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ethnography + anthropology

osea's mission

The Open School of Ethnography & Anthropology is a non-degree school "without walls" providing programs in México for undergrads, graduate students, scholars, and researchers.

osea's specialization

We specialize in a diverse range of on-site interactive learning "in the field" and support individual research in the areas of Anthropology, Latin American Studies, and cultural studies focused fields in the Humanities, Social Sciences and the Arts.

OSEA provides participants with a way to attain out-of-classroom educational objectives with expert guidance and innovative learning strategies. We support individual research projects.

¹ethnography writers' workshop

3/4 WEEK PROGRAM in June and July
Mérida, Yucatán, México

Participants devote full time to their writing projects; Small group workshops to discuss & comment on each participants writing & research; OSEA staff gives individualized attention to your writing project to improve your text; Off-Time to enjoy Mérida and optional excursions throughout Yucatán. **Workshop ideal for scholars working on book projects, dissertations, journal articles, and research proposals.**

OSEA SPONSORS IF: Interview Forum (online journal on ethnographic fieldwork) www.interviewforum.com **The Public Meanings of Archaeology**—An Interdisciplinary Workshop with Archaeologists and Ethnographers, Wenner Gren co-sponsor. Chichén Itzá, México. June 1–5, 2005

training in the ethnography of the future
study abroad programs in anthropology
on-site learning and independent research

²summer field school in ethnography | mira

multimedia interdisciplinary research in anthropology is a collaborative and comparative study of tourism destinations and cultures.

5/6 WEEK PROGRAM in July and August
Conducted in the tourist destinations of Mérida, Chichén Itzá, and the Maya Riviera/Playa del Carmen, México

Students learn, design, and conduct interdisciplinary (anthropology/art & design/tourism/cultural studies) research on topics including Tourism, Migration, Development, Heritage, Globalization, Consumption, and Identity. In addition to subject matter, students learn cultural anthropology, visual ethnography, and design for fieldwork presentation.

6–9 credits in (Visual) Anthropology, Art + Design

³winter+ spring study abroad in anthropology, ethnography, and fieldwork methods

11 WEEK PROGRAM from January through March

Based in the Yucatec Maya community of Pisté/Chichén Itzá, México

Seminars on Maya Anthropology, Ethnography, and Fieldwork Methods; Students Design and Conduct Independent Research with Close Supervision by OSEA staff; Conversational Spanish and Yucatec Maya for Ethnographic Field Work; Educational Field Trips to Cultural Communities, Archaeological Heritage, and Tourism Sites.

16 credits in Anthropology + Ethnography. Concurrent Enrollment available with some universities.

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OSEA'S PROGRAMS ARE IDEAL FOR UNDERGRADUATES seeking study abroad experience and learning among the Maya people of México; GRADUATE STUDENTS seeking advanced, on-site training and

experience in the design and practice of research; and SCHOLARS and ADVANCED STUDENTS who need an escape from routine to complete their writing projects in a collaborative workshop setting.