



News from Seville International Business and Culture Program October 22-28, 2007

Un total de 2.500 profesionales de la música de más de cien países se darán cita este año en el Womex07, que se celebrará en Sevilla del 24 al 28 de octubre en el Palacio de Congresos y Exposiciones.

La gala inaugural correrá a cargo de Faiz Ali Faiz y su grupo Qawwali, de Pakistán, junto a los españoles Duquende y Chicuelo. La Fundación Tres Culturas, el Ministerio de Cultura y el ICAS patrocinan la gala inaugural de "Womex, The World Music Expo", que se celebrará en homenaje a la Alianza de Civilizaciones el próximo 24 de octubre en el Teatro Lope de Vega.

Como en ediciones anteriores, Womex ha elegido Sevilla como sede de esta reconocida feria mundial de la música, el mercado más importante de músicas del mundo porque une a profesionales de música folk, de raíz, étnica, y tradicional y además incluye conciertos, conferencias y documentales.

En esta edición, el Womex estará centrado en la importancia de la cultura, y especialmente la música, en el diálogo entre civilizaciones.

Elena García, Coordinadora de Actividades

WOMEX 07

the world music expo

General Information

CIEE Sports

Once again we invite you to join us for Basketball, Volleyball and Soccer matches. Don't forget that the IFNI is located on the 34 bus line and Charco de la Pava can be reached by bus 43.

Basketball: Tuesday October 16, 19:00h, in the IFNI Sports Center.

Volleyball: Tuesday October 16, 19:00h, in the IFNI Sports Center.

Soccer: Wednesday, October 17, 20h-22h, in Charco de la Pava.

Season of Latinoamerican films

On Monday 22 it will be projected Habana Blues at 7pm at aula Sevilla at the Palace.

Also, on Wednesday 24 the fourth episode of Vientos de Agua will be aired, also at the Palace.

Tour of Barrio de Santa Cruz

Wednesday, October 24th, we'll tour the charming Santa Cruz neighbourhood. Sign up at aula Almería before Wednesday 24th at noon and come to know the most famous neighbourhood of Sevilla. You'll know the Seville's Old Jewish Quarter. The most popular quarter in Sevilla, will captivate you because of its narrow streets, its typical houses with courtyards and its beautiful squares. It's a neighbourhood full of legends where you can take the best pictures in the city. We'll meet up at the Palace's courtyard at 7pm.

Visit to Carmona

Friday October 26th. If you want to know this magical town of Seville you have to stop by aula Almería and sign up before Tuesday 23th at 5pm. We will meet up on Friday 26th at 8:30am Don't forget to ask your señora to prepare you a sandwich!

Hiking route: El Bosque-Benamahoma

Sunday, October 28th. Sign up in aula Almería before Thursday 25th and you will be able to enjoy of an amazing day. You'll know the bank of the river Majaceite, its wildlife, of that beautiful place of the Cadiz province. Join us on Sunday 28th at 9am at Puerta de Derecho of the University. You must wear comfortable sport shoes 'cos you'll walk for a long time, water, and ask your señora to make you a sandwich for eating. Don't forget to fill a questionnaire when you sign up for the trip.

Cineclub

Thursday 25th at 9pm aula Granada. Shortbus, the last film from the american director John Cameron Mitchell. Don't miss it!

Conference on the Future of Cuba

CIEE and the Facultad de Geografía e Historia are co-sponsoring a lecture series on the future of Cuba. Lectures will be held on Tuesday October 30 and Wednesday October 31 in the Sala Juan de Mata Carriazo of the Facultad de Geografía e Historia, University of Seville. For more information, stop by the Office of Student Services.

Academic Information

Mid-Term Exams

Best of luck on your mid-terms! One more week to go!

UPO Final Exam Schedule

The final exam schedule for the UPO was recently posted. Students have been asking if they can book their flights back home after their last final exam. The answer "yes", however keep in mind that there is a Farewell Reception on Tuesday, December 18th with the UPO. There will also be an IBCP Fiesta de Despedida, likely Monday, December 17th. We hope that you will stay for both!

