

## Study Abroad Student Behavior Contract

I, the undersigned student, promise to abide by the following regulations and ethical standards during my participation in the \_\_\_\_\_ Study Abroad Program:

1. My general conduct shall conform to the rules given in the University of North Carolina at Asheville Student Code of Community Standards and Citizenship as outlined in the 2008-2009 UNCA Catalog, pages 294-306. Specifically, I shall avoid cheating and plagiarism; disruption, or obstruction of teaching, assault, battery, or any other abusive behavior, violating the judicial, or statutory standards of obscenity, or indecent conduct; using, possessing, or distributing narcotics, or other legally controlled substances, possessing, or using firearms, explosives, weapons, or dangerous chemicals. If I drink alcoholic beverages, I shall limit myself to amounts that will not impair my judgment and lead to improper social behavior, disregard for local laws, or disruption of the academic program.
2. I shall be aware that I am a guest in a foreign country and shall adjust my behavior to reveal respect for my hosts. I know that I am subject to the laws of the country I am visiting. I shall observe the laws of the host country even when they differ from those of my country. Specifically, I shall obey and respect official authorities and persons performing the duties of their employment (e.g. police, bus drivers, tour guides, pension managers, restaurant waiters, etc.).
3. I shall comply with the directions of the director, assistant director, and UNCA administrative officials.
4. I shall be considerate of those with whom I am living. I shall respect others' needs for privacy, sleep and study time, keeping noise to a minimum and observing the curfew set as bedtime/quiet time for the living quarters.
5. I shall come to class every day on time and will have completed all work assigned for the day. I understand if I do not attend that I could suffer academic penalties, including the lowering of my overall grade for the course, and the possibility of failing the class.

I understand that any infraction of the standards as stated above may lead to disciplinary action by the college, the director, and/or assistant director of the program including, but not limited to, formal reprimand and, if continued, expulsion from the program and forced return to the United States at my own expense.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_