

STUDY ABROAD MEETING II

MARCH 2026

Essential Speech 200 Online

*Essential Speech 200 is a co-requisite speech-oriented course that creates the 4th credit hour of your Milestone class.

*You would work with *your* travel-mates to complete two team-oriented delivery assignments.

1. Connections Symposium (1:30 – 2:30 minutes prepared speaking time; joining a team discussion regarding your topic)
2. Online Panel Interview (answer 4-career interview questions)

*You would work solo on two additional delivery assignments.

1. Informative Presentation (5 – 7 minutes of prepared speaking time, light research)
2. Toast Presentation or Tribute Presentation (2 – 3 minutes of prepared speaking time, no research)

Pros

1. No Symposium or Online Panel Interview scheduling difficulties with team-members.
2. No virtual class meetings to attend; immediate eBook access
3. Open, flexible due-date oriented schedule (multiple weeks to complete assignments).
4. Experiences as presentation topics: speak about what you are living, seeing, immersing in.
5. Cool prof. that deeply esteems the *cool photo* tax via email.
6. Vocalize your experiences as you transform your summer highlights into polished language.

Cons

1. The prof. called herself cool.



Essential Speech 200 Online

Assignments:

1. Intro video (say hello to group members; let's me know who is participating)
2. Connections Symposium (1:30-2:30 minutes of prepared speaking time, light research; discussion)
3. Online Panel Career Interview (4 minutes of answers to career interview questions)
4. Informative Presentation (5 – 7 solo delivery minutes; light research; visual aid required)
5. Toast Presentation or Tribute Presentation (2 – 3 prepared minutes, no research)



IRIS AND FINANCIAL AID



FORMS ON D2L

TURN IN TO DR. ANDERSON

- **Payment Agreement—Due by March 12 (today preferably)**
- Student Conduct Agreement—Due by April 1
- Alcohol Policy—Due by April 1
- International Liability Waiver—Due by April 1

- Distance Education Medical Form—digital—Due by April 1
- Housing Form—Digital—Due by April 1
- Passport—Digital—Due by April 1
 - Also, upload a photo of your passport to D2L

REMINDER: DEPOSIT DATES

- **March 1 → March 12th: 1st deposit, nonrefundable. \$1700**
- April 1: \$2000
- May 1: \$2000
- May 15: \$1700
- All payments due by the time of the trip.



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TENTATIVE CALENDAR



Classes: Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday, Friday



Trips: Tuesday travel, Wed in
Destination, Thursday travel.

Flight	May 29
Start classes	June 1
Travel to Granada	June 9-11
Travel to Toledo, Consuegra, Madrid	June 16-18
Travel to Sevilla, Itálica	June 23-25
Finish classes	June 30
Flight	July 2

JUNE 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					29	30
					Travel to Spain	Arrival in Madrid La Feria de Córdoba
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
	First day of classes	Tour de Cordoba?				Medina Azahara?
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		Travel to Granada	Time in Granada	Travel back to Córdoba		Free Weekend
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Travel to Toledo and Madrid	Madrid	Madrid Back to Córdoba		Noche Blanca
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Noche Blanca		Travel to Sevilla	Sevilla	Italica		Free Weekend
28	29	30	1	2		
		Last day of classes	Travel to Madrid	1:00 Travel to CO		

Flights

- May 29
 - leave at 12:30 pm from Denver
- July 2
 - arrive at 8:20 pm in Denver



REGISTERING FOR CLASSES

- Registration opens March 30. We will grant you permission to add the classes before then. If you have any problems, email the instructor of record
 - Anderson: 296/396/496
 - Muñoz: ESSL 290
 - Grider: ESSL 200

PHYSICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH

- Do you have an existing physical or mental health condition that requires treatment on a regular basis?
- Or...Do you have a condition that might experience a flare up under stressful situations?
- If so, make an action plan with your healthcare providers ASAP.
- Make sure to complete the medical history form thoroughly

EUROS

- Can exchange dollars to Euros at Wells Fargo if you (or parents) have an account.
 - No charge
 - Order in advance (5-7 days)

MULTI FACTOR AUTHENTICATOR

- “Each faculty member and student, who is associated with CMU, will need to setup Microsoft Authenticator on their smartphone as the default MFA authentication method prior to leaving the US. The easiest way to accomplish this is to have each person come to the Technology Help Desk, located on the first floor of the Library, so they can work with our staff to get this setup properly. Please encourage your student to address this well before they leave so it doesn’t become an unplanned emergency.”

CMU ID

- Make sure to bring a physical MAV Card with you on the trip.

[HTTPS://TEATROCORDOBA.ES/PROGRAMACION/](https://teatrocordoba.es/programacion/)

- Orquesta...
- [Antoñito Molina](#)
- Sergio Dalma
- [bROTHERS iN bAND \(tribute band to Dire Straits....\)](#)

HOUSING

All appears to be good with
living with host families!!!!



TRAVEL INSURANCE

<https://www.internationalstudentinsurance.com/trip-cancellation/apply-lx.php>

Optional purchase: Plan SE

Estimate: \$200



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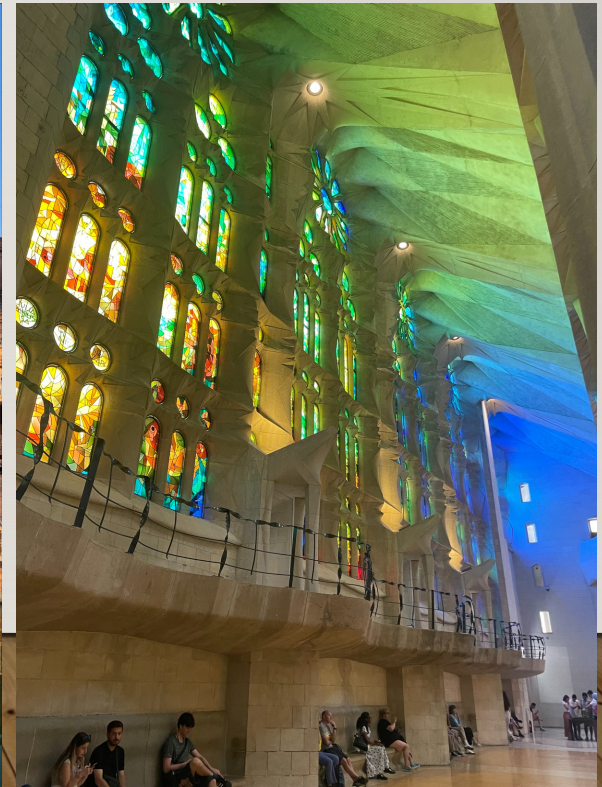
SPANISH CLUB

- Is active, up and going...please consider participating
 - Doing fundraisers
- If you are interested in participating in these events email us
 - lmunoz@coloradomesa.edu
 - tanderso@coloradomesa.edu
- Day of Giving—April 10
 - Need to organize a campaign by March 1
 - Student led
 - Photos/video for the campaign
 - Pitch to outside donors



QUESTION FOR STUDY ABROAD ALUMNI







NEXT MEETING

- April 8
 - 12:00
- April 9
 - 1:00
- EH 101
- Topics
 - Packing information
- Avoiding pickpocketing
- Piropos
- Excursions
- Questions
- Mental Health
- Research project?