Class Withdrawals

The last day to withdraw from a class is Monday, October 29th. However, you must speak with Alayna before doing so. Please remember that you must have take at least 4 class during the regular session, one of those being a Spanish Grammar/Spanish content course. If you are having problems with a class, please talk with Alayna.

UPO Syllabi

If you need electronic copies of your class syllabi to send to your home university advisor (original or English translation), send an e-mail to Alayna and she can send them to you via e-mail.

Preparation for Trip to Morocco

On October 24th during your MGMT class, we will have an introductory session on your trip to Morocco. The trip guide, Abdel, will also be present to go over the trip itinerary with you. You will also be receiving information on the company(ies) that you will be visiting during your stay in Morocco. This will also be a time to answer any questions that you have about the trip. **YOU MUST BE PRESENT IN CLASS THIS DAY IF YOU ARE GOING ON THE TRIP TO MOROCCO.**

Alayna´s Office Hours

UPO: Tuesdays and Wednesdays 10:15 to 1:15 (Celestino Mutis, 2nd floor, 7th door on right)
Almirante Hoyos: Monday and Thursday 9:00-5:00, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, Friday 9:00-14:00. You can reach Alayna in the CIEE Academic Office by phone at 954 219 508 or e-mail abrown@ciee.org

Looking Ahead:

October 24th at 3:00pm: Scavenger Hunt at the UPO (sign-up in the Center for Foreign Students)

October 29th: Last day to Withdraw from a Class (Must speak with Alayna first)

October 31st: MGMT has class. Class will be held in the University of Sevilla (tabacalera)

November 1st, 2nd, 3rd: IBCP Trip to Morocco (Tetuan, Tangier, Chef Chaouen)

Free Time Activities

Feria Mundial del Flamenco

Flamenco world fair at the Palacio de Exposiciones y Congresos de Sevilla, FIBES, from October 24th to 28th.

Recital de flauta y piano del Dúo Portillo - Turullols

Thursday 25th. Roussel, Gaubert, Nielsen y Damase will be played. Hotel Amadeus. C/ Farnesio, 6.

Diego El Cigala, flamenco singer

Tuesday 23th. Programa Dos Lágrimas con Guillermo Rubalcaba, Tata Guines y Changuito. Teatro Maestranza. Paseo Cristóbal Colón, 22. More info 954.223.344 and www.teatromaestranza.com

Cabaret show

26th, 27th and 28th. Más negro que el Azabache por A Cabaret Contigo. Espectáculo de cabaret fresco, desenfadado y descarado. At 23h. 10 euros normal entry, 8 euros for students. C/ Sol, 5, at the center of Sevilla. More info 954.225.165 and www.salacero.com.

El orfanato, chosen movie to represent Spain in the Oscar awards for best foreign movie

Producida por Guillermo del Toro y dirigida por Juan Antonio Bayona.

Very good and scared movie, that have won several prizes in important european movie awards. You could see it at Alameda, Plaza de Armas, Nervión and los Arcos movie theaters.

Egipto, Nubia y Oriente Próximo: National Archeological Museum Collections.

From October 18th to January 5th at Centro Cultural Cajazol (C/Laraña 4). A very good selection of pieces from the olden age, brought from the National Archeological Museum. Tuesday to Saturday, from 11 to 13.30 and from 18 a 21; Sunday and holiday from 11 a 13; Monday closed.

Hernán Cortés Palace Collection

During all October at the Archivo General de Indias (Avenida de la Constitución, 3)

they are back, after 35 years non-stop claiming the original pieces from Hernán Cortés. Furniture, paintings, ceramic, textile, sculpture, etc. from the XIX Century. Monday to Saturday from 10h. to 16h. Sunday 10h. to 14h.

Atrapados en el hielo Exposition

During all October till day 28th at the Salas altas del Cuarto de la Montería, at the Alcázar.

Through documental pictures from Frank Hurley, This exposition will make you live the shock experience of what the explorer Ernest Shackleton did in the Antarctica. Entry by the Lion's door of the Alcazar. From Tuesday to Saturday From 09.30 to 17.00 h. Sunday and holiday from 9.30 to 13.30h.