

EMORY SUMMER STUDY ABROAD 2008

Center for International Programs Abroad

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

I. PREREQUISITES:

Some programs have preconditions for approval of applications, so you must meet or plan to meet the specified prerequisites for the program to which you are applying. In addition, CIPA requires that all applicants to Emory Summer Study Abroad programs:

- A. Have and maintain at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA.
- B. Be in good academic standing.
- C. Be at least 18 years of age.
- D. Be currently enrolled and will have completed the first full year at Emory prior to summer study abroad.

WAIVER: If you do not meet criteria A, B, or D, you can petition for a waiver by:

- A. Obtaining two letters from faculty members supporting your request for a waiver of the specific criteria.
- B. Addressing your request for a waiver in your application essay – give specific reasons that support your application to study abroad despite not meeting the specified pre-requisite, such as GPA requirement.

II. APPLICATION: DEADLINES and PROCESS

Applications will be accepted starting **January 2, 2008**. Applicants must submit to CIPA the Emory Summer Study Abroad Application with all accompanying documents and a \$350 non-refundable deposit. The entire application must be complete for you to be considered for summer study abroad. The final deadline for receipt of applications is **March 3, 2008**. Some programs generally close before the end of January, so early application is advised. Depending on the program, applications are either considered on a rolling basis in order of receipt or periodically reviewed as a group. Once programs are full, applicants will be placed on a waiting list. Late applications will be considered for those programs not yet full. *NOTE: Iberian Studies typically closes before the end of January and other programs may fill up early, so early application is advised.* If you need to cancel your application for any reason, you must do so **in writing** to Margie Fishman, Summer Study Abroad Coordinator, no later than **March 15, 2008**. After this date, in addition to the non-refundable \$350 deposit, other fees will be charged to your student account for unrecoverable expenses paid on your behalf. Please see the Refund Policy for further details.

To complete the application process, please submit the following to the Center for International Programs Abroad by the stated deadline. Incomplete applications will not be accepted!

- SUMMER STUDY ABROAD APPLICATION FORM – attached (original + 1 copy)**
- ESSAY (original + 1 copy)**
Describe your academic reasons for choosing this particular program and how your overseas experience will contribute to your overall academic plan at Emory. The essay should be typed, double-spaced, and no more than two pages.
- TRANSCRIPT (original + 1 copy)**
Include an unofficial copy of your Emory transcript printed from OPUS. **PLEASE NOTE:** Grades from the **Fall 2007 semester** must be posted on your transcript in order to be accepted into any summer program. If the Fall 2007 grades are not present on the transcript, the application will not be processed and will be returned to you. When the application is re-submitted with the correct transcript, the date of receipt will be this date and not when the application was submitted the first time.
- \$350 DEPOSIT**
This deposit is required to process your application and will be applied toward the program balance. The check should be made payable to "Emory University." The deposit is non-refundable unless you are not accepted to your chosen summer study abroad program. The check will be deposited upon receipt of application.
- PASSPORT PHOTOCOPY (original + 1 copy)**
CIPA requires a photocopy of the inside picture page of your passport prior to departure. Please submit a photocopy with this application. If you do not have a valid passport (or if your passport will expire within six months of the end date of your program), you should apply for one immediately due to long processing times, and bring a copy to CIPA when you receive it. Please include a note of explanation with your application if you are unable to submit a copy at this time. For instructions on applying for or renewing a passport, visit www.travel.state.gov.

Please return the COMPLETED application materials to Margie Fishman, Summer Study Abroad Coordinator, CIPA, Emory University, 1385 Oxford Road, Atlanta, GA 30322.

III. IMPORTANT INFORMATION YOU NEED TO KNOW BEFORE GOING ABROAD

FINANCIAL AID, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND TRAVEL GRANTS: Emory and Oxford College students currently receiving need-based financial aid are typically eligible for a summer study abroad award. The amount of the award depends on the number of credits taken on the program and the student's current financial aid package. Students can contact the Office of Financial Aid if they have any questions about their eligibility for a summer aid award.

If you are intending to use a **loan** to finance your summer study abroad program, you should start the application process as soon as possible after acceptance to the program. Approval of the loan must be received by the Office of Financial Aid no later than the summer study abroad payment deadline; otherwise, your participation on the program may be jeopardized if your program is not paid in full by this deadline.

