

## Study Abroad Budget Process

- 1) Will you apply for financial aid or use UNC scholarship/grant money?      Yes      No
- 2) Will you apply for national scholarships?      Yes      No
- 3) Meet with your Study Abroad Advisor and determine your estimated budget. Any required or necessary payment plans should be discussed in this meeting.
- 4) Sign below to acknowledge that you have met with your Study Abroad Advisor and discussed the budget.
- 5) Your Study Abroad Advisor will digitally sign the completed budget form in the Global Portal once it is uploaded to the student's online applicati.
- 6) Digital (signed) form will be accessible by the Office of Financial Aid, Campus Commons, Bear Central. The Financial Aid Counselor will review the budget form and determine financial aid award package.
- 7) The Financial Aid Counselor will digitally sign the form after meeting with the student. Final version of budget form will be available to student in their UNC Online Application Portal.

### Acknowledgements:

#### I understand and acknowledge that:

- I must be enrolled full-time (**equivalent to 12 UNC credit hours** for semester programs and **6 UNC credit hours** for summer programs) to be eligible for financial aid.
- I must attend a mandatory Pre-Departure Orientation meeting.
- I will be enrolled by the Registrar's Office in a "placeholder" course (ISE 100/101) while abroad.
- The same Financial Aid policies regarding Maintaining Your Aid apply to international programs.
  - For more information: [www.unco.edu/ofa/aid/maintaining/index.asp](http://www.unco.edu/ofa/aid/maintaining/index.asp)
- There may be ***upfront costs*** that need to be ***paid in advance of receiving your aid*** for the semester.
  - Possible upfront costs: airfare, international insurance, visa/passport fees, housing deposits, etc.
- **Verification of Enrollment Form (VOE) must be completed and submitted to the UNC Study Abroad & Exchange Office before aid will be dispersed.**

The estimated total expenses listed on the budget form are used to help plan and prepare for the program, as well as calculate eligibility for financial aid. All amounts listed are estimates and are subject to change. I understand that the budget is an estimate, but it is a valid reflection of the expected costs that will be incurred. Furthermore, I understand that not all scholarships, grants, or other aid typically included in my annual package may apply to my study abroad program.

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Student's Name (printed)

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Date

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Student's Name (signature)



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## STUDY ABROAD BUDGET ESTIMATE

Program: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

<b><i>Program Fees (billed through Ursa)</i></b>	
Tuition & Fees (out-of-state/WUE) (tuition subject to current rate)	
Housing & Meals (either/both) (Exchange programs)	
International Insurance (GeoBlue, if applicable)	
Study Abroad Administration & Application Fees	
<b>TOTAL</b>	

<b><i>Estimated Additional Expenses (<u>NOT</u> billed through Ursa)</i></b>	
Tuition (note program)	
Housing & Meals (either/both)	
Housing deposit (if applicable – <b>NOTE:</b> often due 1-3 months prior to term)	
Program deposit (if applicable – <b>NOTE:</b> often due to confirm place)	
Passport/Visa/Required Documents/Photos/Immunizations	
In-country Health Insurance (when applicable)	
Textbooks/Course Materials	
Local commute/transportation	
Essential Daily Living Expenses	
Transcript Translation & Evaluation (when applicable) ~\$200	
<b>Total Estimated Additional Expenses</b>	
<b>TOTAL Estimated Program Cost (billed through Ursa + additional expenses)</b>	
Additional Spending Money/Emergency Funds (not inc. in FinAid calculation)	<b>\$1,000 – \$2,500</b>
<b>***Personal travel should be budgeted separately.***</b>	

Study Abroad Advisor Comments:

Financial Aid Counselor Comments: