

 PATAGONIA, CHILE



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PATAGONIA EXCHANGE

Find your place in a diverse and globalized world through outdoor adventure, authentic cultural exchange, and work with inspiring community leaders in Patagonia, Chile, one of the most highly coveted, adventure destinations in the world.

Ages: 18 - 22

Length: 80 Days

September - December

Tuition: \$17,600

Scholarships and financial aid available

Come experience...

- CHILEAN CULTURE
- SERVICE & EXCHANGE ACTIVITIES
- BACKPACKING EXPEDITIONS
- WHITEWATER PADDLING
- CLOSE-KNIT COMMUNITY
- COLLEGE CREDIT AVAILABLE

*& more during Alzar Gap
Patagonia Exchange!*

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During our 80 day program you'll explore the peaks of Patagonia National Park, experience homestays in the Simpson Valley, learn whitewater paddling skills, explore the beautiful Rio Baker and more. Alzar's Base Patagonia campus allows you to find your home away from home as you build your outdoor and leadership skills. Base Patagonia also provides the perfect backdrop for optional college credit (up to 16 credits) and outdoor certification courses such as Swift Water Rescue and Wilderness First Aid. You'll be living alongside adventurous peers from around the world who are ready to explore during this once-in-a-lifetime gap year.





ROCKY MOUNTAINS, IDAHO



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WINTER IN THE ROCKIES

Come explore the American West with Winter in the Rockies. You will engage with one of the top ski resorts in the area to learn about the winter sports industry while developing new skills. Your days will be filled with skiing or snowboarding, beautiful backcountry exploration, and earning valuable outdoor certifications.

Ages: 18 - 22

Length: 45 Days

February - March

Tuition: \$8,800

Scholarships and financial aid available

Come experience...

- ALPINE SKIING & SNOWBOARDING
- LEVEL 1 SKI OR SNOWBOARD INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION
- WILDERNESS FIRST RESPONDER CERTIFICATION
- CPR/AED CERTIFICATION

*& more during
Winter in the Rockies*

WINTER IN THE ROCKIES

With its wide variety of terrain, the Rockies offer the perfect playground for winter in the West. The Winter in the Rockies program provides adventure for participants of all abilities. Our team of highly-skilled instructors and local partners will guide you through alpine skiing/snowboarding experiences in beautiful locations. Over 45 days, you will have the opportunity to ski or snowboard every day, earn valuable certifications and learn necessary skills to work in the winter sports industry. In addition to technical experience, you will learn how to manage risk, group dynamics, and medical emergencies and develop the skills to facilitate transformative experiences in a variety of environments. Participants live in yurts on Alzar's 370 acre campus, providing the perfect base camp for your adventure.





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 **ROCKY MOUNTAINS, IDAHO**



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ROCKIES TO PATAGONIA

Come explore both hemispheres for an unforgettable gap experience. The program focuses on outdoor adventure, leadership training, and cultural exchange while giving you valuable outdoor industry training in the American West and Patagonia, Chile. You'll work with inspiring leaders in the outdoor industry and conservation movement and adventure with peers and mentors from across the country.

Ages: 18 - 22

Length: 80 Days

February - April

Tuition: \$17,600

Scholarships and financial aid available

Come experience...

- ALPINE SKIING & SNOWBOARDING
- LEVEL 1 SKI OR SNOWBOARD INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION
- WILDERNESS FIRST RESPONDER & CPR/AED CERTIFICATION
- CHILEAN CULTURAL IMMERSION
- BACKPACKING EXPEDITIONS

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ROCKIES TO PATAGONIA

You'll explore both the American West and Patagonia, Chile over 80 days of adventure. Our team of highly-skilled instructors and local partners will guide you through alpine skiing/snowboarding, backpacking, and cultural exchange experiences in the Rocky Mountain West and in Patagonia, Chile. Along the way, you will earn certifications in wilderness medicine and ski/snowboard instruction. In addition to technical experience, you will learn how to manage risk, group dynamics, and medical emergencies and develop the skills to facilitate transformative experiences in a variety of backcountry and front-country environments. When you're not out on expeditions, Alzar's campuses in Idaho and Patagonia provide the perfect backdrop for optional college courses (up to 16 credits).

WEEKS 1-6

February - March

Idaho Rockies

- *Level 1 Ski/Snowboard Instructor Certification*
- *Wilderness First Responder Certification*
- *CPR/AED Certification*



WEEKS 7-11

March - April

Patagonia, Chile

- *Cultural immersion*
- *Homestays with local families*
- *Parque Patagonia Expeditions*

