## Spend Christmas Break 2014 in Spain with Professor Sienkewicz

for academic credit \$2795.00\* December 27, 2014—January 6, 2015

## Register for CLAS290 (2<sup>nd</sup> half semester in fall 2014, for .25): Roman Spain

An additional .25 credit is available in spring semester with a research paper component. Price (subject to change based upon number of participants) includes airfare from Chicago, museum and site admissions, ground transportation and lodging in Spain, daily breakfasts and one dinner.

The course will include guided visits to: Roman archaeological sites and museums in Barcelona, Tarragona, Cordova, Merida, Segovia, and Madrid. Also visits to Sagrada Familia in Barcelona, the Alhambra Palace and the Generalife in Granada, and the Royal Palace and the Prado in Madrid. For more information contact: Prof. Tom Sienkewicz, Wallace 101, x2371, tisienkewicz@monmouthcollege.edu



MC in Spain 2012 at Roman Theatre in Merida

## **Comments from previous participants:**

Merissa Lewiston, '14: "Spending nine days in Spain was a mind-bending experience. Here in the midwest our culture goes back thousands of year but there are almost no remnants of it. In Spain the past is all around you, waiting to be rediscovered." Kelly Klikas '13: "My favorite place in Spain was Barcelona; the city was a beautiful bustling place full of things to do and eat and see at any time of day. I felt like I was living in a different time walking through the city because the area we stayed in was all narrow streets with few cars and people selling amazingly fresh produce. At the same time the moment the sun set the nightlife lit up. I can only describe it as amazing, I can't wait to go back."

Kyle Warwick '14: "Being in a different culture was unnerving at first. Different sights, smells, sounds. But once I looked past all that, I realized that people are people. Then Spain got fun, Barcelona's clubs, ancient Roman ruins, and museums galore. I cannot wait to go back"

Mary Bohlander '13: "There is no possible way for pictures and a few blurbs to really describe the experience of going to another country, the experience of interacting with materials and places that are 3 or 4 times older than our own country! EVERYONE should go explore the world !"

James Rosse '13: "When going to Spain the first thing I noticed was the mingling of the past and the present. The interplay between the two was amazing. You could be looking at an ancient Roman ruin but across the street see a cafe serving lunch or a store selling electronics. To see the mixing of cultures was great."