



EDUCATION ABROAD BUDGET WORKSHEET

*The purpose of this budget is to provide an estimate of how much studying abroad is going to cost. Actual spending may vary.
Bring this completed worksheet to a meeting with a Student Financial Aid Counselor.*

Education Abroad Program: SIT: Tropical Ecology, Marine Ecosystems, and Biodiversity
Conservation (Panama City, Panama)
Program Type: SU-Sponsored **Program Term(s):** Spring Semester (Cornish)

Seattle University Tuition & Fees*

These costs appear on your MySeattleU bill

		Education Abroad Program	Compared to SS expenses on SU campus
Item	Details	Cost (USD)	Cost (USD)
Tuition	Students participating in this program will be charged one semester of Seattle University's flat-rate tuition for each term abroad.	29694	29694
Technology Fee	Whether studying on campus at Seattle University or abroad, students are billed this fee each semester.	321	321
Wellness Fee	Whether studying on campus at Seattle University or abroad, students are billed this fee each semester.	266	266
Program Fee	Education Abroad Program Fees range from \$0-12,000 per term.	6000	N/A
Global Medical Insurance	All Education Abroad participants are required to have Global Medical Insurance. For many programs, this cost is already included in the Program Fee. If it is not included, the estimated additional cost provided here covers the program duration, and students will be automatically enrolled in the required coverage and billed accordingly.	0	N/A
A. Total Tuition & Fees		36281	30281

Additional Estimated Expenses

		Education Abroad Program	Compared to SS expenses on SU campus
Item	Details	Cost (USD)	Cost (USD)
Application Fee	If applicable, application fees are paid directly to Program Provider or Host University.	50	
Books/Materials	A good estimate is \$300 per term if information is not provided.	50	
Housing	Cost of housing varies by program and housing type. <i>Housing is included in program fee for this program.</i>	N/A	
Food	Cost of food varies by program and personal eating habits. <i>Meals are included in program fee for this program.</i>	N/A	
Airfare	Estimate cost of roundtrip ticket to program location. Search the web or consult a travel agent for actual price.	700	
Local Transportation	Local transportation could include bus fares, trains, taxis, etc.	175	

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Personal Spending	Personal spending depends on lifestyle and may include toiletries, clothing, nights out, souvenirs, etc.	950	
Passport	\$165 for a new passport and \$130 to renew (only if needed). The expiration date must be at least six months after scheduled return from program location.		N/A
Visa	Cost of visa plus required photos, documents, and/or travel expenses to and from the nearest consulate. <i>Upon arrival, U.S. passport holders will be issued a 180-day tourist visa; Students without a U.S. passport may be subject to additional or different requirements for obtaining a visa or meeting other conditions of entry into the country. SIT will provide</i>	0	N/A
Emergency funds	Recommended to allocate \$500 for emergencies.	500	500
Other	Please Specify: <i>Immunization costs vary. Each student must bring a smart phone that is able to accept a local SIM card with them to their program, or they must purchase a smart phone locally.</i>		
B. Total Estimated Additional Expenses			

Financial Aid

These awards are subtracted from your total MySeattleU bill

		Education Abroad Program	Compared to SS aid on SU campus
Item	Details	Amount (USD)	Amount (USD)
Federal & State Aid	Whether studying on campus at Seattle University or abroad, students will receive 1 semester's worth of Federal and State Aid for the Spring Semester.		
SU Scholarships & Grants	Students participating in this program for one semester will receive 1 semester of SU Aid . To calculate the amount applied to a semester, divide the total annual SU Aid award by 2.		
Additional Aid	This includes any extra financial assistance students may receive during this term on campus or through education abroad scholarships. Since the portability of additional aid for education abroad varies by aid type and program, students should consult Student Financial Services for specific details.		
C. Total Financial Aid			

	Education Abroad Program	Compared to SS expenses on SU campus
Total Out-of-Pocket Expenses (A + B – C)	D.	E.

Difference (D – E)

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