

Housing Information for AU Center in Madrid

As an alternative to the required homestay housing in Madrid, AU Abroad has 5 spaces available in Spring 2019 at a student residence called RESA. Students pay rent and a partial or full meal plan *directly to RESA*. Students wishing to live at RESA need to apply on-line for one of these spots by mid-September, then confirm an offer, and pay a 700€ deposit to RESA by October 10, 2018 in order to secure housing for the Spring 2019 term. This is earlier than some of our program deadlines, so if students would only like to confirm RESA housing if they're sure they've been accepted by AU Abroad, then they must complete their study abroad application early and before stated deadlines.

Details:

Location: Claudio Coello Street 141, Madrid, Spain 28006

Neighborhood: Salamanca

Closest metro stops: Rubén Darío, Núñez de Balboa, or Gregorio Marañón

Costs paid directly to RESA for housing:

- 200 € application fee
 - Due at time of on-line application; credited toward housing fee if accepted
- 700 € deposit
 - Due within 1 week of offer or by 10/10/2019 whichever is earlier; no extensions allowed; returned at end of rental if no damages are found
- 1,433 €/month for half board or 1,558 €/month for full board

Includes:

- 1 "habitación individual" i.e. single room with bed, desk, closet, private bathroom, mini kitchen with microwave and cabinets (no stovetop/oven)
- Half or full board (meal plan). Half board is 20 breakfasts and 20 lunches or dinners per month. Full board is 20 breakfasts and 40 lunches or dinners per month
- 2 weekly room cleanings; change of sheets 1/week
- Laundry facilities (washers and dryers are 2€ per machine)
- Gym open from 7am-11pm
- Separate group and individual study spaces
- Student lounge access
- Access to RESA hub group that organizes social and cultural activities for residents

Once you commit with RESA you cannot switch to the homestay option. If you get kicked out of RESA housing, AU Abroad cannot provide you with a homestay family.

Claudio Coello residence website: https://www.resa.es/es/residencias/madrid/residencia- universitaria-claudio-coello/residencia/

^{*}Note: Prices quoted are in Euros (€). As of 8/3/18, 1€ = \$1.17USD

Follow these instructions *exactly* while applying on-line:

- 1) Click on ES in top right-hand corner and click on English.
- 2) Select the radio button for "Intermediate Stay (1-month minimum)" and the select "Course 2018/2019"
 - a. Select check in date of 01/14/2019 for Iberian/Intensive Spanish programs or 01/08/2019 for Madrid Business Program or Comillas Direct Enroll programs
 - b. Select check out date of 05/05/2019 for Iberian/Intensive Spanish programs or 05/24/2019 for Madrid Business Program or Comillas Direct Enroll programs
- 3) Under Type of Room select "single room" and click "Add." Note this is the only room type RESA has made available to AU students
- 4) If you wish to switch from half board to full board, click to add the full board option.
- 5) Choose if you wish to pay monthly or in one single payment
- 6) At bottom of page click "Continue. Personal data"
- 7) Complete personal data form.
- 8) Under current occupation, select "student" and then select "college"
 - a. What university do you study at? Select "otro"
 - b. Which degree are you studying? Select "otro"
 - c. What are you going to do during your stay? Select "study"
 - d. What are you going to study? Select "college"
 - e. Where are you going to study? Select "otro"
 - f. Which degree are you going to study? Select "otro"
 - g. Which school year are you going to study?
 - i. If you will be a sophomore while in Madrid, select "2°"
 - ii. If you will be a junior while in Madrid, select "3° "
 - iii. If you will be a senior while in Madrid, select "4° "
 - h. *IMPORTANT* In where? Write in "American University Center in Madrid"
- 9) Click "continue" and proceed to the page where you pay the 200 € application fee

After your application is submitted, you will hear back from RESA within one week. Then upon approval, you will be given a contract to sign and instructions to pay a 700 € deposit. You must sign the contract and pay the deposit within one week of receiving the offer or by 10/10/2019, whichever is earlier.