

FAQ ABOUT STUDENT TRAVEL TO SALAMANCA FOR 2018 UCONN NEUROSCIENCE IN SALAMANCA SPAIN

BUY TICKET

1. Purchase a ticket to Madrid Spain (MAD). (There is a small airport in Salamanca with a few flights but tickets will be more expensive.)
2. Websites like Kayak.com or cheaptickets.com are good choices since they search many other websites for prices.
3. Buy sooner rather than later. Be flexible about times and dates to get the best prices.
4. You may arrive in Spain before the program begins and stay after it ends. It is up to you.
5. On Saturday, May 19, 2018, we will have a bus to take students directly from the airport to the dorms in Salamanca. We would like you to use this bus if at all possible. This will be a charter bus, not the public Avanza express bus, and you will not need to buy a ticket. This bus will leave the airport at approximately 3 pm. If you wish to take this bus, you should plan to arrive before 1 pm to allow time for luggage, customs passport control, and the long walk out of the international terminal (normally around 45 min.)
6. There are four terminals. Terminals 1 and 4 are the international terminals and are connected by a free bus. Terminal 4 is the newest international terminal and 2 miles away from Terminals 1, 2 and 3. Depending on what terminal you arrive at, you may have to take the shuttle bus to the other terminal.
7. If you come late on Saturday or on Sunday, you can travel to Salamanca on Sunday. Students who arrive later on Saturday must make their own arrangements for a hotel or hostel on Saturday night.
8. Please fill out the post-acceptance survey for our program on the UConn Study Abroad website in order to give us your travel info. Dr. Oliver will plan the meetup groups at the airport and any additional travel groups to Salamanca.

BEFORE WE GO

1. We will have a predeparture orientation for you in person or online and discuss our travel plans.
2. We will give you specific instructions on how to meet us and the other faculty and students at the Madrid airport.
3. We will send you a detailed list of the other students with their travel information so you can get in touch with them before you go.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BEFORE ORIENTATION

1. See <https://health.uconn.edu/neuroscience-abroad/about-the-program/frequently-asked-questions/>
2. Call or email Dr. Oliver