** Official Certificate + Accommodation + Meals + Walking a stretch of the Camino + Support coach + Cultural activities + Course material

### PLUS...

Health insurance, tutoring sessions, student assistance staff, access to university libraries and sports facilities, WI-FI, accommodation and transfer management

### ABOUT THE COURSE

This experiential programme is a multidisciplinary approach to the Camino de Santiago through the study of the language, the history, the art, the culture, the gastronomy and the social and economic reality of the Camino.

During the first week you will attend university classes taught by specialists, getting immersed in the traditions and contemporary reality of the Camino.

During the second week, you will have the chance to walk a stretch of the Camino with a teacher of the USC. This journey is divided into 6 stages of 20 km each, average, and it will go through several places of historical and artistic relevance that will serve as a context for the classes on the way.



### MAY COURSE (OPTION A)

SPANISH LANGUAGE

CLASSES ON THE CAMINO

- The history of the pilgrimage to Santiago and the devotion for Saint James
- Saint James in the art
- Pilgrims' journals and writings on pilgrimage
- Physical and human landscape on the Camino
- The Camino at present. Social and economic reality

ACTIVITIES

- Guided tour to the Cathedral and its rooftops
- Saint James in the city, guided tour: The city of pilgrims
- Guided tour to the Museum of pilgrimage
- Coffee-house discussion at the Old Town
- Visiting the historical and artistic heritage of the University of Santiago

### WALKING THE CAMINO

- 6 days through the Camino del Norte, walking 20 km per day and taking part in the en-route practical lessons taught by different USC teachers
- Support coach

### SEPTEMBER COURSE (OPTION B)

SPANISH LANGUAGE

CLASSES ON THE CAMINO

- Women and pilgrimage
- Hospitality on the Camino
- The iconography of Saint James
- Pilgrimage and monarchy
- Music on the Camino
- Cinema. The city and the pilgrimage
- Manor houses and trails on the Camino

ACTIVITIES

- Within the city walls: San Martín Pinario, San Francisco de Santiago, San Paio's Church
- Museums: the Holy Land Museum, the Sacred Art Museum
- Outside the city walls: The City of Culture and Santa María de Sar

### WALKING THE CAMINO

- 6 days through the Vía de la Plata, walking 20 km per day and attending en-route practical classes taught by USC teachers
- Support coach

### ACCOMMODATION

In Santiago: student residence/hostel, breakfast and dinner included.

Accommodation on the Camino: Guest houses/ hostels, breakfast, lunch and dinner included.

### FEES

Pre-enrol	€350
2 weeks	€1,450

**Accommodation and meals included**

