

Cusco, Peru PWP

SPAN 499 - Language Loss and Deculturization in Cusco, Perú
Summer 2018 (May 21 - June 15)



Information Session:

**Thursday,
October 26, 2017**

**2-3 pm
THH 309K**



- **Week 1:** First 3 days at USC. Day 4 travel to Lima, Peru. Day 4 and 5 in Lima. Day 6 travel to Cusco
- **Weeks 2-4:** in Cusco

Estimated Costs:

USC Spring Tuition – 4.0 units

Airfare – U\$700 - \$900

Room & Board – \$450 (Hotel accommodation in Lima; Home-Stay with full board in Cusco)

Up to \$3,000 is available through SURF and SHURE on a competitive basis for Dornsife Majors

Course Description:

This course is an exercise in problem-based learning, which includes research and field work in Cusco, Peru. Students will attend specialists' lectures, interview locals and experts, and visit several sites of interest to the course in order to gain deeper knowledge of the complex issues surrounding language and cultural loss in the Andean region. Students will explore problems associated with Quechua's loss and Spanish's gain, deculturization, ethnic discrimination, and other related topics.

Prior knowledge of the Spanish language or Quechua is not required for this course.

For more information and application materials contact Prof. Karen P. Pérez (perezk@usc.edu)

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