

# Intent to Participate

Before signing this document, be sure to read the Participation Agreement.

## **I understand the following:**

- a. **Deposit:** The non-refundable \$500 deposit, which indicates my intent to participate in a JMU study abroad program, is billed to my student account and the payment is used as a credit toward the program fee.
- b. **Cancellation Policy:** The JMU Study Abroad deposit is non-refundable and non-transferrable except when the Center for Global Engagement cancels a program. If the CGE cancels a program before the departure date, all deposit fees, program fees, tuition, room and board which has been paid will be refunded to the participants. If the CGE cancels a program after the departure date, an appropriate portion of the deposit fee, program fee, tuition, room and board may be refunded, depending on the circumstances of the cancellation.
- c. **Withdrawal Policy:** According to the Withdrawal Policy, I understand that all application fees and program deposits are non-refundable. If I withdraw after the specific dates as set forth in the Withdrawal Policy, I am responsible for 100% of the program fee, plus any non-recoverable costs already expensed on my behalf. If I withdraw on or after the official start date of the program, in addition to the program fee, I will be responsible for the tuition based on the required term load, and room and board for the program.
- d. **Financial Obligation:** The deposit, tuition, room and board, and a program fee are billed to my student account, and I hereby agree to pay the university for these charges. Airline costs, some meals, personal travel and spending money are not included, and are my responsibility to provide for myself.

***In signing this document, I acknowledge that I understand the above policies and have read the entire "Participation Agreement" accompanying this statement or on the web, that I have had an opportunity to ask questions, that I understand its terms, that I agree to the terms stated, that by signing it I am giving up substantial legal rights I might otherwise have, and that I have signed it knowingly and voluntarily.***

**Applicant Name:**

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**Applicant Signature:**

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**Date Signed:**

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