By participating in this program, students will have the opportunity to learn concepts and skills in the disciplines of public health, medicine, extension education, and community development in order to understand how to evaluate and develop solutions in both Colombia and the United States. Students will be integrated into community-based events, such as health fairs, that will allow them to apply the concepts learned in the course (e.g., assessing patient needs, intercultural communications to increase health literacy, understanding the role of culture in diagnoses and treatment, etc.) to Latinos in need.

Medellín is Colombia’s second largest city and is nestled in the Aburrá Valley of the Andes Mountains. From the mountains, you can see how the Medellín River runs parallel to the Metro, which connects various parts of the city. There is an abundance of parks, libraries, museums and public spaces where many events take place. In the surrounding villages of Medellín, life is simple with relaxing landscapes and nature reserves.

Group excursions will include a city tour; a visit to Guatapé and Parque Arvi; and academic visits to Granizal, San Cristobal, and Medellín.

Students will stay in shared apartments during the course of the program.

The course is taught by UF faculty. All students will earn credit for the following:

AEC 4932 / 6932: Global Health & Social Disparities in Colombia

Total Number of Credits Offered: 3 UF GPA
**GLOBAL HEALTH & SOCIAL DISPARITIES**

**SUMMER A: JUNE 2-15, 2024**

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**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- Open to all majors
- Must have a 2.5+ GPA
- Must be in good standing
- Must be located in Gainesville (or be able to make it to Gainesville) for group pre-departure activities

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**2024 PRICING**

Undergraduate Program Fee: $3,825
Graduate Program Fee: $3,880

A $395 nonrefundable deposit toward the total cost of the program is due at the time of application. The remaining fees are due no later than 45 days prior to departure. If you receive financial aid, you can defer payment until it disburses. Deferment decisions will be based on the amount of aid to be received.

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**WHAT’S INCLUDED**

Tuition for 3 credits, housing, international health insurance, and emergency medical assistance.

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**WHAT’S NOT INCLUDED**

Round-trip airfare, meals, additional personal travel, and personal expenses.

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**FINANCIAL AID**

Most financial aid that you would receive on campus can be applied toward the cost of this program. However, all financial aid eligibility is determined by SFA.

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**SCHOLARSHIP**

UFIC offers many study abroad scholarships, with various eligibility criteria. The Summer 2024 scholarship deadline is February 8, 2024. Apply on our website!