



**University of Pennsylvania School of Design – Department of Architecture  
Information Sheet for 2016 Study Abroad Program**

**COLOMBIA**

**May 17 – June 14, 2016**

***Tuition & General Fee***

The tuition and general fee are charged to the student’s Penn account according to the Summer Session billing schedule for Academic Year 2016-2017. Both undergraduate and graduate students will be charged the same tuition rate. Please see estimated rate listed below (final rate will be determined in in the spring).

TUITION + GENERAL FEE	\$6,386*
Per course unit. Students will receive 1 elective course unit of credit for this course. This amount includes accommodation and select program costs. (Additional costs are listed below.)	

**PennDesign will offer each student a \$1000 travel stipend to help defray travel costs associated with study abroad.**

***Last Day to Drop Course without penalty – Friday, April 22, 2016***

***Additional Expenses***

The following are additional expenses to consider and are not included in the tuition/program fee. Please note that all costs are approximations. The actual cost will vary depending on the student’s spending habits, extent of personal travel and fluctuations in the exchange rate.

PASSPORT & VISA	A valid passport is required. A visa is not needed for U.S. citizens. Citizens from other countries should confirm if they need a visa. Please see Brianna Reed if you need a letter from the department to obtain your visa.
HEALTH INSURANCE	Make sure you understand how your current health insurance works overseas and if necessary, purchase additional coverage. All participants are covered by Penn’s group policy with International SOS for emergency and medical assistance. This primarily provides coverage for emergency evacuation and repatriation as well as in-country medical and legal referrals. Please see Brianna Reed for your SOS cards before departure.
ROUND-TRIP AIRFARE to BOGOTA	Estimate \$700 to \$1,000 traveling from the East Coast U.S. Estimated arrival/departure cost = \$35. We recommend purchasing travel insurance for any unexpected trip cancellation or interruption.
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	A local transportation pass costs roughly \$20.
MEALS	Estimate \$20-\$35/day for lunch and dinner.
COURSE MATERIALS	Camera/iPad equipment (OPTIONAL) \$800
WEEKEND OR OTHER TRIPS/ACTIVITIES TO (RURAL AREAS AND NATIONAL PARKS)	Private bus and/or local transportation = approx. \$ 150

\* Final summer tuition and fees will be determined by the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania sometime in the spring.

**Please See Additional Information for Undergraduate Students on the Reverse Side**

***Special Information for Undergraduate Students:***

- Please note that these programs are being offered by the Department of Architecture in the School of Design, not by the undergraduate program in the College of Arts & Sciences.
- Three seats in the program are reserved for undergraduate students
- Undergraduates wishing to participate in this trip must sign a University of Pennsylvania liability waiver for high risk countries. Certain travel conditions and restrictions may apply. Please contact Jaime Molyneux, Director of International Risk Management, at 215- 573-6122 or at [Molyneux@upenn.edu](mailto:Molyneux@upenn.edu) if you have questions or would like more information.
- This course is for 1 CU. It will be considered by the College as a free elective and an *out-of-College course*; no more than 4 cu's of *out-of-College-courses* count toward your graduation credit minimum.
- Undergraduate students should meet with their College Advisor to discuss questions related to college credit.