Go Next, Inc. is a qualified people-to-people sponsoring organization allowed to conduct educational exchanges in Cuba.

TRIP SCHOLAR:
Agnes Lugo-Ortiz

ONLY 25 SPACES AVAILABLE!
AUTHENTIC CUBA AWAITS!

NOW IS THE TIME TO DISCOVER THIS ISLAND’S RICH HISTORY & CULTURE

ONLY 25 SPACES AVAILABLE!
Dear Alumni, Parents, Families, and Friends,

Cradled between the Atlantic Ocean and Caribbean Sea, just 90 miles from Florida, lies an island of pivotal history and lush natural beauty, of rich artistic tradition and architectural grandeur. Off-limits to most American travelers for half a century, Cuba—one of the world’s most enigmatic countries—is ready for you to unravel its mysteries.

As diplomatic relations between Cuba and the U.S. continue to develop, now is the perfect time to experience this long-isolated nation on the verge of great transformation. Join us on an extraordinary people-to-people exchange, specially designed to reveal the authentic spirit and culture of Cuba—where 1950s-era automobiles still roll past magnificent Spanish colonial buildings. Together we’ll encounter the true heart and soul of this colorful country by engaging with the diverse, inspiring people who call it home. From artists and students to entrepreneurs, you will connect with a variety of citizens to gain real insight into Cuba’s intriguing past, present, and future. Throughout this week-long journey, you’ll explore the island firsthand, with insider access to unique cultural experiences and off-the-beaten-path sites you won’t find on the typical tourist’s itinerary. Whether visiting a private artist studio in lively Havana, the remote eco-village Las Terrazas, or the beautifully preserved colonial cities of Trinidad and Cienfuegos, each destination will spark meaningful interactions and memories that last a lifetime.

With only enough space for up to 25 travelers, this trip will fill up quickly. Don’t miss the chance to immerse yourself in the fascinating heritage of Cuba, one of the most complex and vibrant nations in the world, during a time of historic change.

Sincerely,

Kate Heilman
Associate Director, Travel and Education
Alumni Association

Agnes Lugo-Ortiz is associate professor of Latin American and Caribbean literatures at the University of Chicago. Having earned her BA from the University of Puerto Rico at Río Piedras and her PhD from Princeton, Lugo-Ortiz examines the relationship between culture and politics in 19th-century Latin America and the modern Caribbean, paying special attention to nationalism, gender, race, and sexuality. She is the author of Identidades imaginadas: Biografía y nacionalidad en el horizonte de la guerra (Cuba, 1860–1898) and coeditor of Herencia: The Anthology of Hispanic Literature of the United States, Recovering the US Hispanic Literary Heritage, and Slave Portraiture in the Atlantic World.

SPACE IS LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM OF 25 PARTICIPANTS

For information about logistics or registration, call GO NEXT at 800.842.9023
For information about the University of Chicago Alumni Travel Program, call 773.702.2157 or email alumnitravel@uchicago.edu
We strongly suggest purchasing travel insurance. Travel insurance information will be sent to you by the University of Chicago Alumni Association with your confirmation letter.

AIRCRAFT BOARDING: The air carrier reserves the right to substitute equipment but is not obliged to do so. GN reserves the right to substitute air carriers but is not obliged to do so. GN CANNOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR AIRLINE DELAYS.

LUGGAGE RESTRICTIONS.

AIRLINE BAGGAGE FEES WILL BE ADDITIONAL. ALL FLIGHTS HAVE CARRIER, HOTEL, AND TO YOUR OWN INSURANCE COMPANY. DAMAGED LUGGAGE. YOU SHOULD GIVE IMMEDIATE NOTICE OF OR RELATED TO YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY. SOME AIRLINE-IMPOSED FEES MAY BE ADDITIONAL, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SPECIFY THE INTERNATIONAL CHARTER AIR CARRIER AND ROUTING.

From ticketing. Travel participants who choose to make their dates, or airline schedule(s). After tickets are issued, penalties up to 100% of penalties incurred as a result of program cancellation and/or change in travel dates. airline reservations with Go Next will be responsible for any airline fees or

TRAVELER RESPONSIBILITY: GN has been issued a specific locality by the U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (hereinafter OFAC) to organize and conduct a program consisting of a full-time schedule of educational exchanges that will result in meaningful interaction between the travelers and individuals in Cuba. U.S. law requires that GN reserves the right to specify the international charter air carrier and routing. all non-refundable costs, restricted travel or frequent flyer tickets. Neither GN nor the AG for which this program was developed are responsible for any personal injury, property damage or any other loss, claim or damage arising out of, or in whole or in part, acts of God, weather, labor strife, government actions, mechanical breakdowns, war-like acts, terrorist activities or other causes reasonably beyond the respective control of GN and the AG for which this program was developed. GN and the AG for which this program was developed are not responsible for incidental or consequential losses.

