Participant Eligibility and Selection

<u>Participant Eligibility</u>: In order to participate in an international group Winter Term abroad a student must not be on disciplinary probation. As part of the application process students will be required to fill out a Group Winter Term Abroad Information Sheet that will collect administrative information and give permission to the Dean of Students office to check student records to confirm eligibility.

<u>Selection Criteria</u>: Each Trip Leader shall, in consultation with the Office of Study Away, develop a process through which participants are selected for their program. At minimum this process will include a written application, but may also include an interview and other requirements as deemed necessary by the trip leader. The following criteria are examples of what may be considered as part of the application process:

- academic preparation and strength;
- sense of maturity, responsibility and citizenship;
- ability to describe how the study abroad experience will apply to academic and personal goals;
- knowledge of proposed destination and culture;
- completion of any course pre-requisites;
- fulfillment of any language requirements.