

## Pomona College Policy Regarding College-Funded International Student Travel

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. Such experiences may take several forms, ranging from semester-long study abroad approved by Pomona College's International and Domestic Study abroad, students will follow policies and procedures as sninternational travel funded in full all students are required to register with the [Worldcue Tracker](#) system, v

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services aimed at ensuring the student's security.

In order to receive a travel award, students will be required to submit a detailed project description, including a detailed budget, with their funding application. Students must submit a travel itinerary and emergency contact information as well as one or more contacts in the destination country.

All students whose travel is funded in full or in part through Pomona College will be required to sign a waiver indemnifying the College and stating that they are aware of the risk of international travel. The waiver must be co-signed by the student's guardian or parent(s). Students will receive supplemental emergency medical and evacuation insurance through [The Claremont College's International Travel Insurance Plan](#).

RELEASE, WAIVER AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT  
FOR STUDENTS RECEIVING POMONA COLLEGE  
Support for an International Activity

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am a student at POMONA COLLEGE and have independently arranged to participate in a [summer] undergraduate research project (INTERNSHIP) with [ENTITY] in [LOCATION] from \_\_\_\_\_, 20XX through \_\_\_\_\_, 20XX. (The \_\_\_\_\_ will assist me with covering the costs of living and travel expenses (including housing, food, airfare and other expenses), POMONA COLLEGE has agreed to provide me with an internship Funding Award. In consideration for receiving this internship funding and research opportunity from POMONA COLLEGE, I agree as follows:

1. Assumption of Risk, Release of Claims and Indemnification.

(a) I understand and agree that POMONA COLLEGE is not affiliated with [ENTITY] in any way and is not sponsoring this internship project. Although POMONA COLLEGE has agreed to award funding to support the internship, this does not constitute an endorsement by Pomona of the project, warranties regarding the project and is not liable for any injuries or harm arising from my involvement in this research. I understand and agree that POMONA COLLEGE is not in a position to evaluate the safety of the project and facilities used, or the risks associated with it.

(b) I understand and hereby acknowledge that I have carefully reviewed and fully understand the risks posed by travel to, in and around [SPECIFY LOCATION], including but not limited to the risks of religious, political and/or social disturbances, economic or legal events, as well as the risk of disease, substandard sanitation, inclement weather, construction and facilities hazards, or any other risk affiliated with travel to or stay in the Internship location or incidental travel there, as provided by:

- The United States State Department, which issues [Travel Advisories, Travel Alerts and Country Specific Information](#)
- [Australian Government Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade](#)
- [Foreign Affairs & International Trade Canada](#)
- [United Kingdom Foreign & Commonwealth Office](#)
- [The World Health Organization](#) and
- [The Centers for Disease Control](#) via the International Travelers Hotline at 877-FYTRIP (877-394-8747)

I certify that I have educated and informed myself about the risks and dangers of travel to, in and around [SPECIFY LOCATION], and any other risks associated with my stay in the area and participation in the internship project. For example, I understand that, due to traffic congestion and different traffic laws and regulations, riding a bicycle and driving a motor vehicle in a foreign country can be extremely hazardous, and also understand that insurance requirements and other financial responsibilities vary from country to country. I also certify that I have educated and informed myself about the risks

associated with activities I undertake that are not associated with the internship research or sponsored or controlled by any host institution, such as independent travel, periods of time extending beyond the termination of the Internship, or other periods in which I am not participating in the research project.

I UNDERSTAND THAT THESE RISKS MAY RESULT IN INJURY OR E5i 11 108.05 63x1 re W\* q 0 0 6

I hereby acknowledge that I have read, understand

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