Study Abroad Policy for International Students

All students are expected to make a good-faith effort to complete the study abroad requirement. However, students who are citizens of a country other than the United States, whose primary residence is in that country, and who completed their high school degree outside the U.S. may petition the director of OIS for an exemption from the study abroad requirement. This request will be reviewed in consultation with Goucher’s International Student Advisor and Assistant Provost for Experiential Learning. Appeals may be made to the Associate Provost for Undergraduate Studies, whose decision shall be final. The grounds for such appeal will be that the procedures described in this policy were not followed, and the failure to follow procedure may have affected the outcome of the final decision; or that substantive new information that was not reasonably available at the time of the decision has now become available and may change the outcome of the final decision. Students who are granted an exemption will be required to substitute a minimum three-credit off-campus academic experience in lieu of the study abroad requirement.

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