

2023/2024

Study Abroad Leadership Program

Application Deadline is October 13, 2023

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: _____ UFID: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Academic Department: _____

College: _____

2. PERSONAL STATEMENT OF INTEREST

Please answer the following questions in the space provided:

- Why are you interested in developing and leading a study abroad program?
- How would you describe your teaching philosophy as it relates to international education and other global learning experiences?
- What is your background in international work/teaching/research and how has this prepared you to take students abroad?

3. PROGRAM PROPOSAL IDEA

Please provide a brief description of your proposed study abroad program. Please keep in mind that in order to qualify for the SALP program, all program proposals must be at least 4 weeks in length and all summer programs must offer at least 6 credits. In your program description, please include the following:

- Possible location, term/duration and coursework
- Potential benefits of offering this course in a selected foreign country, rather than on UF campus
- Ways in which students will benefit personally, professionally and academically from this type of experience

4. MISSION ALIGNMENT

The main goal of the Study Abroad Leadership Program is to increase diversity in study abroad participants and location. This includes students from underrepresented majors, underrepresented ethnic/racial/gender etc. identities, and/or programs in non-traditional locations. Please describe how your proposed program will help Study Abroad Services reach this goal.

5. PROFESSIONAL BIOGRAPHY

Please provide a brief (200-300 word) biography that may be included in SALP materials, announcements, and marketing.

6. PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT AND ENDORSEMENT

FACULTY

- I understand that I will be responsible for attending and fully engaging in all SALP orientations, workshops, individual meetings and presentations held in-person at the UF International Center.
 - **SALP Welcome and Orientation:** January 19, 2024 from 4:00pm-5:00pm
 - **Introduction to International Education and Pedagogy:** February 2, 2024 from 3:00pm-5:00pm
 - **Program Development I:** February 16, 2024 from 3:00pm-5:00pm
 - **Program Development II:** March 1, 2024 from 3:00pm-5:00pm
 - **Intercultural Competency and Curriculum Design:** March 22, 2024 from 3:00pm-5:00pm
 - **Proposal Presentations:** April 12, 2024 from 2:00pm-5:00pm
 - **Site Visits and Collaborating with Providers:** April 26, 2024 from 4:00pm-5:00pm
- I acknowledge that in addition to the aforementioned workshops and meetings, I am expected to conduct a site visit to the proposed program location by the end of August 2024.
- I acknowledge that I will finish the leadership program with a completed study abroad program proposal, which I will implement in Summer of 2025 and beyond.
- I understand that I will only receive funding upon successful completion of the workshops and program proposal requirements of the Study Abroad Leadership Program.

Faculty Signature: _____ Date: _____

DEPARTMENT CHAIR/DIRECTOR SIGNATURE

- I fully endorse the above faculty member's study abroad program idea and attest to their qualifications to lead a study abroad program.
- I support the candidate to fully engage in the program and fulfill the time commitments required by the Study Abroad Leadership Program.

Chair/Director Signature: _____ Date: _____

COLLEGE DEAN/DEAN REPRESENTATIVE

- I fully endorse the above faculty member's study abroad program idea and attest to their qualifications to lead a study abroad program.
- I support the candidate to fully engage in the program and fulfill the time commitments required by the Study Abroad Leadership Program.

Dean/Dean Representative Signature: _____ Date: _____

NEXT STEPS: Please electronically submit your application online. All applications will be reviewed by the SALP selection committee and selected candidates will then be invited for an interview in early November. We expect to make final decisions in mid-November..