

Student Acknowledgment, Declaration and Agreement

By ticking this box you confirm your understanding and acceptance of the acknowledgements, declarations and agreements set out below and that CSU may rely on and enforce these acknowledgements, declarations and agreements.

Privacy Statement

The personal information you provide in this form is governed by the *Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998*, the *Health Records and Information Privacy Act 2002* and CSU's [Privacy Management Plan](#) (the Privacy Legislation). Your information will be collected by CSU Global to assess whether you are a suitable student to send overseas to a host institution and to assess you for any travel or scholarship grants. If you are accepted into the CSU Global Exchange Program, your information may be disclosed to authorised personnel at a host institution to assess your eligibility to secure a place at that host institution.

Your personal information will not otherwise be made available to any other person or organisation for any other purpose without your consent except where CSU may be legally required to do so. The provision of personal information in this form by you is voluntary but if this information is not provided, CSU Global may not be able to assess your application in a timely manner.

You have a right of access to, and correction of, your personal and health information in accordance with the Privacy Legislation. Please direct any enquiries you may have in relation to this matter to CSU Global. If you are unhappy with the way CSU has handled or failed to handle your personal information, you may apply to have the matter reviewed by lodging a complaint with the CSU Ombudsman.

Media Release

- I understand that my testimonials/quotes and/or video footage/photographic images taken of me while on this international program are for free and unrestricted use by Charles Sturt University and its agents in editorial, advertising, educational and promotional material.
- I understand that international copyright and intellectual property rights on these materials will remain the property of Charles Sturt University who will be entitled to broadcast, publish or otherwise distribute these materials and any product thereof in any way or manner that they see fit, in perpetuity.
- My signature below signifies my approval, and I therefore have no further claims for compensation from Charles Sturt University or its agents.

My Application

- I declare that all the information submitted on this application is correct and complete.
- I understand that the provision of false or misleading information may result in non-acceptance of this application or immediate expulsion from the CSU Global Program.
- I understand that the decision of CSU Global is final with respect to the preliminary acceptance into the CSU Global Program.
- I agree to advise CSU Global if there are any changes to the information I have given in this application.

My privacy

- I acknowledge that I have read the Privacy Statement on the first page.
- I consent to the collection of my personal information contained in this application by CSU Global and, subject to my acceptance into CSU's Global Program, to the disclosure of such information to a partner for the purpose of assessing my eligibility for a place in the program.
- I consent to CSU Global disclosing my personal information to the host institution, my designated Emergency Contact and any Australian or foreign government agencies, for any purpose related to the protection of my safety and welfare.
- I consent to the distribution of my personal and contact details to CSU divisions, external organizations and Government departments in relation to this program. Please note if you are a participant in a government funded program part of the funding agreement is that your personal details will be released to this body.

My safety

- I acknowledge that CSU does not warrant that the host country is a safe and suitable country for overseas travel and that my decision to travel to a particular country or region is a personal one.
- I acknowledge that I am required to register my travel online at <http://www.smarttraveller.gov.au/> and Travel Tracker to keep myself updated with the latest travel advice from this website.
- I acknowledge that I am required to undertake the CSU Global Pre-Departure modules and agree to follow any

relevant directive issued by the Australian Embassy or High Commission or other Australian Government representative in the host country

- I understand that CSU can require my withdrawal from the program should it deem political instability and/or terrorist activities in the region to be unsafe for me to remain in my host country.

My participation in CSU Global Program

- I understand and accept that I must comply with the academic rules and regulations in place at the host institution and the laws applicable in the host country at all times and that any failure to do so may result in my exclusion from the host institution or expulsion from the host country at my own cost.
- I understand that I am bound by, and must comply with, the CSU [Student Misconduct Rule](#) at all times during my exchange.
- I will not participate in any activity, including political activity, which might endanger either CSU or the host institution, or undermine the effectiveness or viability of the program.
- I understand that CSU Global can require my withdrawal from the program for conduct unbecoming of a student of CSU, and will be sole authority in exercising this judgement.
- I understand that it is my responsibility to negotiate and obtain approval from CSU for obtaining academic credit for study.

My financial obligations

- I understand that my participation in this exchange program and associated travel is my sole responsibility and I assume all financial responsibility, including debt, arising from such circumstance.
- I am aware of the likely living cost of my stay overseas, and I have the necessary financial capacity to meet such costs for the full duration of my program.
- I understand the costs for which I am responsible for in association with this program.
- I understand that I am liable for CSU subject tuition fees and other CSU costs while I am on this program.
- I agree that I am responsible to ensure that my travel and medical insurance covers me for the total period of my travel including any independent travel before, after and during the program.
- I have read and understand the terms and conditions of the [CSU Global Overseas Program Cancellation and Refund Policy](#).
- I agree to abide by the [International Experience Grants and Scholarships Policy](#) in regard to any funds that are awarded or transferred to me via CSU Global.
- I understand that any Government or CSU scholarships or grants may not be paid directly to me, but dispersed across my international program to subsidise the costs associated with my participation.

My liabilities

- I agree to indemnify CSU for any expenses, losses, damages and costs that I may sustain or incur as a result, whether directly or indirectly, of any action arising from any failure by myself to obtain or maintain travel and medical insurance coverage. I understand that compulsory health insurance may be mandatory at my host institution. This may be in addition to the coverage I have purchased prior to departure.
- I agree that CSU and its staff are not to be held accountable for any injury or loss I may suffer when I am acting or travelling independently before, after and during the program.
- I understand that CSU will not be liable in any way for injury, sickness or damage that I may suffer during my participation in the program and/or resulting from the travel arrangements and any other related or incidental activities during this program.

General

- I have sought and obtained appropriate advice on my responsibilities as set out in this Acknowledgement, Declaration and Agreement.
- I understand that this Acknowledgement, Declaration and Agreement cannot be modified or amended except in writing by CSU.
- I understand that if selected for this program, I will be required to complete a program evaluation and pre-departure modules. If I am a recipient of the Vice Chancellor Travel Grant assist the Faculty and/or CSU Global with future promotional activities.