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Spring 2022 study abroad – approval being considered

Dear student,

You are receiving this message because you plan to study abroad during the Spring 2022 or Calendar Year 2022 term.

After assessing a range of sources about health and safety conditions globally, University of Vermont leadership has determined that **you will be considered for study abroad approval for the Spring 2022 term**. You will be permitted to study abroad during the Spring 2022 term ***if you complete all of the necessary requirements thoughtfully and on time***. Please do not pay any deposits nor purchase airline tickets until after you and your emergency contact have attended the meeting with the Director of the Office of International Education next week (see below).

New requirements and deadlines

- Attend **with a parent/emergency contact** a Microsoft Teams meeting next week with the Director of the UVM Office of International Education. **By 8 a.m. Monday, October 18, click [here to register](#)** for a meeting day/time. Only *you* should register after coordinating with your emergency contact on their availability; the meeting link will be provided to your emergency contacts based on your registration.
- **By 8 a.m. Monday, October 18**, complete the Emergency Contact Information checklist requirement in GoAbroad.
- **By 8 a.m. Monday, November 1**, complete in GoAbroad the COVID questionnaire which will address travel and logistics involved for your individual program, host community and host country. This form will be made available to you after meetings with the Director of OIE are completed.
- **By 8 a.m. Monday, November 1**, complete in GoAbroad an assumption of risk document, which outlines the many things which cannot be predicted and the risks we want to make sure you and your families are comfortable taking given the inability to predict the global situation.
- **By 8 a.m. Monday, November 1**, complete in Go Abroad a list of commitments you will make to help reduce the spread of COVID-19 in your host community

Continuing requirements

- [Attend pre-departure orientation in person on November 14](#)
- Complete all other GoAbroad requirements by **December 1**

You and your emergency contact(s) will receive additional information early next week after registering for the meeting with the Director of the UVM Office of International Education, including information on how to access the Microsoft Teams meeting.

If your plans have changed and you no longer plan to study abroad during the Spring/Calendar Year 2022 term, please email studyabroad@uvm.edu so that we can adjust our records accordingly.

Sincerely,

Kim Howard
Director
Office of International Education