Eligible students may apply their Courtesy and Ministerial Scholarships toward the academic fee/tuition portion of the program cost.

Emory Scholars are informed separately about the procedures for Scholar Summer Study Abroad awards and should check the Scholars Conference on LearnLink for additional details.

A competitive **CIPA Summer Study Abroad Travel Grant** is also available for study in non-traditional locations, intensive language studies, and science studies. Up to 19 grants will be awarded each summer (approximately 15 non-traditional location grants, 2 intensive language grants, and 2 science grants). Funding ranges from \$1,000 to \$2,000, depending on the program location. The exact amount will be determined by the Selection Committee. You are eligible if you are an Emory College student with a minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average. You must have applied and been accepted to an eligible Emory summer program (see below) and return to Emory for at least one semester after completing the program.

- o For the **non-traditional location** grant, eligible students must currently be receiving need-based financial aid and have been accepted to an Emory summer program in one of the following countries: Argentina, Botswana, China, Israel, Japan, Morocco, Namibia, Western Samoa/Vanuatu, Russia, or Turkey.
- o For the **intensive language** grant, eligible programs are intensive language and culture programs with either a minimum of 15 class hours per week OR at least 10 class hours per week PLUS living in a host family during the course of the program. Students must have completed at least one 300-level language course before the start of the program and have been accepted to one of the following Emory summer programs: Arabic Language, French Studies, German Studies, Iberian Studies, Japanese Studies, Latin American Cultural Studies, or Russian Studies.
- o For the **science studies** grant, eligible students must be enrolled in Emory College majoring in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Math, Computer Science, or NBB. Students must have taken at least three science classes and been accepted to the Chemistry Studies summer program in Siena, Italy.

The selection process will be competitively based on financial need and the following factors: the appropriateness of your plan of study to your overall academic plan; the quality of the match between your goals and the opportunities offered by the program; and the strength of your preparation at Emory.

Students must submit the CIPA Summer Study Abroad Travel Grant Application available at www.cipa.emory.edu and accompanying materials no later than **March 3**. The original application must be submitted to the CIPA office along with **4 additional copies**. Students cannot be awarded more than one CIPA Summer Study Abroad Travel Grant.

NOTIFICATION: You will receive an e-mail from CIPA confirming receipt of your application. Please contact CIPA at cipa@emory.edu if you do not receive confirmation within one week. You will be notified of an acceptance decision within two to six weeks of applying.

PRE-DEPARTURE ORIENTATION: Each summer study abroad program will have a mandatory pre-departure orientation session and/or other pre-departure activities. CIPA will hold a general pre-departure orientation in April for accepted students. Details will be provided after acceptance to the program.

TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS: You are responsible for making your own travel arrangements to and from the program destination. You must arrive by the specified start date of the program. The cost of airfare is NOT included in the Program Fee. STA, located in Emory Village, can assist, and you should request the student fare. In addition to having a passport, you will need to have an International Student Identity Card (ISIC), which can be obtained through STA for a nominal fee.

GRADES AND CREDITS: Students on Emory summer study abroad programs remain fully registered at Emory, and credits and grades earned overseas on these programs are granted on the same basis as those obtained on campus. You are asked to list the courses you intend to take as part of the Summer Study Abroad Application form. Depending on the program, you can earn between four and twelve Emory credits.

All registration is handled by CIPA – you do not register yourself for summer study abroad classes.

Add/drop/swap takes place during the first week of the program only, and all schedule changes must be made in consultation with the Faculty Program Director for your study abroad program and CIPA.

Depending on the timing of the program, you may also be able to participate in Emory Summer School if you so choose. Please mark this on your summer study abroad application or let Margie Fishman, Summer Study Abroad Coordinator, (Email: mffishm@emory.edu) know if you intend to participate in both types of classes.

Your registration for summer study abroad and your participation in the program are contingent upon satisfying all financial obligations. Any prior term balance must be paid in full before payments will be applied to the summer study abroad tuition and fees. Payment is due by the summer study abroad payment deadline. Failure to meet the payment deadline will result in cancellation of your enrollment in the study abroad program. You may view your account on OPUS, or if you have any questions about your account balance, you can contact the Office of Student Financial Services.