Neither GN nor the AG for which this program was developed are responsible for any personal injury, loss or inconvenience resulting from air or land arrangements, except as specified in this agreement. GN reserves the right to increase prices in the event any traveler does not adhere to this full-time schedule. GN will require the traveler to leave the travel program and may result in legal penalties for the traveler. OFAC may require the submission of a report from each participant concerning the activities undertaken pursuant to GN's license. Each participant is required to keep a record of all transactions undertaken pursuant to GN's license for a period of at least five years from the date of travel.

PAYMENT: A deposit in the amount shown on the reservation form and a written agreement for each person is required to secure reservations. Final payment is due as shown on the reservation form. If space is fully booked, your payment will be returned or, with your authorization, your name placed on a waiting list. ALL CHECKS AND MONEY ORDERS ARE TO BE MADE PAYABLE AS INDICATED ON THE RESERVATION FORM. CONFIRMATION IS SUBJECT TO RECEIPT BY GN OF DEPOSIT AND A SIGNED AGREEMENT TO THE ITINERARY.

PRICES: GN RESERVES THE RIGHT TO INCREASE PRICES IN THE EVENT OF ANY INCREASED SECURITY OR FUEL RELATED SURCHARGES, OR AIRFARE INCREASES IMPOSED BY THE AIRLINE THAT MAY BE IN PLACE AT THE TIME OF TICKETING OR TRAVEL, FOR EXAMPLE, FEDERAL TAX INCREASES, OR ADVERSE CURRENCY EXCHANGE FLUCTUATIONS, AFTER JANUARY 01, 2015. GN RESERVES THE RIGHT, IF NECESSARY OR ADVISABLE, TO SUBSTITUTE HOTELS BUT IS NOT OBLIGED TO DO SO.

The price is based on tariffs in effect for estimated 2016 prices as of January 01, 2015. Prices increase every year, and it is therefore possible that increases could occur after the printing of this brochure and in advance of your departure.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: Airfares are capacity controlled and may have restrictive terms and conditions. Participants who make their domestic airline reservations with Go Next will be responsible for any airline fees or penalties incurred as a result of program cancellation and/or change in travel dates, or airline schedule(s). After tickets are issued, penalties can be 100% of the ticket may be assessed for cancellations or canceled after ticketing. Travel participants who choose to make their own domestic airline reservations independent of Go Next, will be wholly responsible for any airline fees or penalties incurred as a result of program cancellation and/or change in travel dates, or airline schedule(s). GN reserves the right to specify the international charter air carrier and routing.

Some airline-imposed fees may be additional, including but not limited to baggage, priority boarding, and special seating.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: Airfares are capacity controlled and subject to change. All information contained herein is subject to change. Go Next is not responsible or liable for typographical errors, omissions or mistakes.
RESERVE YOUR CUBAN DISCOVERY TRIP TODAY!

CUBAN DISCOVERY $5,499 per person, double occupancy;  □ Single occupancy, add $900

Hotel bed request:
Check one:  □ Twin (2 beds)  □ Double (1 bed)  Accommodation requests are subject to hotel availability.

Crowne Plaza Miami International Airport hotel check-in is at 3pm.

You may contact Go Next to arrange domestic Miami flights (a $35 administrative fee per reservation will apply).

All passengers must travel with a passport valid at least 6 months beyond their return date.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>GUEST 1: Full Name (as it appears on your passport)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>□ M</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>□ F</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Title</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>First</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Middle</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Last</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Preferred name</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Main Phone ( )</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Alternate Phone ( )</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Email Address</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mailing Address</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>City</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>State</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ZIP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY) / /</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Country of Birth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Citizenship</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Passport Number</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Place of Issuance</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Passport Issue Date / /</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Passport Exp. Date / /</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mother's maiden name</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>GUEST 2: Full Name (as it appears on your passport)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>□ M</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>□ F</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Title</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>First</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Middle</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Last</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Preferred name</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Main Phone ( )</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Alternate Phone ( )</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Email Address</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mailing Address</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>City</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>State</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ZIP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY) / /</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Country of Birth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Citizenship</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Passport Number</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Place of Issuance</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Passport Issue Date / /</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Passport Exp. Date / /</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mother's maiden name</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SIGNATURES REQUIRED BY EACH PERSON TRAVELING INCLUDING PARENT/GUARDIAN FOR MINOR CHILDREN: I/We have read, received a copy of, understand, and accept the terms and conditions stated in the Operator/Participant Agreement. By signing this, I/we also agree to participate in all scheduled educational exchange activities approved by OFAC and I/we understand that there is no deviating from the daily schedule.

