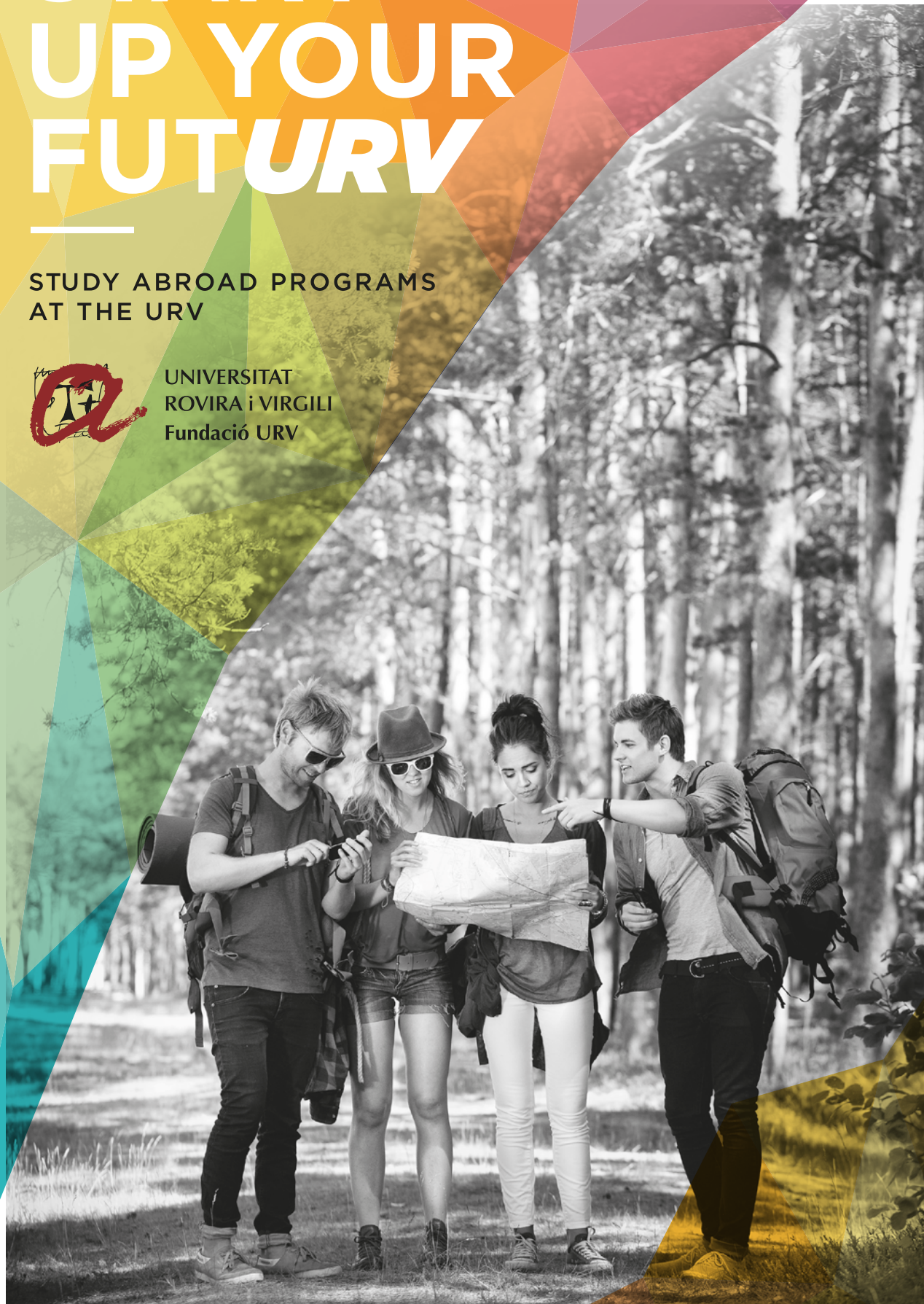


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The URV is the premier university of **Tarragona province** in Spain. The region offers the ideal setting for your Study Abroad program, only an hour away from Barcelona and surrounded by the **sandy beaches** and blue skies of the **Mediterranean**.

JOIN US IN THIS UNFORGETTABLE LEARNING EXPERIENCE



*"Thank you for giving us such a **VALUABLE** opportunity"*

THE UNIVERSITY

THE URV IS THE PUBLIC UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CATALONIA

The URV is comprehensive, multidisciplinary, research-oriented, creative, sustainable, committed to the region and to global citizenship.