INSURANCE: For all Emory summer programs, the program cost for study abroad includes supplemental medical insurance for international travel provided by T.W. Lord and Associates. A description of this coverage will be provided to you prior to departure.

This insurance policy is meant to be supplemental to any insurance coverage you normally receive. Therefore, you must check with your current insurance provider to find out what will be covered while you are abroad and to understand the policy payments and claim system. **If you see a doctor abroad, expect to make up-front payments, most likely in cash, and then you will have to file for a refund from your insurance company.**

If your current insurance provider does not cover you while overseas, then the study abroad insurance provided by Emory will serve as your primary policy.

Please note: All Emory students are required to carry a primary insurance policy as mandated by Emory University, effective Fall Semester 2006. Information about the mandatory health insurance policy is available online at: <http://www.college.emory.edu/current/courses/health/index.html>

In some cases, the primary insurance policy that you are currently enrolled in may not cover certain conditions or needs while abroad. As a student enrolled in an Emory study abroad program, the T.W. Lord insurance policy will provide supplemental coverage for the duration of the program (including one day prior to the start of the summer program until one day after the end of the program).

If you are planning to travel before or after the program and would like additional coverage, then you may contact T.W. Lord and Associates directly to sign up for additional days. Students are responsible for paying for any additional coverage beyond the duration of the summer study abroad program.

If, in the case of an emergency, the Program Director covers the cost of your medical expenses, you will be required to repay the Program directly during the course of the program or immediately upon return to the U.S. Failure to pay charges in a timely manner may adversely affect your ability to receive transcripts, register for on-campus courses, etc.

Contact Information for T.W. Lord & Associates:
Tel: 770-427-2461 Toll Free: 1-800-633-2360

PLEASE DETACH THESE COVER SHEETS AND KEEP FOR YOUR RECORDS

Summer Study Abroad 2008 Course List

Arabic Language and North African Studies

ARAB 101, Elementary Arabic I
 ARAB 102, Elementary Arabic II
 ARAB 201, Intermediate Arabic I
 ARAB 202, Intermediate Arabic II
 ARAB 301, Advanced Arabic I
 ARAB 302, Advanced Arabic II
 ARAB 410R, Advanced Language and Culture
 MESAS 210R, Issues in Contemporary North Africa (in English)
 MESAS 370R, Contemporary Moroccan History (in English)
 MESAS 370R, History of the Arab World (in English)
 MESAS 316/REL 316, Islamic Civilization (in English)
 MESAS 211, North African Literature (in English)

Archaeological Studies

MESAS 259R/JS 259R/REL 261R, Fieldwork in Biblical Archaeology

British Studies

ENG 312WR, Shakespeare
 ENG 389R/WR, The 19th Century Medieval Revival
 HIST 385R, British Anti-Slavery, c. 1780-1833
 HIST 385R, The Beatles and British Popular Culture
 POLS 385R/WR, Foreign Policy of Great Britain
 REL 210R/WR, Art and Interpretation of the Gospels
 THEA 389R/ENG 389R, 20th Century British Theater

Chemistry Studies

CHEM 260, Quantitative Analysis
 CHEM 468S/WR, Perspectives in Chemistry
 CHEM 497R, Directed Study

Chinese Studies

CHN 105, Language and Culture of Northwest China
 CHN 375R, Special Topics/China

Environmental Field Study

ENVS 446, Field Studies, Southern Africa

European Politics

(Students choose one course taught by Emory/Georgia State faculty and one course taught by Sciences Po faculty)
 POLS 385, European Foreign Policy
 POLS 385, Europe in the 20th Century
 POLS 385, Human Rights in Europe
 POLS 385, Immigration and Ethnicity in Europe:
 The Contentious Politics of "Diversity"

European Sephardi Jewish Culture

JS 370R/HIST 385R/LING 497R (this course is also cross-listed with MESAS 370R), European Sephardi Jewish Culture

French Studies

FREN 201, Intermediate French
 FREN 205, Practical Conversation
 FREN 312, Histoire de France
 FREN 488, French Theatre
 BUS 370, Introduction to International Business (in English)

German Studies

GER 101, Beginning German I
 GER 102, Beginning German II
 GER 201, Intermediate German I

GER 202, Intermediate German II
 GER 370A, The Austrian Experience
 GER 370B, The Austrian Experience
 HIST 202, Modern Europe: "Hitler's Vienna" (in English)
 MUS 202, Music History of the Baroque, Classic, and Romantic Periods