SIGN HERE X

DEPOSIT AND FINAL PAYMENT: A deposit of $950 per person is due with your reservation application.

Make checks payable to Go Next. Full payment is required by November 30, 2015. Reservations received after this date must be accompanied with full payment.

Please reserve _________ space(s). Enclosed is my/our deposit for $ _______

Deposits may be made by credit card; however, all FINAL payments are required to be made by check or cash.

I/We authorize Go Next, Inc. to charge my/our deposit for $ _______ to: □ Visa □ MasterCard

Name (as it appears on your credit card) ____________________________________________________________________________________

SIGN HERE X □ Billing address same as above

Billing Address (if different from above) _________________________________________________________________________________

Card Number _________________________________________________________ Security Code __________ Exp. Date _______|_______

Making a deposit or acceptance or use of any vouchers, tickets, goods, or services shall be deemed consent to and acceptance of the terms and conditions stated in the applicable Operator/Participant Agreement, including limitations on responsibility and liability.
WHY TRAVEL TO CUBA WITH Go next?

SINCE 2013, Go Next travelers have embarked on outstanding people-to-people trips, each helping the dream of experiencing Cuba transform into reality. Now it’s your turn. Journey with Go Next, the leader in alumni travel to this island nation, and watch your vision of Cuba come to vivid life. Let us show you the best of this long-forbidden country—its authentic glory, fascinating culture, and architectural majesty—while enhancing your adventure with these benefits of traveling with Go Next:

• Privileged access to the premier hotels, motor coaches, and seasoned local guides
• Enriching and informative program, thoughtfully crafted to include an ideal mix of renowned attractions and off-the-beaten-path sites
• Smaller group size, allowing for a more rewarding, intimate experience
• On-location Go Next Program Manager to provide exceptional concierge support throughout your journey
• Special activities including private studio visits and expert-led tours
• Pre-trip assistance and information including an orientation guide, book and film list, and more
• All the details are covered; we obtain the Cuban visa and provide all documentation
• Discover Cuba with a like-minded group of fellow Go Next travelers

People-to-people travel dictates that all participants follow a full-time schedule focusing on educational opportunities and genuine cross-cultural connections.
HAVANA

• Enjoy a panoramic sightseeing tour and walking tour of Old Havana, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, filled with timeless Spanish colonial buildings, churches, and palm-fringed plazas.
• Embark on a guided campus tour of the University of Havana*, Cuba’s oldest university and one of the first established in the Americas, and discuss the Cuban higher education system.
• Meet with an official representative of the Office of the City Historian who will describe various aspects of Old Havana’s sustainable development, current urban planning practices, and unique historic preservation program.
• Gain insight into Cuba’s film industry and culture at the Cuban Institute of Cinematographic Art and Industry, created in 1959 to improve the quality of Cuban films—focusing on education and artistic expression.
• Experience a panoramic tour of the District of Alamar, a 1970s social housing project of Soviet-style concrete apartments—that today is home to thousands of Cubans.
• Chat with locals about organic farming at Organopónico Vivero Alamar, one of Havana’s largest and most successful cooperative urban gardens.
• See how art can transform a neighborhood at Muraleando, a vibrant community outreach project founded by local residents.
• Travel south of Havana to Las Terrazas, a self-sustaining community and UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, surrounded by lush, forested hills.
  – Get a rare glimpse into rural Cuba’s medical services at a local clinic.
  – Sample coffee at Café Maria, where the owner and her family welcome visitors and explain the role of coffee in Cuba’s culture.
  – Visit the lakeside studio of Lester Campa, a celebrated landscape artist whose pieces reflect political and environmental themes, or stop at the workshop of local artist Ariel Gato Miranda to view his unique paper recycling process.
• Visit the home of renowned ceramicist and painter José Rodríguez Fuster, known as the “Picasso of the Caribbean.” See how his creative vision has transformed the local neighborhood into a colorful, artistic landscape.
• Head to the fishing village of Cojimar, the setting for Ernest Hemingway’s book The Old Man and the Sea, and visit Finca Vigía, the mansion where he lived from 1939 to 1960.
• Explore the artist studio project La Lavandería and meet with a local artist to learn about traditional art in Cuba.
• At several dinners held in privately owned restaurants or private homes known as paladares, hear firsthand from the owners about the entrepreneurial climate in Cuba.
CIENFUEGOS
• Admire the colonial architecture of Cienfuegos, a UNESCO World Heritage Site known as the “Pearl of the South,” and see the Punta Gorda Peninsula.
• Meet with a local choir or visit an art school to discuss the role of art and music in Cuban society.
• Visit a ration store where the store manager will explain rationing, the dual-currency system, and the difference between ration stores, Cuban peso stores, and CUC stores.

