



# Argentina



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Argentina was the 9th highest ranked home country for visiting international faculty at UGA from July 2016 – June 2017.

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Active Partnerships

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Joint Publications

144

UGA Students Abroad

64

Visiting Scholars

10



UGA Faculty Visits

26

International Students

8

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## Highlights

UGA's partnership with the Hospital Interzonal General de Agudos has generated over \$8 million in funding over the past 15 years to support research on Chagas disease.

## UGA Education Abroad in Argentina

During the 2016-2017 academic year, 64 UGA students studied in Argentina. Current UGA study abroad and reciprocal exchange programs in Argentina include:

<b>Program</b>	<b>City/Destination</b>	<b>Focus</b>
Business in South America	Buenos Aires	Study Abroad
South America Independent Study	Buenos Aires	Study Abroad
UGA en Buenos Aires	Buenos Aires	Study Abroad

## Academic Collaboration and Exchange in Argentina

Between 2007 and 2017, UGA faculty collaborated with colleagues in Argentina to jointly publish 144 scholarly articles. Top areas of cooperation during this period included: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Infectious Diseases, Parasitology, Tropical Medicine, and Ecology. Top collaborating institutions in Argentina during this period included the Consejo Nacional de Investigaciones Científicas y Técnicas and the Universidad de Buenos Aires.

## Hospital Interzonal General de Agudos-Eva Perón Partnership

UGA and the Hospital Interzonal General de Agudos are engaged in an ongoing, NIH-funded research project on Chagas disease. This project has generated over \$8 million in direct research funding over the past 15 years and has allowed for multiple scientific research exchanges between the U.S. and Argentina.

## Universidad de Buenos Aires Partnership

The instructional unit in the College of Medicine at the Universidad de Buenos Aires, located in Garrahan Children's Hospital, receives and mentors UGA pre-med interns who participate in the UGA en Buenos Aires study abroad program. This partnership also provides a foundation for other opportunities for exchange between UGA and the Universidad de Buenos Aires.