

**May Term Travel Course Agreement
Illinois Wesleyan University**

I, _____, am a student at Illinois Wesleyan University (the "University"). I have agreed to participate in the University's May Term 2012 Travel Course entitled _____ (the "Program"). My participation in the Program is wholly and completely voluntary. As a condition of participating in the Program and in consideration of the University allowing my participation in the Program, I hereby agree as follows:

1. Program Risks

I understand and acknowledge that participating in the Program involves risks which may not be found while studying at the University. These risks include, but are not limited to: traveling to, within, and returning from one or more foreign countries; foreign political, legal, social, and economic conditions; differing laws, differing standards of social conduct and behavior; differing standards of design, safety, and maintenance of buildings, public places, and other such matters of which I may or may not be aware.

2. Program Changes

I understand and acknowledge that the University will attempt to maintain the Program as described in its publications and brochures, but that the University reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time and for any reason whatsoever, with or without notice, to make changes to the Program. The University reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time and for any reasons whatsoever, with or without notice, to cancel the Program. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the University shall make reasonable efforts to inform the participants of any change or cancellation to the Program.

3. Participation in the Program

I understand and acknowledge that the University reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time for any reason whatsoever, to remove me from the Program. I further understand and acknowledge that the University has the right to enforce its rules and regulations during the course of the Program, and that in doing so the University can impose sanctions up to and including removal from the Program. I understand and acknowledge that due to the circumstances of foreign study programs, procedures for notice, hearing and appeal applicable to students disciplinary proceedings at the University do not apply. If during the course of the Program my conduct violates any University rule or regulation, I may be referred to the appropriate University officials for further disciplinary action upon my return from the Program. In the event I am removed from the Program, then, in that event, no refund of fees will be provided and I will be responsible for my return expenses. In the event I elect to voluntarily leave the Program early, then, in that event, I will provide written notice to the University, and no refund of fees will be provided and I will be responsible for my return expenses.

4. Standard of Conduct

I understand and acknowledge that each foreign country has its own laws and social standards of acceptable behavior and conduct. I recognize that behavior and conduct violating these laws and social standards could harm the University's relations with those countries and the institutions therein, as well as my own health and safety. As such, I affirmatively assert that I will become informed of, and will abide by, all such laws and social standards for each country I will travel to or through during the Program. In addition to the foregoing, I will comply with all rules and regulations issued by the University (including its designated representatives) or any coordinating institution. I understand and acknowledge that I am required to participate in all classes and scheduled activities of the Program. I further understand and acknowledge that I will not be supervised by the University at all times during the course of the Program, and that I am responsible for my own safety and for avoiding all unsafe behavior.

5. Cooperating Third Parties

I understand and acknowledge that the University does not represent or act as an agent for, and cannot control the acts or omissions of, any host institution, host family, transportation carrier, hotel, tour organizer or any other third party provider

of goods or services involved, directly or indirectly, in the Program. I further understand and acknowledge that the University is not responsible for the actions, or inactions, of third parties or any other matters or events beyond its control.

6. Health and Insurance

I affirmatively assert that I have no health related conditions that preclude or restrict my participation in the Program. Notwithstanding the foregoing, I agree to report to the University's Dean of Students any health related condition that I have which may require special medical attention or accommodation during the Program at least ninety (90) days prior to departure. I agree that the University, in its sole discretion, with or without notice, and as it deems necessary, may apprise such University representatives involved with the Program of my medical condition. I understand and acknowledge that during the course of the Program any injury or illness I sustain may be covered by the University's blanket insurance policy with EIIA (Policy No. WR 10003936); however, I specifically acknowledge that such coverage may be inadequate to cover all instances of injury or illness; or the costs associated therewith. Therefore, I hereby represent and warrant that I am and will be covered throughout the Program by a policy of comprehensive health and accident insurance which provides coverage for injuries and illnesses I sustain or experience while traveling and participating in the Program. I recognize that the University is not obligated to attend to any of my medical needs during the course of the Program and that the University is not responsible for the scope or quality of treatment I may receive from medical providers during the course of the Program.

7. Program Costs

I understand and acknowledge that I will be solely responsible for all costs and fees applicable to my participation in the Program, including any costs related to the change or cancellation of the Program, and I affirmatively assert that I have the financial resources to pay for all such costs and fees.

8. Waiver, Release and Indemnification Agreement

I agree that as a condition of participating in the Program and in consideration of the University allowing my participation in the Program I will sign the attached Waiver, Assumption of Risk and Indemnification Agreement.

9. Miscellaneous

I understand and acknowledge this agreement shall become effective only upon receipt and approval by the University. I agree that all representations, statements or inducements that have been made to me regarding the Program are included in this Agreement. I have read this entire agreement and fully understand all terms, representations and obligations herein. I affirm that I am of legal age, or if not, that I have secured below the signature of my parent or guardian as well as my own, and am freely signing this agreement. I understand that this agreement is a binding legal document and that the venue for any legal proceedings regarding the Program and my participation therein shall be in McLean County, Illinois.

CAUTION: READ THIS AGREEMENT CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING:

(Signature of Student)

Name (Printed)

Date

(Signature of Parent/Guardian
if Student is under the age of 18)

Name (Printed)

Date