San Diego State University
Center for Latin American Studies

Study Abroad in
Oaxaca, Mexico

Ethnographic Field School

June 28 – July 25, 2020
This course will introduce you to the various methods used in qualitative research design and implementation through the hands-on field experience. The course will allow you to develop the skills necessary to move a conceptual plan of interest to a legitimate research project, develop participatory research, and understand both the depth and breadth of qualitative research.

Mixtec Language & Culture

June 21 – July 31, 2020
This program is designed to provide students with a deeper understanding of the interface between Mixtec culture and the broader mestizo culture of Oaxaca, grassroots movements to preserve Mixtec culture both within Oaxaca and among Mixtec communities in the US, and other such topics that will provide a foundation for understanding Mixtec language and culture. Spanish proficiency required.

Zapotec Language & Culture

June 21 – July 31, 2020
This intensive program is taught by native Isthmus Zapotec speakers and linguists through the Casa de La Cultura in Juchitán. The course, taught in Spanish, includes five hours of classroom instruction, four to five days per week, over a six-week period with workshops and field trips to market centers, elementary and secondary schools, hospitals, and other community-based centers of social interaction. Participants will experience a full immersion in Zapotec culture and language through homestays with Zapotec speaking families.

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Application opens Jan. 2020
Deadline: April 1, 2020

Info Sessions:
Thurs. Oct. 24 @ 1 - 2pm (AL 379)
Thurs. Nov. 14 @ 1 - 2pm (AL 379)
Thurs. Nov. 21 @ 1 - 2pm (AL 379)
Mon. Dec. 2 @ 3 - 4pm (AL 379)