

Summary of 2022 Study Abroad Information

Academic Requirements

The applicant's cumulative GPA must be a **2.0** at the end of the **Fall 2021** semester to remain eligible to participate in the Study Abroad program.

Should the cumulative GPA fall below a **2.0** by the end of **Fall 2021**, it is the student's responsibility to withdraw before the Study Abroad deadline (March 15, 2022) for a full refund, minus the non-refundable \$300 deposit.

Payment

Documented approved anticipated financial aid and awarded Study Abroad scholarships will be considered payment. In the event that a student's anticipated financial aid becomes unavailable for any reason, including suspension of awards because of withdrawal from the Study Abroad program, the student will be responsible for all Study Abroad fees indicated in the application and other program materials.

Withdrawals

Students wishing to withdraw from a Study Abroad program for which they have been approved to participate must do so by filling out a formal withdrawal form. Students whose written withdrawal is received in the International Initiatives Office by email by March 15, 2022, will receive full refund of payments made, minus the \$300 non-refundable deposit and any monies owed to the university. NO refunds will be made for withdrawals received in the International Initiatives Office after March 15, 2022. No refunds will be made for students who withdraw from a program in progress or for students who are scheduled to participate in a program but fail to attend.

Cases of documented extenuating circumstances will be considered on a case-by-case basis. The student must submit a formal Request for Review by email to the International Initiatives Office. The Request for Review must include an Appeals Form, a letter from the student explaining extenuating circumstances, adequate documentation supporting student's claim (medical records, etc.), and other relevant letters and documents as necessary. Review of circumstances does NOT guarantee a refund of program costs in full or in part.

The student is solely responsible for any and all costs arising out of their voluntary or involuntary withdrawal from the program prior to its completion, including withdrawal caused by illness or disciplinary action by Southeastern Louisiana University or its representative(s).

Important Notes

Program cost does not include airfare, passport, visa or any COVID related expenses, unless otherwise noted under individual program guidelines.

Program cost does not include travel delay, interruption or cancellation insurance.

Each student participating in a study abroad program **MUST** provide by email the International Initiatives Office proof of travel/medical insurance policy which should include travel delay & trip interruption or cancellation.

The International Initiatives Office is not liable for the cost of trips canceled by the student or not attended due to unforeseen events, illness, and neglect, failure to obtain cancellation and interruption insurance, or ineligibility on the part of the student, either before or during the program dates.

Deadlines

Fee Payment: March 15, 2022

*Payment in full, less any anticipated financial aid.

Scholarship Deadlines

SGA (TBA)

IGDD (TBA)

All others: February 6, 2022