La Universidad de los Andes

Bogotá, Colombia
Bogotá: An Andean city

The Uniandes campus is located at the foothills of the Andes, in the heart of the cultural and historic neighborhood of Colombia’s capital city.
• Colombia is located at the northern-most side of the South American continent, where South and Central America join
• Colombia shares a border with three other Andean nations, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela
• Colombia shares the Amazon basin with its Portuguese-speaking neighbor, Brazil
• The 48 million inhabitants of Colombia are an ethnically diverse population
• Bogotá sits at the foothills of the Andes
The Uniandes Campus

The Uniandes is one of Latin America’s most highly acclaimed universities and is commonly ranked **among the top 5 institutions** in the Spanish-speaking world. It is located on a modern campus within walking distance of Bogotá’s historical district and administrative center. State of the art facilities afford Wesleyan students the unique opportunity to engage fully in the curricular and extra-curricular life of this prestigious institution, in the heart of one of Latin America’s most vibrant cultural capitals.

Left and right: examples of campus architecture and views out over downtown Bogotá, from the center of the campus; below: the eje ambiental, a pedestrian walkway that leads from the entrance to the campus through downtown Bogotá.
The Uniandes libraries

Uniandes students make good use of their library system, with its comfortable work spaces and rich collection of books and learning resources.
La Facultad de Bellas Artes Studio Arts Department

The Uniandes curriculum offers a full range of enrollment options in the Arts, Humanities, Social and Natural Sciences, and Math

Below center: Photography lab; below right: painting studio
La Facultad de Música / Music Department

Wesleyan students enroll directly along with their Colombian counterparts in courses taught by the top rated Uniandes faculty

Right: Posters announcing performances and concerts sponsored by the Uniandes music department; below left, an on-campus performance space; below right: a group of musicians preparing for an outdoor concert on the Uniandes campus
Computer labs
Athletic and Recreational Facilities

Students who take advantage of the rich array of extracurricular activities tend to make rapid inroad into Colombian life. They also make great progress in their command of the Spanish language.
Break-out spaces in and around campus

Wesleyan students have great opportunities for interacting with their Colombian counterparts informally, between classes.
Bogotá, Colombia’s cultural and political capital

*Colombia and Latin America’s cultural heritage is captured richly in the city’s architecture and in the many museums and cultural sites that make Bogotá a uniquely valuable place to study.*

Clockwise, from upper left: Downtown Bogotá - Bogotá’s historic district – the Centro de la Memoria – an artifact from the Gold Museum – Museum of Contemporary Art
The expert and caring staff at the Uniandes Oficina de Internacionalización attends to our students’ curricular and housing needs and is ready and prepared to help make sure that Wesleyan students make the most of their experience in Colombia.

- For more information on how to apply, contact our Office of Study Abroad at studyabroad@wesleyan.edu.
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