

Study Abroad Application  
**Edgewood College Faculty-led Programs**

Due: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_

**Program Information:**

Name of Program: \_\_\_\_\_ Program Course Number (ex. HI 305): \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Coordinator(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Term for which you are applying:  Short Term (Summer, Winterim, Spring Break)  Fall  Spring Year: \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Information:**

Name (as it appears on your passport or birth certificate):

Last: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date (mm/dd/yy): \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Edgewood E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_@edgewood.edu Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Citizen?  Yes  No

If no, please check one of the following:

Non-Immigrant Alien (ex. F-1 or J-1 Visa)  Resident Alien  Refugee/Granted Political Asylum (attach copy of I-94)

Do you have a passport?  Yes  No\* Passport #: \_\_\_\_\_

Passports must be valid for 6 months after you return to the U.S.

\*If no, please see the program director to determine if you should expedite your U.S. Passport Book application.

U.S. passport application available at [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov)

**Academic Information:**

Major (or undecided): \_\_\_\_\_ Minor (or undecided): \_\_\_\_\_

Current Academic Level (check one):  Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior  Grad  Post Bac

Academic Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Cumulative Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of credit hours completed as of the end of this semester : \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Statement:**

On a separate sheet of paper, type a brief essay (1-2 pages) answering all of the following questions. Please double space and include your name on the top of each page.

- A. Why do you want to participate in this program?
- B. How do you expect to benefit from the academic study and new cultural experience?
- C. Cultural immersion can be intense. How do you rate your ability to handle stress? Please describe a previous stressful situation you have experienced and explain how you handled the situation.
- D. In the program, you will be a part of a small community of students, who will come to depend upon each other and spend a lot of time together. What personal characteristics do you think you have which will contribute to making these relationships successful?

In the space below, describe your previous domestic and foreign travel experiences.

**Consent to Release:**

I approve and consent that the Dean of Students Office and Academic Dean's Office can release to the Program Director(s) and the Center for Global Education information regarding my academic and/or disciplinary status at Edgewood College. I understand that this information will be shared confidentially only with the Program Director(s) responsible for the program for which I am applying for the purpose of evaluating my qualifications for study abroad.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

**Letters of Reference:**

Please submit two letters of reference on Edgewood letterhead with this application: an Academic Advisor Reference and a Faculty Member Reference.

Academic Advisor Reference: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Member Reference: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Sign and date this application** form and submit it with:

- Your responses to the essay question
- One unofficial Edgewood College transcript (printed from Express)
- One color copy of your passport ID page

**The completed recommendations may accompany your application or be sent separately.**

Before submitting the application, arrange an informational meeting with the faculty leader for the program. When you turn in your application, you may be asked to participate in an interview with members of the selection committee.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (mm/dd/yyyy):