

RUBRIC FOR EVALUATING STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM PROVIDERS

| Program Criteria | 4. Meets All Requirements | 3. Meets Most Requirements | 2. Some Requirements Unmet | 1. Does not meet Requirements |
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| Academic Quality - Rigor - Fit (GE, Major) - Staffing | Program has an excellent plan for in-class and enrichment activities for a quality learning experience that complements campus-based programs with excellent staffing. | Program has a good plan for in-class and/or enrichment activities that may complement campus-based programs with good staffing. | Program lacks a clear plan for in-class and/or enrichment activities, link to majors/GE unclear with semi-adequate staffing. | Program has serious gaps for in-class and/or enrichment activities, link to majors/GE unclear or no link at all with inadequate staffing. |
| Appeal to Students - Distinctive - Desirable - Economical | Program provides a unique overseas experience, does not duplicate existing programs at an affordable cost to students. | Program provides a good overseas experience, does not duplicate existing programs at a manageable cost to students. | Program shows some evidence of a good experience but may overlap with existing programs or offers little to attract students. Costly. | Program shows little regard for student experience, breaks no new ground, very costly and is a poor value for students. |
| Logistics -Calendar -Lodging -Travel | Program calendar is suitable; demonstrates a well-conceived plan for travel to and around the site of program; good lodging arrangement with support staff; all needed agreements in place. | Program has a suitable calendar and a good plan for travel to and around the program site, adequate lodging arrangement with support staff; .essential needed agreements in place | Program has an uneven plan that neglects to specify aspects of travel to and around the program site, lodging arrangement inadequate or has inadequate support staff; lacking essential agreements. | Program has major gaps regarding travel to and around the program site, both lodging arrangement and support staff inadequate; needed agreements are completely lacking. |
| Risk Management - Health -Security -Emergency Contacts | Program demonstrates a well-conceived plan for managing risks and dealing with foreseeable health and security emergencies. | Program demonstrates some planning for managing risks and dealing with health and security emergencies. | Program has significant gaps in its plan for risk management and dealing with health and security emergencies. | Program lacks a risk management plan and pays little or no attention to important health and security contingencies. |
| Overall Feasibility | A highly feasible, high quality study abroad experience. | Feasible, quality study abroad experience. | Significant issues of feasibility and/or quality. | Major issues of feasibility and/or quality. |