

NEW INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM IN CHILE

GENDER AND MARGINALITY: THE CHALLENGES OF THE CHILEAN SOCIETY

UNIVERSIDAD DE VIÑA DEL MAR

JULY 27 – AUGUST 13, 2011

Topics covered:

- **WOMEN IN EDUCATION**
- **WOMEN IN THE PRIVATE AND THE PUBLIC SPACE**
- **CHILEAN ARPILLERAS AND FUNDACIÓN SOLIDARIDAD**
- **MAPUCHE RIGHTS and WORLD VIEW**

Instruction is in English; students will receive 3 credits (WMS, PLS, HST, SPN credit by advisement).

The course will include a combination of in-class lectures followed by educational field excursions, with excursions structured to enhance coursework and assigned readings. Classroom based instruction will include directed discussions of lectures, readings, films, and integration of experiential visits.

Viña del Mar, known as “The Garden City,” was founded in 1874 and is considered the capital of Chilean tourism. It is part of the Valparaiso Region, and it is located 75 miles east of the Capital City of Santiago. Its sister-city Valparaiso, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, is the main seaport and seat of the Chilean Parliament. Average temperature (July - August) is 60 degrees (high) 45 degrees (low).

INCLUDED IN THE PROGRAM:

- Airport pick-up and transportation to Viña del Mar
- City tour around Valparaiso, boat trip by the Valparaiso bay, day trip to the village of Isla Negra (home of poet Pablo Neruda) and the town of Pomaire (famous for its pottery); 2 visits to Santiago (including a tour of the city, and visits to Villa Grimaldi Memorial; Fundación Solidaridad; Museo de la Educación Gabriela Mistral and Women Studies Center -Centro de Estudios de la Mujer), visit to Hospital Juana Ross de Edwards in Peñablanca, including a visit to a Ruca Mapuche (native's house) and the Women's Rehabilitation Center, and a visit to a vineyard in the Casablanca Valley.
- Housing with Chilean families and 3 meals per day.

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