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# ARGENTINA



## SALSA DANCE COURSES IN BUENOS AIRES

Learn to Dance the Salsa in Buenos Aires, the elegant capital city of Argentina and home of the flamboyant Tango. They say that if you can Salsa, you can do anything! You'll have lessons with a private Salsa teacher of Cuban origin who will tailor your programme to your individual level of expertise.

The course consists of five private Salsa classes per week, each lasting one hour. You can also combine this with the *Tango Course* and learn both at the same time. You can also combine your Tango placement with a Spanish Course.

## WHAT DO YOU GET?

### SELF-DEVELOPMENT:

- New skills, more confidence, a greater understanding of a different culture, invaluable personal and professional development.
- An entry on your CV or résumé that will put you head and shoulders above most others in the job market.

### SAFETY AND SECURITY

- Your safety is our top priority. We risk-assess all destination countries, projects, accommodation and more to ensure that they are stable and safe.
- We have experienced local staff with 24/7 back-up and support who are there to assist you and look after you, starting with an in-depth induction on your arrival.

### AN ADVENTURE!

- An exciting, never-to-be-forgotten adventure into Argentinean life and culture, and best of all ... **an unforgettable experience!**

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**Prices:** From £945, excluding flights. See our [Full Price List Online](#)

**Duration:** From 1 week to 12 weeks, subject to visa requirements

**Start Dates:** All year round, you choose your start and finish dates.

**Requirements:** Minimum age 17, no qualifications required. Open to all nationalities.

**What's Included:**

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| ▶ Arranging your Programme,           | ▶ Full pre-departure support and assistance, |
| ▶ Payment Protection insurance        | ▶ Accommodation                              |
| ▶ Food (excluding lunch)              | ▶ Course fees and some materials             |
| ▶ Meeting you at Buenos Aires Airport | ▶ Transfer to your accommodation             |
| ▶ Transport to and from your project  | ▶ Local in-country team support and backup   |
| ▶ 24-hr emergency support.            | ▶ Certificate of Completion                  |

**What Not Included:** Flights, Insurance, Cost of Visas (if a visa is required), Return transfer to airport.

## SUMMARY

## COURSE OVERVIEW

Salsa music is a synthesis of European and African musical influences that was born in Cuba. The European part is the melodies and harmonies (from the Andalucía region of Spain), whilst the African part in Salsa is mainly from the western coast of Africa where the slave trade was most prevalent.

## THE SALSA PROGRAMME

Musically speaking Salsa is a group of Latin rhythmic styles that contain the Clave beat; the clave beat is infectious, it makes the listener "have-to-move". Modern Salsa is directly related to the Mambo in both its music and dance forms especially New York Salsa dance.

## COURSE CONTENT

During your placement you will have lessons with a private Salsa teacher of Cuban origin who will tailor your programme to your individual level of expertise. The lessons scheduled for your placement are as follows:

- Five private Salsa classes per week, each lasting an hour.
- More lessons can be arranged for you in order to give you a more intensive Salsa learning experience, and there will be a supplementary charge for these additional hours.

During your placement you will have plenty of opportunities to attend Salsa clubs where you will mix with many different individuals to improve your skills. Here everyone dances together and continually change couple - all lots of fun!

Azucar" is a Salsa club located close to the hostel.

Your dance schedule will allow plenty of time for sightseeing and absorbing the experience of being in Argentina.



## ACCOMMODATION

There are two choices for accommodation in Buenos Aires. You can choose to stay in a hostel where you will meet up with other travellers or for a more cultural experience you can choose to stay with a local family.

The hostel is located in the central district just a 15 minutes walk from the congress in one direction and Casa Rosa in the other. There are many shops, supermarkets, restaurants and banks nearby and just a few minutes walk from the nearest metro station.

This is a privately run, independent hostel for backpackers and comprises basic but clean facilities. You will usually share a room with up to five other guests and if there are other volunteers there at the same time as you, we will arrange for you to be in the same room. Accommodation is arranged into single sex rooms and you will have a bunk bed. The bathrooms are shared (with hot water) and have a locker.

**Food:** If you're staying in a Hostel, you'll be given an allowance for your meals (breakfast and dinner, lunch is excluded projects in Buenos Aires). This arrangement is to give you the flexibility to sample the great Argentinean food. Right on the door step of the hostel there are many cafes and restaurants with great priced menus just waiting for you....the choice is yours!

**HOST FAMILY:** For a more cultural experience you can choose to be accommodated with a local family. This allows you to get a better understanding of the culture of Argentina and you will be fluent in Spanish in no time! Basic/intermediate Spanish is required to stay with a Host Family. Please note that if you'd prefer to live with a host family, there is an additional supplement.

