



Resource personnel (staff, discussion leaders, teachers)

Organizers: Oliver Espinoza

Resident Teachers:

Glenn Cripe

Hernando Carvalho

Joanna Gabriela Guerra (?)

Guest Teachers:

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Program

Day 1 - Arrival

- 14:00 -- 17:00 Camp arrival and check-in
- 17:00 -- 17:30 Welcome, teacher introductions + rules of the camp
- 17:30 -- 18:30 Student introductions
- 18:30 -- 19:00 Integration Activity
- 19:00 -- 22:00 Dinner (BBQ?) + campfire/cocktail/...

Day 2

- 09:00 -- 10:00 Breakfast
- 10:00 -- 11:00 Session 1 (Glenn): History of Classical Liberal Thinking, Pt I: Liberty in England 1770-1790
- 11:00 -- 11:15 Coffee Break
- 11:15 -- 12:15 Session 2 (Hernando): Natural Social Economy: The magic of Human Action
- 12:15 -- 13:00 Small group discussions
- 13:00 -- 14:30 Lunch, free time
- 14:30 -- 15:30 Session 3: Entrepreneurship and Abundance
- 15:30 -- 18:00 Workshops/games
- 18:00 -- 19:30 Free time, staff meeting
- 19:30 -- 22:00 Dinner

Day 3

- 09:00 -- 10:00 Breakfast
- 10:00 -- 11:00 Session 1 (Glenn): History of CLT, part 2 -- Liberty in England & France, 1840 - 1860
- 11:00 -- 11:15 Coffee Break
- 11:15 -- 12:15 Session 2 (Hernando): The Libertarian Currents: Anarchy, agorism, minarchism, etc
- 12:15 -- 13:00 Small group discussions
- 13:00 -- 14:30 Lunch, free time
- 14:30 -- 15:30 Session 3



- 15:30 – 18:00 Workshops/games
- 18:00 -- 19:30 Free time, staff meeting
- 19:30 – 20:30 Dinner
- 20:30 – 21:30 Student Debate: Politics in your country / city / ...

Day 4

- 09:00 -- 10:00 Breakfast
- 10:00 -- 10:45 Session 1 (Glenn): History of CLT, part 3 -- Liberty in Europe and USA, 1940 - 1960
- 10:45 – 11:30 Session 2: Libertarian Law
- 11:30 – 11:45 Break
- 11:45 -- 13:00 Session 3
- 13:00 -- 15:00 Lunch, free time
- 15:00 -- 19:30 Group activity (Hiking, swimming, working on projects, resting)
- 19:30 – 22:00 Dinner

Day 5

- 09:00 -- 10:00 Breakfast
- 10:00 – 11:00 Session 1 (Glenn): What Makes Some Countries Rich, and Some Poor?
- 11:00 -- 11:15 Break
- 11:15 -- 13:00 (Hernando) - Free Cities Workshop
- 13:00 -- 14:30 Lunch
- 14:30 – 17:30 Student presentations from workshops
- 17:30 -- 18:00 Closing remarks -- what to do next? (Glenn, etc)
- 18:00 -- 18:30 Graduation
- 18:30 – 19:30 Free time, staff meeting
- 19:30 – ?? Closing dinner (BBQ?), talent show, campfire

Day 6

- 09:00 -- 10:00 Breakfast
- 10:00 -- 18:00 Checkout, departure

Evenings may include student debates, presentations by SFL or other guests, talent show, BBQ, campfire.

Venue characteristics:

Venue rules:

For added flexibility, we will organize 1-2 shopping trips to a nearby market, where students can buy anything extra they may need (food, snacks, beer, wine, etc).

We will put a full menu online one week before the camp, after we have made final plans with the caterer.

For those with special dietary needs, please give us details when you register, or send us an email asap so we can notify the caterer.



Notes, assumptions

Students are “beginners”, i.e., new to liberal thinking and looking for a “boot camp” to give them the basics, plus practical workshops about how to use these ideas in real life, like starting a business, plus practice with English conversation, including a 2-minute presentation to the whole group.

What we (fortunately) find in practice – some students are already knowledgeable about the ideas, maybe comfortable with public speaking, but in their own language.

Liberty Camp provides a unique environment to explore and develop all these skills in a friendly, informal, international atmosphere.

Topics should include

Job / wealth creation

Great freedom fighters: John Locke, Adam Smith, J.S. Mill, Bastiat, Rand, Hayek, Mises

Origin of rights and proper role of government

Morality of capitalism

Altruism vs. Egoism

Individualism vs. Collectivism

The Trader Principle / Meaning of Money

What is Seen and What is Not Seen

Myths of capitalism and liberalism and how to counter them

How classical liberal ideas can apply to your own life, and give you tools to develop your potential, and make you happier and more productive and successful

Bitcoin

Creative destruction

Opportunity cost

Rent-seeking

Economic harmonies

Rules and recommendations:

- Activities will start on time. People are expected to be on time.
- Get attendees' and teachers' medical insurance information prior to the event.
- Get attendees' and teachers' allergy information.
- People are not expected to leave the venue unless agreed upon with the coordinator.
- Designate the beds in advance. Communicate in advance.
- Have one big towel and one small towel per person. Have extra towels.
- Have water, coffee and drinks available at all times in a designated area.
- No food outside the designated area. Meals are to be consumed in the common dining area. Snacks, in the snack table.
- Have a garbage disposal policy.
- Have a cleaning policy.
- Have a silence policy (what hours, what spaces, ...)



- Make a list of suggestions of what people should bring to the camp.
 - sunscreen
 - soap? shampoo?
 - bathing suit?
 - Something for taking notes? Will this be provided?
 - Possible medicines needed for the entire trip
- Make the program available beforehand so students can be ready for the talent show, the topics, the activities.
- Phone use policy