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# PROJECT: AFRO-COLOMBIAN STUDIES IN CARTAGENA DE INDIAS



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CARTAGENA DE INDIAS



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**Collaborative Teaching Objective:** To develop participants awareness to Afro Colombian and US Black History and Contemporary issues

## Activities



» Field visit and course on Afro Colombian and US Black History and Contemporary issues.

- Dates: May 17 to 27, 2023
- Duration: 40 hours



» Field trips:

- Slavery Route - Guided visit to Palenque. Comparison Colombia and Maroon communities in the United States
- Guided tour of the historic center, life and legacy of St. Peter Claver, slavery in Cartagena and hidden history of Afro-Colombians and indigenous people in Cartagena.



» Development:

- 4 hours per day of activities between classes on history, culture, and politics of African and indigenous peoples in Cartagena and Colombia.
- Activities and workshops between XULA and UTB students to create experiences and strengthen the learning of English and Spanish.

