



***Application for Admission to the First Year  
of the Master of Arts Degree Program in Spanish  
in Xalapa, Mexico***

This application must be submitted to the *Graduate Coordinator* in Spanish, Department of Romance Languages.

Last Name(s):

First Name:

Middle Name:

Address (Street/apartment):

City:

State:

Zip Code:

Country:

Phone number:

**STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING:**

I understand that I am using this form to apply to Bowling Green's highly selective Graduate Program in Mexico. If accepted, I understand that it will be my responsibility to resolve all my own administrative problems relating to housing, transportation, course registration, and illness while in Mexico.

I also realize that I must pay my general and registration fees (currently \$468) and also a program fee (currently \$500), as well as the application for the AYA-Mexico fee of \$30. If I am awarded an assistantship I will receive a tuition waiver and a stipend to cover most basic living expenses depending on individual needs and lifestyles.

I have read and understand the above Statement of Understanding.

Signature:

Date:

Please write below and on additional pages if necessary, in your best Spanish, an essay containing the answers to the following questions.

- 1 How will this year in México help you meet your personal goals for your future?
- 2 Why do you prefer México in particular?
- 3 What knowledge of México's civilization and culture do you already possess?
- 4 What is there about you that makes you stand out? Why should we select you over other candidates possibly equally well-qualified?