

Study Abroad Evaluation Form

The feedback you provide our office with through this evaluation form will help us to improve our services and programs for future students. Please be honest and specific with your comments. This form will be kept confidential and will be store in our office files.

Please print this form and return it to Faith McKinney in Administration Building Room 120.
Thank you for your help!

Name:

Name of Program/University:

Host City & Country:

Date of Participation:

PRIOR TO DEPARTURE

1. How did you learn about this program?

Study Abroad Fair Former Program Participant
 Class presentation Global Programs website
 Faculty member Other:

2. Please rank the top 4 factors (in order) that motivated you to participate in a Study Abroad program:

Academic goals Earn credit Learn a language
 Explore options for future Gain another perspective Meet new people
 Geographic location Travel opportunities Time of year
 Length of program Cost of program Ability to use financial aid
 Personal reasons Other: Career Development

3. (a) How helpful was the Office of Global Programs in preparing you for your study abroad experience?
- (b) What information would you like to see included on the website that was not?
- (c) What specific recommendations would you have for the Office of Global Programs in helping future participants?
- (d) How helpful was the Pre-Departure Orientation?

WHILE ABROAD

4. What were your living arrangements?

_____ On Campus Housing _____ Homestay _____ Off Campus Living

5. Please comment on the quality of your host country's accommodations.

6. Please comment on any significant aspects of the non-academic side of your experience, such as dining arrangements, any help that was given to adjust to the new culture, relationships among fellow students, degree of "integration" into the life and society of the host country.

7. Please comment on the academic workload as it compares to Concordia University . (e.g. course work, intellectual challenge, types of exams, evaluations, quality of instruction, etc).

8. What language were classes conducted in?

9. Did you have classes with students and/or faculty from the host country?

10. Do you feel that you had adequate opportunities to interact with students and people from your host country? Please explain.

11. How well did your study abroad experience relate to your academic major at Concordia?

12. (a) What, if any, concerns did you have regarding your health and safety?

(b) Any advice you would give to future students regarding health and safety in the location you studied?

13. (a) What kinds of cultural/communication challenges did you encounter?

(b) Any advice for students planning to go abroad that would assist them in adjusting to the host country's culture?

OVERALL

14. After paying Concordia tuition or the program fee, how much money did you spend for this experience?

___ Less than \$1000

___ \$1000-\$1500

___ \$1500-\$2000

___ \$2000-\$2500

___ \$2500-\$3000

___ Other amount: _____

15. Please comment on the overall quality of this program.

Please circle your rating for the overall quality of the program. (1 being low and 5 being high)

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-Strengths:

-Weaknesses:

16. Would you recommend this program to a friend?

17. The things that I enjoyed most about studying abroad were:

18. The things that were difficult or bothered me the most while I was abroad were:

19. The things I missed most about home while I was abroad were:

20. The things I have missed least since I have been abroad are:

21. My greatest single challenge while abroad was:

22. Any additional comments or suggestions?