Iberian Studies

SPAN 102, Beginning Spanish II
 SPAN 201, Intermediate Spanish I
 SPAN 202, Intermediate Spanish II
 SPAN 205, Conversation in Spanish
 SPAN 212, Advanced Language Practice
 SPAN 215, Reading & Writing Strategies
 SPAN 301, Early Hispanic Literature & Culture
 SPAN 310, Stylistics and Composition
 SPAN 410, The Sounds of Spanish

Italian Studies

ITAL 270R, Introduction to Italy: Culture and Civilization
 ITAL 376R, Medicine and Compassion
 DANCE 229, Introduction to Dance

Japanese Studies

JPN 101, Elementary Japanese I
 JPN 102, Elementary Japanese II
 JPN 201, Intermediate Japanese I
 JPN 202, Intermediate Japanese II
 JPN 301, Advanced Conversation & Comp. I
 JPN 302, Adv. Conversation & Comp. II
 JPN 401, Adv. Lang. & Cult. Studies I
 JPN 402, Adv. Lang. & Cult. Studies II

Latin American Cultural Studies

SPAN 309, Buenos Aires Past and Present
 SPAN 460, Latin American Cultural Studies

Middle Eastern Studies in Turkey

MESAS 370R, From the Hittites to the Republic: Turkey Through Time

Psychology/South Pacific

PSYC 474S/R, Developmental Method
 PSYC 499S/R, Directed Research

Psychology/UK

PSYC 474S, Seminar in Development Psychology
 PSYC 499R, Directed Research

Russian Studies

RUSS 101, Elementary Russian
 RUSS 102, Elementary Russian II
 RUSS 201, Intermediate Russian I
 RUSS 202, Intermediate Russian II
 RUSS 314, Intensive Advanced Russian

Sociology/Comparative Health Care

SOC 390, Health Care and Society Seminar Abroad (Undergraduate students only)
 BSHE 513, Health Care and Society Abroad (Graduate Students only)

2008 EMORY SUMMER STUDY ABROAD APPLICATION

NOTE: THE IBERIAN STUDIES PROGRAM TYPICALLY CLOSES BY MID-JANUARY AND OTHER PROGRAMS MAY FILL UP EARLY.

Please check the program to which you are applying:

- Arabic Language and North African Studies/Morocco
- Archaeology/Israel
- British Studies/Oxford
- Chemistry Studies/Siena
- Chinese Studies/Beijing
- Environmental Field Studies/Namibia, Botswana
- European Politics/Paris
- European Sephardi Jewish Culture/Spain, France, Holland, Italy & Greece
- French Studies/Paris
- German Studies/Vienna
- Iberian Studies/Seville, Salamanca
- Italian Studies/Italy
- Japanese Studies:
 - (A) HIF/Hakodate
 - (B) Princeton/Kanazawa
 - (C) ICU/Tokyo
- Latin Am. Cult. Stud./Buenos Aires
- Middle Eastern Studies in Turkey/Istanbul
- Psychology-South Pacific/Western Samoa, Vanuatu
- Psychology-UK/England, Scotland, Ireland
- Russian Studies/St. Petersburg
- Sociology/London

Name: _____ **SSN #:** _____ **STUDENT ID #:** _____

_____ First Middle Last

Local Address (on-campus or off-campus):

Street, PO Box

City State Zip

Home/Permanent Address:

Street, PO Box

City State Zip

Local Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____
month day year

Email: _____

Sex: Female Male

Alt. email: _____

Citizenship: U.S. Other (country): _____
If not a U.S. citizen, type of visa: _____
If permanent resident, registration number: _____

Do you have a passport? Yes No

Passport # / Expiration Date: _____

Status during time abroad: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Graduate Student

(Please list your year as of Fall 2008)

Emory Scholar: Yes No

Major: _____

GPA: _____

Minor: _____

OPTIONAL INFORMATION FOR STATISTICAL PURPOSES ONLY(This information is voluntary and refusal to provide it will not subject you to any adverse treatment. It will be kept confidential and will be used only in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.) If you wish to be identified with a particular ethnic group, please check all that apply:

- White/Caucasian
- Hispanic/Latino(a)
- African-American, Black
- Native American/Alaskan Native
- Asian-American/Pacific Islander
- Other_____

School in which you are a degree candidate: Emory College Oxford College Nursing School Business School Graduate School School of Public Health

Are you enrolled during Spring term 2008? Yes No

Expected Graduation Date: _____

Most graduating seniors of Emory College or the Business School defer graduation until August in order to participate in summer study abroad. Students must return a degree application to the Office of Undergraduate Education, 300 White Hall, by the deadline listed in the academic calendar. Students who plan to graduate at the end of Spring term 2008 will need to submit a "Student in Special Standing Application Form" to the Graduate School. Contact CIPA for further instructions.

Are you planning to take courses at Emory during Summer 2008? 1st session 2nd session

Are you an employee or a dependent of an employee of Emory University? Yes No

If yes, do you intend to use the employee courtesy scholarship to pay the academic fee portion of the program cost?
 Yes No

Where did you learn about study abroad? _____

Can we give out your name to prospective summer study abroad students? Yes No

Do you have or have you ever had any honor code violation(s) (including plagiarism or other forms of academic dishonesty)? Yes No

Has it ever been alleged through an RA or police report or meeting with a University official or hearing board that your behavior violated the Code of Conduct? Yes No

Do you have any appeals pending or any sanctions in progress? Yes No

If "Yes" to any or all of the questions above, please attach a separate sheet with the details, including exact date(s) of occurrence, violation(s), and sanctions completed.

CIPA will check the conduct code records of all study abroad applicants. The existence of a disciplinary record or current disciplinary sanctions does not necessarily preclude you from studying abroad but will be considered in the overall evaluation of your application. Even if you have completed sanctions, the violation(s) will still appear on your record at Emory. If you are in doubt about your conduct record, please consult with the Office of Student Conduct before submitting your study abroad application. A list of FAQs can be found at http://conduct.emory.edu/faq_general.html.

Summer Study Abroad Planned Course Schedule

Please list the courses you intend to take:

Department/Course Number	Course Title
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____

PLEASE NOTE:

- Students applying to the **Arabic Language and North African Studies Program** should select two ARAB courses for the Arabic language track or two courses in English for the North African Studies track.
- Students applying to the **British Studies Program** should list **3 courses** they wish to take, in order of preference. Enrollment in classes in this Program is limited to 20 or fewer students per course with enrollment in each class determined by date of acceptance to the Program.
- Students applying to the **European Politics Program** must take one course taught by an Emory/Georgia State faculty member and one course taught by a member of the Sciences Po faculty.
- Students applying to the **Iberian Studies Program** in the Advanced Culture option must take SPAN 310 and either SPAN 301 or SPAN 410. Students applying for the Language option must take two of the following courses that correspond to their language level: SPAN 102, SPAN 201, SPAN 202, SPAN 205, SPAN 212, SPAN 215, SPAN 310.
- Students applying to the **Psychology Program** should rank their choices of location (1 as 1st choice, 2 as 2nd choice). Preferences are not guaranteed although they will be taken into consideration during the placement process.

_____ Dundee, Scotland _____ Galway, Ireland

**EMORY UNIVERSITY SUMMER STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM
AGREEMENT TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PROGRAM
AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE**

