study abroad in Peru

LIMA - AREQUIPA - PUNO - CUSCO
May 8 - 21, 2015 (part of full spring semester)

HIST 342
TU TH 11:00 AM-12:15 PM
The History of Perú: A Contested History of Conquest, Colonialism, and Contemporary Struggle in the Andean World
Professor Carmen Kordick, Ph.D.

Our goal is to become familiarized with the history of the Andes; in particular this region’s rich history of indigenous resistance to economic, cultural, and political exploitation and marginalization. Diverse readings along with extensive travel through the Peruvian Andes will provide us with the chance to explore indigenous and peasant resistance and rebellion both within a historical and a contemporary framework.

Combining in-class meetings with travel to Peru, we will explore the deep history, rich cultures, and complex politics of the Andes. From the ancient Tiwanaku civilization to the Inka Empire, from the Spanish Conquest to the establishment of a democratic republic, we will consider how Andean cultural traditions have persisted despite centuries of marginalization and exploitation.

Total cost for this trip is $3,775.00 (limited scholarships are available to eligible students.)

INTERESTED? QUESTIONS?
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