

**UW-Madison College of Engineering
International Engineering Studies & Programs Participation Acknowledgement**

Student Name: _____ Campus ID: _____

Program Abroad: _____ (city and country)

Term Overseas: _____ (term and year)

As a participant on an IESP program overseas, I understand:

- (a) I must be enrolled as a full time student (equivalent of 12-18 UW-Madison credits-minimum number of credits is 15 for some programs) each semester I am overseas; _____ (Initials)
- (b) As a CoE student, I must complete my last two semesters in residence as a full-time student in the College of Engineering, meaning I cannot study abroad during the two semesters (24 credits) prior to graduation without obtaining prior approval (contact IESP regarding this process); _____ (Initials)
- (c) All courses taken abroad must be equated to UW-Madison courses (even if I do not obtain passing grades) and that all courses are posted to my UW-Madison academic record as part of my permanent record regardless of whether or not they are required or needed; _____ (Initials)
- (d) The number of credits awarded for each course is based on the IESP credit conversion scale for my particular program, and NOT on the number of credits the equivalent course is worth at UW-Madison. Therefore, it is possible to obtain a different number of credits (more or less) for a course than it is normally worth at UW-Madison; _____ (Initials)
- (e) As an Engineering major, the courses I take abroad will be posted on my UW-Madison academic record as Pass/Fail ('S' or 'U') grades. If I have an additional major or certificate that is not within the College of Engineering, I understand these grades will be posted as A-F grades and will directly impact my GPA; this additional major or certificate must be declared prior to my departure, or the courses will post as S/U and consequently not count toward the additional major or certificate; _____ (Initials)
- (f) Courses from overseas cannot be posted to my UW-Madison academic record until all course equivalencies have been established by UW-Madison departments, and/or multiple semesters of coursework from overseas have been processed. Individual courses cannot be posted to my record- all courses must be posted at the same time. _____ (Initials)
- (g) As a participant on an IESP program, I will take at least 50% engineering coursework while abroad. _____ (Initials)
- (h) Be in good academic/non-academic standing prior to my departure. If this changes, I will notify IESP of my change in status (academic/non-academic probation) _____ (Initials)

Signed:

(Signature)

(Date)