I, _____ (student's name), in consideration of my acceptance to a 2008 Emory University Summer Study Abroad Program (the "Program"), agree to all terms and conditions of the Program. I understand that my registration and attendance in the Program constitute evidence of my agreement to comply with all such terms and conditions.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Requirements – The undersigned agrees to adhere to the Emory College Honor Code and Undergraduate Code of Conduct. Prior to departure the undersigned agrees to complete any prerequisite coursework for the Program, to maintain a 2.0 cumulative grade point average, and to be in good academic standing. Failure to comply with these standards and regulations may result in termination from the Program, including liability for any applicable late withdrawal penalties and/or expenses entered into by the University or Program on the student's behalf. The undersigned also agrees at all times during the Program to comply with the terms and conditions in this agreement, the rules and regulations of the University (as they appear in this agreement and in bulletins and any other Emory or CIPA publications, including all rules and regulations related to the Program), the laws of the host country and, if applicable, the rules and regulations of the host university or Program.
2. Cost of the Program – Information regarding the cost of the Program and other particulars regarding the Program can be found in the Letter of Acceptance. **Payment of all charges due must be made on or before May 14, 2008**, and participants are responsible for the timely payment of all other charges incurred by them or on their behalf while on the Program. Participants do not receive paper bills, and must access their student accounts through OPUS. Through the guest access program, participants can give their parents permission to pay bills online. The undersigned agrees to pay all tuition and fees associated with participation in the Program to Emory University and assumes responsibility for any damages, losses or charges for extra services in his/her accommodations or the common areas and grounds of the host institution which may result from his or her actions or omissions.
3. Modifications to and/or Cancellation of Program – The University reserves the right to cancel the Program and/or modify any aspects thereof at any time and for any or no reason. Upon cancellation of the Program, the University will make appropriate refunds. In arranging for travel, lodging, student insurance and other goods or services for participants in the Program, the University acts only to arrange such services and not as a provider of such goods/services. Accordingly, all undersigned parties acknowledge and agree that the University shall bear no responsibility or liability for any act or failure to act on the part of providers of any goods/services in connection with the Program.
4. Termination of Participation – The undersigned hereby acknowledges the authority of CIPA and the Program Director(s) to terminate a student's participation in the Program if the student's behavior is inappropriate or disruptive or if other circumstances warrant such action. In cases of such termination, Emory University will grant no refunds, and the student agrees that the University may (but is not required to) notify the student's parents or guardians of such termination. Students will abide by the Emory College Honor Code, which governs all academic work, and the Undergraduate Code of Conduct, which governs conduct requirements. Any violation of either Code will result in actions that may include a written warning or dismissal from the Program at any time.
5. Medical and Accident Insurance – Emory University has made arrangements for an insurer to provide supplemental health and accident coverage to all participants in the Program during the period that they are enrolled in the Program. This insurance is supplemental to all other health and accident insurance a participant may carry, but if a participant has no such other insurance, it provides primary coverage. The insurance is mandatory for all participants, and the cost of the insurance is included in the Program Fee. Information concerning terms and conditions of the insurance, including the types and amounts of coverage, will be provided to participants prior to departure, and a copy of the policy is on file at CIPA which participants may review during business hours. If, in the case of an emergency, the Program Director covers the cost of the student's medical expenses, the student will be required to repay the Program directly during the course of the program or immediately upon return to the U.S. Failure to pay charges in a timely may adversely affect the ability to receive transcripts, register for on-campus courses, etc.
6. Withdrawals, Refunds, and Charges – Once a student has applied for and been accepted to a summer study abroad program, the student is deemed to agree to enroll in the Program. To withdraw from the Program, the student must notify Margie Fishman in the Center for International Programs Abroad **in writing by March 15, 2008**. All notices of withdrawals must be signed and dated. An electronic mail message sent to and acknowledged by the Center for International Programs Abroad will be sufficient notice under this section.

The Refund Policy is as follows:

<u>Date Cancelled</u>	<u>Refund</u>
On or before March 15 th	Full tuition and program fee
March 16 th – April 30 th	Full tuition and 50% of program fee
May 1 st – Program Start Date	Full tuition only
After Program Start Date	Subject to Emory College Summer School Tuition Refund Schedule

In all cases, the \$350 deposit is non-refundable. In addition, CIPA reserves the right to charge for any unrecoverable* costs already paid on the student's behalf by the program. * Emory University and CIPA must often undertake substantial financial commitments on behalf of students prior to the beginning of a summer study abroad program. Even if the student has not yet paid the full program balance, he/she is obligated to pay for any unrecoverable expenses incurred on his/her behalf. Unrecoverable costs may include expenses for both individual and group services. Individual expenses are items such as train/airplane tickets or pre-paid room reservations. Group expenses may include bus rentals, payment to tour guides, etc. For example, if the program budget is based on a minimum of 15 participants, and the 15th student withdraws, then a portion of the cost for some group services becomes an unrecoverable expense.

If the student chooses not to participate in a program activity, either mandatory or not mandatory, (such as a field trip, excursion, cultural event, meal, etc.), he/she will not be refunded any portion of the cost of the program. If the student is dismissed from the program, he/she will receive no refund.

