GONZAGA-IN SPAIN
IGNATIAN PILGRIMAGE

WHEN SHOULD I APPLY?
Deadline to apply is October 1, 2016.

» Early application is encouraged as space is limited.
» Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis up to the application deadline.
» Operation of this program is dependent upon meeting the minimum enrollment.

HOW DO I APPLY?
Apply online at: studyabroad.gonzaga.edu

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Take advantage of the amazing opportunity to spend spring break in Spain while earning three core Religious Studies credits. If you’ve ever wondered about the life and spirituality of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Jesuit order, here is a once-in-a-lifetime chance to walk in his footsteps and experience some of the locations that played such an important role in his spiritual journey. Our own journey will take us to locations such as Barcelona, Loyola, Manresa, Monserrat, and more.

In the course of the week, we will encounter first-hand some of the sites that forever changed Ignatius and invite modern day pilgrims to explore their own spiritual journeys. Each day will include guided tours, prayer and liturgies, group activities, and both individual and group reflection. The schedule also incorporates free time for personal immersion and exploration.

COST & DATES
For program cost and dates, visit studyabroad.gonzaga.edu.

DEPOSIT
Within two weeks of the date of acceptance, students must pay a $500 deposit to confirm their participation in the program. The deposit is applied to the cost of the program.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS
Gonzaga-in-Spain is open to all undergraduates who meet the following admission requirements:

» Minimum 2.75 GPA
» Office of Community Standards & Study Abroad Office clearance
» Committee selection
» Two-page essay which answers why you want to participate, what you hope to get out of the experience, and what you would bring to the group.

PASSPORT
Your passport must be valid for six months after the end of the study abroad program.

PROGRAM SPECIFIC COURSES

IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY
RELI 382 (3 credits)
This course will be centered in a week-long experience of “Pilgrimage, Walking in the Footsteps of St. Ignatius of Loyola in Spain.” This pilgrimage will take place during spring break of next semester. Prior to and after the pilgrimage, this course will meet every other Tuesday evening and will introduce students to the historical background of St. Ignatius and the Jesuit tradition, key concepts of Ignatian spirituality, as well as some related experiences of that tradition, and contemporary appropriations of it.