These families have been visited and vetted by Travellers and are with friendly and caring families who provide comfortable, warm and safe living surroundings. You'll most likely have access to TV/DVD and communal dining room and you will have your own key. This is an excellent way to improve your Spanish too! You will be met at the airport on your arrival by your family.

**Food:** Breakfast and dinner will be provided by your host family.



## WHY TRAVELLERS WORLDWIDE?

- Over 20 years' experience of sending thousands of participants overseas, plus the largest variety of flexible projects that are value for money!
- Accredited projects helps appeal to future employers
- Excellent support!
- Your own dedicated Project Co-ordinator to answer all questions before, during and after your trip of a lifetime!
- Detailed information on your project and country and suggestions, safety guide, tips and checklists, via our EXTRANET, available from anywhere, 24/7.
- 24/7 emergency helpline for you and your family
- Free pick up from the nearest airport.

*“The salsa classes were great...especially the group classes because I got a chance to hang out with locals and dance.”*

Emily Little

*“I have been very impressed with Travellers’ staff who are always interested in how I am getting on and willing to help if I need it.”*

**Jess Corbett**

*"First impressions are great! Made some friends quickly and the organisers here are also very professional."*

**Jitesh Parikh**

## HOW YOU MAKE A DIFFERENCE:

By joining a Travellers Program you enable us to keep donating money to worthwhile projects around the world; from clothing and feeding school children, building playgrounds or funding vital conservation research - your participation makes these donations possible.

Donations to **Bridge The Gap Foundation**. This Foundation was set up by us to donate directly to particularly worthwhile and necessary projects for children and animals around the world, and partners with other NGO's to raise match-funding for worthy projects.

The price of this project is a reflection of the following costs:

- ✓ Accommodation
- ✓ Food (excluding lunch)
- ✓ Meeting you at the airport
- ✓ Transport to and from your project
- ✓ Local in-country team support and backup
- ✓ 24hr emergency helpline
- ✓ Full pre-departure support
- ✓ UK administration
- ✓ Marketing (brochures, website design and maintenance, attending careers fairs, advertising, website listings and presentations)
- ✓ Project Research/Site Inspection
- ✓ Staff Training/Equipment
- ✓ Donations to worthwhile projects

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Got any questions? Please email us: [info@travellersworldwide.com](mailto:info@travellersworldwide.com)

Once you have applied for a placement, we'll contact you and send you our Welcome Pack. You'll also receive Log-on details and password for our Volunteer Extranet where you'll have access to all the documentation and information which we've put together to facilitate preparations for your adventure!

Your Project Co-ordinator for your country will liaise with you throughout the arrangements process, as well as while you're on your placement and on your return home.

The documents you'll have access to also include a Country Factfile, Safety Guide and any manuals that may assist you on your particular programme (for example, Teaching Guide, Sports Manuals, Enrichment Suggestions for Animal Care, etc.).

We do all we can to make your stay one that you'll never forget.

As with all our destinations, the culture and heritage is different to what you're used to ... which, although one of the most exciting aspects of travelling, should be borne in mind. Self-reliance and independence are highly appreciated in all our destinations and will help you to make the most of this wonderful opportunity!

This is a truly awesome, elegant and beautiful country.



# THINGS TO DO IN ARGENTINA

The romance of Argentina takes one's breath away. From the northern deserts to the southern Andean Cordillera, from Iguazú Falls to the magnificent desolation of Patagonia, Argentina's geography is varied and stunning. Argentina is geared up to thrill - from nights **tango**-ing in the chic quarter of Buenos Aires to **gaucho riding** in the grasslands of the Pampas.

## Cosmopolitan Buenos Aires:

Buenos Aires is one of the most exciting cities in Latin America. Tango was born here, restaurants serve all manner of world cuisines, bars play the latest music, cafés spill on to the streets and nightclubs allow dancing throughout the night.

This fabulous city is renowned for its sophistication and has a surprisingly European feel about it.

BA is reminiscent of Paris and its tree-lined avenues and frequent plazas have a beguiling, faded elegance.

Downtown, the **Plaza de Mayo** is the traditional focus of activity.

Nearby **Avenida 9 de Julio** is popularly known as the world's widest thoroughfare and, with its nine lanes of traffic, is truly a pedestrian's nightmare!

**Avenida Santa Fe** is the most fashionable shopping area.

There are 4 clear seasons....hot in summer, 35°C average and cold in the winter around 4 – 6°.



# HOW TO BOOK

## TWO EASY WAYS ...

Complete a [booking form](#) online.

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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN OUR PROGRAMME!**

**We hope you'll join us!**

**Don't hesitate to contact us with any questions.  
We're happy to help you plan your exciting adventure!**



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