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Public Invited to Study Abroad in Mexico

DOVER- Delaware Technical & Community College's Office of International Education is currently organizing a short-term study abroad opportunity in Cuernavaca, Mexico, and, for the first time, is offering this trip to the general public.

The program will run during the summer, with the actual trip scheduled for June 29-July 15.

"This is a perfect opportunity for people in the community who want to learn more Spanish," said Allison Burris-Castellanos, an instructor with Delaware Tech who is coordinating the Mexico trip. "Not only will participants get top quality Spanish instruction, but they will also learn more about the culture and have an opportunity to take several educational trips we have planned throughout Mexico."

During the 17-day program, participants will be immersed in the social and cultural aspects of Mexico. Students will stay with Mexican families and learn communication skills first-hand while enjoying local customs and food.

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There are also eight scheduled excursions to points of interest around the country, including Mexico City, Aztec archeological sites, traditional markets and other historical locations.

“This trip was honestly the most educational two weeks of my life, as well as the most enjoyable,” said Melody Bradley, a student who participated in the Cuernavaca program in 2006.

The cost for this year’s trip is \$2,150, which includes transportation, meals, trips, accommodations and classes at Universidad Internacional in Cuernavaca.

To learn more, visit www.dtcc.edu/international or contact Terry Campus International Studies Coordinator Shelby Jones Crawford at 302-857-1400.

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