



# All Things Ignatian



## Encuentro Dominicano: the Spirit of Ignatius in Action in the Dominican Republic

Encuentro Dominicano is an intensive living and learning semester-long program, which combines classroom study with real world experience. Its purpose is to expose students to the realities of life in a developing country through direct cultural interaction. True immersion in the culture requires giving of yourself, stretching your boundaries, speaking the language, and having fun at the same time. This is an amazing opportunity to learn outside of the classroom and to have a different lens to view the world.



Gecko at the ILAC Center



Creighton University ILAC Center – where students live & study

- A semester program of study and service on the island of Hispaniola in the Caribbean
- Creighton's own program; hence no problems with transferring credit, use of student loans & scholarships
- Emphasis on reflecting on and sharing experiences within a faith context
- Possibility of fulfilling at least two, and up to five core requirements
- Many opportunities to become acquainted with the Dominicans, including two immersion experiences

- Opportunities for service in orphanages, hospitals, urban schools, soup kitchens, homes for the elderly, and afterschool homework programs
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Creighton students on service sites– Cien Fuegos, Santiago (left) & Caritas (right)



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