TRINIDAD
• Take in the centuries-old charms of Trinidad, a Spanish colonial gem and UNESCO World Heritage Site.
• Learn about traditional ceramic techniques at the Casa del Alfarero, a pottery house founded and operated by the Santander family for generations.
• Tour a bed and breakfast where you will learn about this new entrepreneurial opportunity for Cubans, a business typically operated by the state.
• Join a Santeria practitioner at the Templo de Yemaya, and delve into the history and basic principles of this Afro-Cuban religion.

SANCTI SPIRITUS
• See the picturesque town of Sancti Spiritus, one of the original seven Cuban cities founded by the Spanish.
• Witness how a variety of produce, meat, and local products are displayed and sold with visits to an outdoor food market and industrial goods market.

SANTA CLARA
• Enjoy dance, theater, and music performances by the students at the Santa Clara Music and Performing Arts School, and hear how the performing arts have influenced Cuban life.
• Stop at the Museum and Mausoleum of Che Guevara (time permitting).

The features listed above are samples of the activities you may participate in. You will receive a detailed daily itinerary approximately 14 days prior to departure. While unlikely, slight changes to the itinerary and accommodations may occur due to Cuban government directives. *In the event a school or other venue is closed, an alternate people-to-people exchange will be scheduled.

PARTICIPANTS SHOULD BE IN GOOD PHYSICAL CONDITION. This program involves motor coach and walking tours with more than a moderate amount of walking on cobblestone streets, stairs, and uneven ground. The daily tours can include moderate to strenuous walking, primarily over natural and uneven surfaces. There are numerous steps and inclines to negotiate and many sites do not have elevators.
Guatemala, Mexico, Cuba

This map represents approximate locations.

**Program Inclusions**

**$5,499 PER PERSON, DOUBLE OCCUPANCY**

**Miami Included Features:**
- 1 night at the Crowne Plaza Miami International Airport hotel or similar accommodations
- Orientation meeting in the evening
- Exclusive local representative

**Cuba Included Features:**
- Round-trip charter flight between Miami and Havana
- 7 nights’ accommodations: 5 nights in Havana, 2 nights in Sancti Spiritus
- 19 meals: 7 breakfasts, 7 lunches, 5 dinners, including a welcome and farewell dinner in Havana (two local beverages are included with each meal)
- Transportation via private, A/C vehicles with 2 bottles of water per person, per day
- Full schedule of educational activities that result in meaningful interaction with the locals
- Certification of travel to Cuba under the U.S. Department of the Treasury general license
- All entrance fees to included tour sites
- Private English-speaking national guide
- Exclusive Go Next Program Manager
- Gratuities for restaurant staff, local guides and drivers, and luggage handling
- Insightful presentation led by a Cuban expert, providing unique commentary on the nation’s economy and culture
- Cuban travel insurance covering medical repatriation expenses only, as required by the Cuban government, valid only during your stay in Cuba

**Not Included:**
Airfare between home and Miami, passport fees, Cuban visa fee of approximately $85, Cuban departure tax of approximately $25, beverages other than those included with meals as indicated, personal expenses, optional travel insurance, baggage fees, and other items not specifically mentioned as included. The fees above are approximate and subject to change.
MELÍA COHIBA—Havana
Located in Havana’s colorful Vedado neighborhood, the modern Meliá Cohiba hotel is just a short drive from the historic heart of Old Havana. Stroll the nearby Malecón, the famed seawall stretching along Havana’s waterfront, walk to the Plaza de la Revolución, or enjoy this high-rise hotel’s variety of fine amenities and facilities, including an outdoor pool, whirlpool, solarium, gym, beauty parlor, gift shops, restaurants, and bars. In addition to Internet access and air conditioning, each comfortable guest room features a satellite TV, hair dryer, safe, and an iron and ironing board.

HOTEL PLAZA—Sancti Spiritus
Standing in the old quarter of Sancti Spiritus, near the 16th-century Parroquial Mayor—one of Cuba’s oldest churches—is Hotel Plaza, offering a memorable and authentic Cuban hotel experience. Originally built in the 19th century as a family mansion, this quaint hotel has been completely renovated to reflect its former colonial style. Take in views of the main square from its rooftop terrace, or enjoy its amenities, including a bar and restaurant. Each uniquely configured guest room comes equipped with satellite TV, air conditioning, and an in-room safe.