

MEXICO SUMMER 2027



FACULTY-LED TRAVEL

JUNE 18 - JULY 19 SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE, MEXICO

Studio art and cultural immersion
in the beautiful 16th-century
UNESCO World Heritage Site of
San Miguel de Allende, Mexico

Four weeks, six credits, the
experience of a lifetime.



SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE



“Most Enchanting Destination”
Travel + Leisure

“Best Small City in the World”
Condé Nast Traveler

“A Magnet for Artists
from around the Globe”
New York Magazine



San Miguel's compact historic center is a paradise for pedestrians, with cultural sights, rooftop restaurants, courtyard cafés and outdoor markets all in easy walking distance.

INSTITUTO ALLENDE

Our program's home base is the historic Instituto Allende, part of the University of Guanajuato.

The Instituto is housed in a former Carmelite convent, an expansive 18th-century compound of studios, galleries, classrooms, courtyards and gardens.



STUDIO ART PROGRAM

Students can pursue analog or digital mediums of their choice, in addition to studying traditional fibers and ceramics processes with Instituto and KCAI faculty as well as local artists.





SPANISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

Integral to the program's cultural immersion is ten hours of conversational Spanish language instruction, tailored to individual student skill levels and taught by Instituto faculty.



ORGANIZED DAY TRIPS

Day trips will take us to Cañada de la Virgen, a complex of Otomi pyramids built around 500AD, and the picturesque state capital of Guanajuato, birthplace of artist Diego Rivera and one of the richest cities in the world at the height of its silver boom.



TRIP INFO

- Dates: June 18 – July 19, 2027
- Faculty: Jarrett Mellenbruch and Casey Whittier
- Eligibility: All majors, GPA 2.0+
- Max enrollment: 12 students
- Earns: 6 studio credits (*applies to Social Practice minor*)
- Scholarships: many available
- Elevation: 6,000 ft
- Weather: Highs 80s, lows 50s



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