

# SPICE JUNE 19<sup>TH</sup> TO AUGUST 9<sup>TH</sup> 2020



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## General Information

**SPICE** is an international communication studies summer program for undergraduate students that takes place at the University of Erfurt in Germany. The program is run by the University of Texas at Austin/USA, University of Oklahoma/USA, West Virginia University/USA and the University of Erfurt/Germany as official partners. The Universities of Toronto/Canada, University of Ottawa/Canada, University of Southern California/USA and Washington State University/USA joined the program as guest universities during the past years.

Students will participate in two communication studies courses taught by faculty from the American partner universities at the University of Erfurt. Erfurt communication studies students will join American students in class to make it a truly international experience. A three to four days trip to Berlin including visits to different museums and important sites is part of the course program.

### ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Every student will participate in two (out of four) intensive courses:

- *Course I (June 19<sup>th</sup> to July 12<sup>th</sup>):*  
*Dr. S. Stroud - Communication Ethics*
- *Course II (June 19<sup>th</sup> to July 12<sup>th</sup>):*  
*Dr. D. Totzkay - Health Communication Campaigns*
- *Course III (July 17<sup>th</sup> to August 9<sup>th</sup>):*  
*Dr. D. Westerman - Computer-Mediated Communication*
- *Course IV (July 17<sup>th</sup> to August 9<sup>th</sup>):*  
*Dr. K. Tsetsura - Global and International Public Relations*

### COURSE LANGUAGE

All courses are taught in English. After successful completion of the courses, students will be provided with an official transcript. Please make sure the courses fit your study plan.

### ACCOMMODATION

Students will be hosted in single rooms in the University's dorms on or nearby campus. Rooms are part of apartment units with shared bathroom and kitchen facilities. You will share the apartment with German or international

students. Participants will be responsible for all meals.

### COSTS

Program costs for SPICE 2020 sum up to a total of US \$3,800. This price includes both courses, course material as well as accommodation and the Berlin trip. NOT included are the flight, insurance, personal expenses, food and the additional excursions offered. Additional administration fees at your home university might apply.

### ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must meet the requirements for study abroad programs at their home university. Please check with your study abroad office for further information.

### APPLICATION DEADLINE

The application process is handled by your home university. Please contact your study abroad office and meet your university's study abroad application deadline.

### FURTHER INFORMATION

<http://www.uni-erfurt.de/spice>