



I confirm the information provided in all sections of the application is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand the serious academic nature of this study abroad program and that participants must meet the academic and behavioral standards of Western Michigan University and the host university. Any participant not meeting these standards may be dropped from the program. Any participant who is dropped or withdraws from the program once it has commenced is not entitled to a refund and is responsible for the costs and coordination of his/her return home. Western Michigan University reserves the right to cancel or revise this program, if necessary.

I also understand that the WMU Haenicke Institute for Global Education will confirm that all WMU students applying for overseas programs are in good judicial standing with the WMU Office of Student Conduct. The academic standing of applicants will be verified with their home institutions and good academic standing must be maintained through completion of the program. Study Abroad program applicants are required to attend all information and orientation sessions hosted by the Haenicke Institute, or the program's home institution.

The completed application, if accepted, constitutes a commitment to participate in a study abroad program. Students accepted will be considered as participants unless formal written notification cancelling their application is submitted to the Haenicke Institute. Following the selection of participants, program arrangements and payments may be made by WMU on the participant's behalf. Participants who withdraw remain responsible for any unrecoverable costs incurred on their behalf. The \$411.50 (\$206 per summer term) non-refundable study abroad program commitment fee will not be applied to applications that are denied.

Applicant's participation may be denied or their participation approval may be revoked if their conduct before departure raises doubts as to their suitability for program participation.

I accept the following refund policy. If notification is received by the WMU Study Abroad Office:

- More than 60 days prior to first day of WMU semester of study abroad - 100% refund of WMU Program Fee, except \$411.50 (\$206 per summer term) study abroad program Commitment Fee.

- 45 to 60 days prior to first day of WMU semester of study abroad - 50% of WMU Program Fee, except \$411.50 (\$206 per summer term) study abroad program Commitment Fee.
- Fewer than 45 days prior to first day of WMU semester of study abroad - **No refund of any fees given.**

I understand that program fees for WMU programs are subject to adjustment due to changes in actual exchange rates or other factors.

I certify that I accept the application conditions stated above. (Those who disagree with the application conditions are ineligible to complete the WMU Study Abroad online application process.)