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HOUSING

Check all of the housing options available to students:

- Host families Dormitory Apartments provided by Program
 Apartments obtained independently by student Other (please describe)

SAFETY consideration includes functioning alarm system and/or smoke detectors, sprinkler system, locks on individual room doors, direct/easy access out of building in the event of an emergency, etc.

CLEANLINESS consideration includes an environment that supports healthy living. Areas of concern are presence of mold/mildew, insects/animals, etc.

COMFORT consideration includes an adequate sense of overall safety in the environment, one bed for each student, available bathroom facilities, etc.

Rate relevant housing options individually:

*Quality of **Host Family** option:*

Safety	1	2	3	4
Cleanliness	1	2	3	4
Comfort	1	2	3	4

Explain your rating

*Quality of **dormitory** option:*

Safety	1	2	3	4
Cleanliness	1	2	3	4
Comfort	1	2	3	4

Explain your rating

*Quality of **apartments provided by the program** option:*

Safety	1	2	3	4
Cleanliness	1	2	3	4
Comfort	1	2	3	4

Explain your rating



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Quality of **apartments obtained independently by student option**:

Safety	1	2	3	4
Cleanliness	1	2	3	4
Comfort	1	2	3	4

Describe the housing conditions.

Is there staff supervision in the dormitory and/or apartment? Yes No

Transportation from living accommodations to program location: 1 2 3 4

Outline the available modes of transportation to and from living accommodations:

What is the typical distance from housing to campus?

Evaluation of **host families** (if applicable): 1 2 3 4

*How are **host families** selected? What criteria are used?*

Which meals are provided with housing? Breakfast Lunch Dinner None

What options are available for meals: Cafeteria Host Family Independent

Quality of meals: 1 2 3 4



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HEALTH AND SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS

Potential threats to safety and security: 1 2 3 4

What are potential concerns such as criminal activity, terrorism, foreseeable natural disasters, etc.:

What are locals' perspectives on safety and security risks?

Does the host institution have a crisis response plan: Yes No

What plan does the host institution have in place in case of emergency?

Do students have access to an English-speaking emergency contact 24/7: Yes No

Include the emergency contact information here:

Accessibility to health services: 1 2 3 4

Describe the availability of healthcare:

Describe all necessary precautions students must take regarding possible health risks:



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Are there on campus medical/health facilities?

Yes

No

If no, will the institution make referrals?

Yes

No

How close are the nearest medical facilities? What are they like?

Available mental health services:

1

2

3

4

Describe the location and availability of counselors and/or the referral process if applicable:

Are there on campus mental health facilities?

Yes

No

Is health insurance required?

Yes

No

If so, by:

Host institution Home school

What coverage is necessary?



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STUDENT SERVICES

Assistance with pre-departure process (visa, group meetings, etc.): 1 2 3 4

Describe the assistance provided to students prior to departure:

Pre-departure and on-site orientation: 1 2 3 4

Describe what kind of cultural preparation is provided to students prior to participation and upon arrival:

Level of co-curricular programming integrated into the program: 1 2 3 4

What activities are included in the program, noting if/when extra costs are involved:

Opportunity for community engagement: 1 2 3 4

What activities are available to encourage interaction with the local society:

Are disability accommodations available for students? Yes No



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Are internships available for students?

Yes No

Describe internship placements and student feedback on their experience, if internships are NOT available, please make note:

Is service learning integrated with the program?

Yes No

If so, in what courses and what sites? How is it integrated?

Quality of Campus Facilities:

Classrooms	1	2	3	4
Library	1	2	3	4
Computer Labs	1	2	3	4
Common Spaces	1	2	3	4

Describe the facilities that are available for student use:

Are students recommended to bring a laptop?

Yes No

Are there additional fees to use any of the facilities?

Yes No



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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Alignment with Seattle University mission: 1 2 3 4

Evaluate areas of commonality and shared values with SU's mission:

Demonstration of cultural sensitivity: 1 2 3 4

Analyze how the program interacts with the local society and its impacts on that community:

Student feedback on overall experience (if available): 1 2 3 4

Based on student feedback, explain their overall experience on this program:

Please provide feedback on the general strengths and weaknesses of this program:



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ADMINISTRATION

Who serves as the institutional liaison?

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Who serves as the main person for student advising at this institution/program (if different from previous)?

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Who serves as the in-country contact for students?

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Who serves as the English-speaking, in-country, 24/7 emergency contact for students?

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

STUDENT SELECTION

Provide the host institution's student selection process and the criteria they require: