

INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH ABROAD PROGRAM (IRAP) 2024

Full Program Schedule

Orientation

February 27th 2024

- Program Orientation
 - Meet the Faculty & Students
 - Go over Itinerary & Syllabus

Aggies in Yucatan

May 12th – May 25th 2024

- Opening Ceremony
- Technical visits and research activities
- Introduction to Research Lectures on weekdays from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM
- Cultural visits
- Closing Reception

Virtual Collaboration

June – August 2024

- Remote collaboration with TAMU students
- Teamworking on research proposal
- Write a research report
- Design a research poster

Yucatan Students in Texas

August 11 – 18, 2024

- Residency week for Yucatan students
- Poster Presentation Session
- Program Closing Ceremony

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

- Learn the basics of research with an Introduction to Research Course taught at our host universities
- Participate in many hands-on technical activities at places like the Yucatán Scientific & Technological Park
- Visit cultural sites & explore Yucatan
- Engage and collaborate with Yucatan students
- Write and present a research proposal to peers, faculty, and staff

PARTICIPATING TAMU COLLEGES

- [College of Engineering](#)
- [College of Agriculture & Life Sciences](#)
- [College of Arts & Sciences](#)
- [Mays Business School](#)
- [School of Education & Human Development](#)

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Yucatan Students in Texas

Residency Week: August 11 – 18, 2024

Sunday, August 11th

- Arrive at [George Bush Intercontinental Airport](#)
- Visit the [Space Center](#) in Houston
- Welcome Dinner with Host Families

Monday, August 12th

- [Agriculture](#) Day

Tuesday, August 13th

- [Business](#) Day

Wednesday, August 14th

- [Art & Sciences](#) Day

Thursday, August 15th

- [Engineering](#) Day
- Final Dinner with Host Families

Friday, August 16th

- Visit [George H.W. Bush Presidential Library and Museum](#)
- Poster Session & Closing Ceremony

Saturday, August 17th

- Depart for Austin
- Tour the [State Capitol](#)
- Drive to San Antonio
- Explore & Shop on the [River Walk](#)

Sunday, August 18th

- Depart for Houston
- Stop at [Buc-ee's](#)
- Arrive at George Bush Intercontinental Airport

RESIDENCY DESCRIPTION

- 1-week field trip to Texas A&M University (TAMU) in College Station
- Discover the different types of research available at TAMU
- Experience major cities such as Houston, Austin, and San Antonio



PROGRAM COST

- Program Fee: \$2,000 USD per student*.
- Fee covers ground transportation, housing, most meals, and cultural activities (e.g., NASA tour).
- Doesn't include personal expenses, some meals, insurances and other expenses as passport and visa.
- Cost estimated on 16 students group, may increase if final number decreases.

