

Student Trip to Puerto Rico

The 2018-19 year at the Baltimore School for the Arts will feature: ***Carnaval de la Cultura Hispana: A Year-Long Celebration of Latin/Hispanic Culture at BSA***. As part of this interdisciplinary festival focusing on the the local, national, and international contributions of the Latinx community, we will be taking a small group of students to Puerto Rico. The selected students will experience an artistic, cultural and service focused itinerary developed by a reputable travel agency. BSA students will have a chance to immerse themselves in the traditions of Puerto Rico.

When:

Early Second Semester 2019

Who:

We are planning on taking one group of 16 BSA students and 4 faculty members/chaperones. The students will be chosen from the current year's 10th through 12th graders. Students will be chosen from across all the art disciplines here at BSA.

Student Selection Process:

Every interested student will need to answer the questions** (below) provided in the Google form as well as upload a 2 minute (maximum) video of yourself pitching why you would be ideal for this trip. These videos will not be judged on production quality, but clarity of image and audio is important.

Students whose applications are chosen for further review will be given an interview.

All eligible students are encouraged to apply.

Application Due Dates/Selections:

All submissions need to be uploaded by Friday, October 12, 2018.

Interviews will be scheduled for the week of the 29th of October.

Final selections will be made the week of the 5th of November.

Cost:

We anticipate the trip will cost around \$2,500 per student. A limited number of travel scholarships will be available to students through the fundraising efforts of the BSA Foundation.

Questions to ask may include:

1. How will this trip enhance your global perspective?
2. How might this trip increase your collaboration skills?
3. How does your background or experience make you an ideal candidate for this adventure?
4. What are you most curious to learn about when it comes to Puerto Rico?
5. How will you bring this experience back to the BSA community?