

# Standards of Conduct Agreement

## Willamette University Sponsored Study Abroad Program

Please return this form to the Office of International Education, Willamette University, Matthews Hall

The Willamette University Standards of Conduct apply to any “persons enrolled in credit or non-credit courses or educational programs offered through Willamette University”. The Standards of Conduct “apply to any officially recognized...academic program, whether it is on or off-campus”. Section III, which is titled *Application of Law*, stipulates that the Standards do not seek to separate the Willamette community from the reach of civil authorities. Furthermore, the Standards specify that students, on and off campus, are subject to federal, state, and local laws, and university policy, procedure, rules and disciplinary action when their conduct violates institutional standards. The university policy makes it clear that the abuse of alcohol and drugs violates the general student conduct policy.

The possession, sale, or unauthorized use of narcotics or illegal drugs in violation of the laws of a host country are actions considered to be in violation of WU Standards of Conduct as well. Because you are traveling on a Willamette University sponsored program, your individual behavior, when it violates University standards, local law, or local social custom, could have negative repercussions on other members of the group and may infringe on the possibility of offering the program in the future.

The WU Standards of Conduct and WU drug and alcohol policies can be found online on Campus Life’s website in the publication called “Selected Policies Manual”.

Participation in Willamette University off-campus programs is a privilege and not a right. Violation of University Standards of Conduct will result in your immediate expulsion from the program and return to the United States at your own expense. In signing this waiver you acknowledge this condition of your participation in an off-campus study program.

**I agree to abide by the Willamette University Standards of Conduct while I am on a Willamette University off-campus program.**

**International program students: I acknowledge that my failure to do so will result in my expulsion from the program and immediate return to the United States at my own expense.**

**Domestic program students: I acknowledge that my failure to do so will result in my expulsion from the program and program site immediately at my own expense.**

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Signature

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Printed name

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Date

For more information about expectations of behavior and legal issues abroad, see Chapter 6 of the Study Abroad Handbook.