URV Key figures:

- **11.500 undergraduate** students
- **2.477 graduate** students: Master's and PhD (**27% international**)
- **12 Schools** and **7 research centers**
- **Position 401-500** in the Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) Shanghai ranking
- **83rd position** in the Times Higher Education 150 under 50 ranking
- International Agreements with more than **500 Higher Education Institutions**

URV'S MISSION IS TO PLACE KNOWLEDGE AT THE SERVICE OF SOCIETY SO AS TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF ITS ENVIRONMENT.

OUR LOCATION

The URV is based in the province of Tarragona, in an **extraordinary location** where nature, culture, sports, leisure and tradition come together to make your stay an unforgettable experience.

Southern Catalonia enjoys a **high quality of life**: medium-sized cities full of personality, a mild Mediterranean climate, sea, beaches, mountains and **exceptional natural parks** such as the Ebre delta or Els Ports mountains, **privileged cultural areas** such as Roman Tarraco (a World Heritage site) or the Catalan Art Nouveau legacy in Reus, a wide range of leisure activities and an important **communications network** (port, airport, motorway and high-speed train).



*“As for the technical & cultural visits, I find that they complemented the program **GREATLY**”*



The capital of this region is **TARRAGONA**, a charming town conveniently located 1 hour drive from Barcelona. It is a dynamic, safe coastal town with a rich leisure and cultural offer.

STUDY ABROAD AT THE URV

Universitat Rovira i Virgili has experience in providing **high quality** Study Abroad programs with universities all over the world.

All our programs include a **certified academic program**, taught by experienced faculty and including different kinds of learning activities, such as lessons, seminars, workshops and technical visits related to the course content.

The Study Abroad courses are combined with a **cultural program** to help the students discover the area, including welcome activities, cultural guided visits, and day trips to natural attractions or neighboring cities such as Barcelona or Valencia.



*“Teaching staff was
VERY WELL quali-
fied; good facilities and
innovative program”*

Length

We offer **intensive programs** (2-6 weeks long) and **short specialized seminars** (one week) throughout the year. The students will earn ECTS credits in all of them.

Tuition

Our courses can be designed and taught by our experienced and recognized faculty especially for your students; in order to **meet the needs** of the visiting university, we also collaborate in the design of the syllabus and can share teaching with visiting faculty.

Tuition language

Study Abroad programs can be taught in **English or Spanish**. Our English taught courses can include an elective module of Spanish language for beginners, so students can have a glimpse of our language while ensuring the main course contents are acquired and assessed in English.

Accommodation

URV assists your group finding the **best accommodation** for each group and program, ranging from student dorms to hotels or student apartments.

Permanent support during the program

We provide **permanent support** prior to the course and on site, including registration of students, administration services, certificates and logistics support on site.

OUR STRENGTHS

- Tailor-made programs
- Unique fields of study
- Committed faculty
- Safe medium-sized cities

OUR PROGRAMS

Universitat Rovira i Virgili offers Study Abroad **tailor-made** programs in a wide range of academic fields.

The **URV's commitment** to the development of the southern counties of Catalonia is reflected in the transfer agreements with 190 companies and institutions. Due to our deep **relations with the regional agents** such as companies, institutions, hospitals, research institutes, etc., mainly in the fields of Chemistry and Energy, Nutrition and Health, Tourism, Heritage and Culture and Oenology, students can profit from technical visits, senior experts and hands-on experience.



*"Interesting to see cultural places & plant visits, puts **LEARNING** in classroom into practical application"*

A SELECTION OF OUR STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS:

- Heritage, Art and Architecture
- International Seminar on Human Rights
- Health and Mediterranean Culture for Nursing students
- Wine Tourism
- Chemistry Research Projects
- Summer School of Engineering

BESIDES THE GENERAL PROGRAMS, THE CENTER FOR HISPANIC STUDIES PROVIDES SPECIALIZED TRAINING IN SPANISH LANGUAGE:

- Spanish Immersion for Beginners
- Spanish Summer School
- Spanish for Specific Purposes: Business and Sports
- Training for Teachers of Spanish as a Foreign Language

SOME OF OUR STUDY ABROAD PARTNERS:

- Cairo University, Egypt
- Northeastern University, USA
- James Madison University, USA
- University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, USA
- Instituto Tecnológico de Monterrey, Mexico
- Hiroshima University, Japan
- Changzhou University, China
- Education Office of the Embassy of Spain, USA



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