

APPLICATION TO TEACH IN THE SEMESTRE EN MÉXICO PROGRAM

The Semestre en México program will be offered each fall in Cuernavaca at the Cuernavaca Center for Intercultural Dialogue on Development. This study center was developed to teach Canadian and US citizens about the realities of the poor and the need for social change. The Semestre en México program is designed to compliment the CCIDD program with academic studies and a service learning experience. Two faculty coordinate the program of up to 20 students.

Name _____

Department _____

The program runs from the first week of September to the middle of December. What year would you be able to go? Please consult with your department chair to determine when it would fit your department's schedule. Circle all that are possible.

Fall 2006 Fall 2007 Fall 2008 Fall 2009 Fall 2010

The program consists of 18 credits:

4 credits of Spanish language (taught by language teachers from Cuernavaca)

2 credits of CCIDD program

4 credits of service learning placement

8 credits designed by faculty on topics related to Mexico or Latin America

You may want to talk with another faculty member about leading this program together.

You could team teach courses or design complimentary ones.

What course could you design? _____

The minimal Spanish requirement is one semester of college Spanish. What is your background in Spanish? _____

Students and faculty live in dormitory style rooms and eat together at CCIDD. Have you had experience traveling with students? _____

Please attach an essay on how you bring social justice issues into your teaching and the courses you would teach in this program.