7. Disability Services – If a student is registered with the Office of Disability Services, the student should contact ODS for instructions on accommodations. If a student is not registered with ODS but requires accommodations, he/she should, after acceptance to participate in a summer study abroad program, register with and request services from the ODS. In both cases, students seeking accommodations should contact ODS sufficiently in advance of the beginning of the Program because the student will be required to submit appropriate supporting documentation regarding the identified disability. For further information, contact ODS in 110 Administration Building (voice) 404-727-6016, (TDD) 404-712-2049, (fax) 404-727-1126.

8. Personal Travel - When students are traveling independently and not with the Program (before/after the Program and/or on weekends), they are responsible for themselves. However, students conducting personal travel during the course of the program are advised to leave emergency contact details with the Program Director, including an itinerary and phone numbers.

RELEASE, COVENANT NOT TO SUE AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

1. During the course of the Program, participants may face certain risks and hazards, both foreseeable and unforeseeable. These risks and hazards include, but are not limited to, the following: travel and work in difficult terrain and inclement weather; inadequate or unhealthy food and/or water supplies; accidents or collisions involving planes, trains, automobiles, or other modes of conveyance; acts of terrorism, vandalism or war; storms, earthquakes or other natural disasters; government restriction or regulation; theft or other criminal acts; and accident or illness in remote locations without access to medical facilities. These risks and hazards may result in serious physical injury, sickness or death, and damage to, or loss or destruction of property, and no guarantee can be made that the University or others can provide assistance if any of the foregoing result. The undersigned hereby acknowledges that international travel and study, including participation in the Program, involves inherent risks of physical injury, illness, death and/or damage to or loss of property and assumes all such risk.

2. The undersigned hereby agrees that in consideration of Emory University allowing the undersigned to participate in this Program, the undersigned does hereby release, covenant not to sue and forever discharge Emory University and its trustees, officers, agents, employees, students, and any personnel assisting with the organization or operation of the Program (including the program director, any faculty associated with the Program, and any of the Program's agents/employees) of any and from all claims, demands, liabilities, rights and causes of action of whatever kind or nature, including, but not limited to, any claims for physical injury, death, or property loss or damage from any cause, including negligence, or resulting in any way from participation in or in any way connected with this Program.

3. The terms of this Agreement, including the terms of the foregoing Release, Covenant Not to Sue and Assumption of Risk, shall be binding upon the undersigned and his/her heirs, executors and assigns, and all members of his/her family.

4. It is understood and agreed that all parties signing this agreement are relying wholly upon his/her/their own judgment belief, and knowledge of the nature extent and duration of the Program's activities and that no representations or statements regarding the Program, or regarding any other matters, made by Emory University, its agents, employees, officers or faculty has influenced him/her/them to any extent in making and/or signing this Agreement.

BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, I hereby acknowledge that I have read the above text carefully before signing and I agree to all of the above. I also certify that the attached essay is my own work and that the information in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature

Date

2008 EMORY SUMMER STUDY ABROAD
Center for International Programs Abroad

Student Name: _____ Student ID #: _____

Study Abroad Program: _____

CONSENT FOR THE RELEASE OF INFORMATION

For the duration of the period during which I am abroad in connection with my participation in an Emory University summer study abroad program, I consent for Emory University to release to my parent(s) or guardian(s), or, if I am married, to my spouse, (sign your initials at any/all statements to which you agree):

___ any and all information directly or indirectly related to my health, safety, or well being that it becomes aware of;

___ any and all information directly or indirectly related to my academic record, grades, and/or registration;

___ any and all information directly or indirectly related to the financing of my education, i.e., bursar bill, financial aid, and program fees;

___ I acknowledge and agree that Emory University is not required by virtue of my consent to release any information concerning me to any person but rather is permitted to release such information that it determines, in its reasonable discretion, is necessary or appropriate under the circumstances.

Contact Information: Name: _____

Nature of Relationship to You: Parent Legal Guardian Spouse Other, please explain: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email Address: _____

I understand that this consent may only be revoked in writing signed by me and received by the Center for International Programs Abroad, Emory University, 1385 Oxford Road, Atlanta, Georgia 30322.

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

In addition, I authorize Emory University to contact the above person in the event of an emergency during my study abroad program. If the above person is not the same person to contact in case of emergency, please provide additional emergency contact information:

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have *read* and *understood* this Consent as it relates to me.

 Applicant's Signature

 Date

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 No, please do not send this information.