

# Hostos Learn about the language, history, education and culture of the Dominican Republic. Study Abroad 2014

## Summer Professional Development in the Dominican Republic

Hostos Community College and Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo present a summer professional development program in the Dominican Republic for educators and post graduate and undergraduate education students. Learn about the language, history, education and culture of the Dominican Republic. The classes will have a special focus on the educational systems of both countries.

Study at Hostos Community College and in the Caribbean at Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo in the Dominican Republic and Instituto de Educación Superior Salome Ureña de Henriquez. Visit the National Palace of the Dominican Republic, as well as field trips and guided tours to historical sites in different cities. Also visit public schools in the Dominican Republic. Additional sites may be added.

Program participants will receive professional development hours credited towards their NYS license certification and a certificate of completion of the program from Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo and from Hostos Community College of The City University of New York.

#### Program Requirements:

- NYS Certified teacher or other education professional, post graduate and undergraduate student in education
- Teaching/having taught students of Dominican nationality or ancestry (or other Latino students)
- Willingness to work on group projects both in the Dominican Republic and upon return
- Letter of recommendation from school principal (for education professionals) or from professor or supervisor for post-graduate students
- CUNY guidelines travel clearance: (Medical forms/insurance/notarized liability forms etc.)
- One page essay describing the reasons why you want to participate in the program and your goals and expectations.
- Knowledge of Spanish is helpful, but not required.

### 2014 Study Abroad Professional Development

#### **Program Collaborators**

Division of Institutional Advancement, Office of the Associate Dean for Community Relations

Division of Continuing Education & Workforce Development

The Ministry of Education of the Dominican Republic

The Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo

Instituto Superior de Formación Docente Salome Ureña de Henriquez

**CUNY Dominican Studies Institute** 

The Association of Dominican Americans Supervisors and Administrators (ADASA)

Office of New York City Council Member Ydanis Rodriguez

#### Orientation and Pre-Workshops

Hostos Community College June 16th – 27th, 2014

#### Classes and Workshops

Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo,
The Ministry of Education of the
Dominican Republic and Instituto de Educación
Superior Salome Ureña de Henriquez
June 29th – July 8th, 2014

Total program cost is \$2,500

(subsidies available for NYS DOE professionals)

#### Cost includes

- Classes at Hostos Community College, Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo, and Instituto de Educación Superior Salome Ureña de Henrique
- Hotel
- Roundtrip airfare
- Transportation to/from airports
- Ground transportation
- Admission to museums and art galleries
- Course materials
- Visit to the National Palace & Public Schools
- Guided tours
- Trips to historical sites and cities
- Other amenities

For application/additional information, please contact Yocelyn Tarazona-Cubilette, Assistant to Ana Garcia Reyes, Associate Dean for Community Relations, at 718-518-4334 or ltarazona@hostos.cuny.edu or Associate Dean Ana Garcia Reyes at agreyes@hostos.cuny.edu



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