

### Study Abroad Statement of Purpose Form

*(Please note that there are resources to assist you with writing, including but not limited to the Writing Place at <https://www.bhcc.edu/writingplace/>)*

Student/Study Abroad Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ BHCC ID: \_\_\_\_\_

1st Choice Program Country: \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd Choice Program Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ # of BHCC credits earned so far: \_\_\_\_\_

Please address the following questions with paragraphs and keep answers within the designated space:

Why did you choose this particular program or programs?

What do you hope to achieve by participating in a study abroad experience?

How will a study abroad experience contribute to your personal, educational and career goals?

What travel experiences have you had up until now?

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**Please describe a time when you found yourself in an unfamiliar and/or uncomfortable situation and how you coped with it.**

**Study abroad is an intense experience. How do you plan to cope with the stress and discomfort you will most likely experience?**

**Please comment your ability and/or willingness to stay with the group, share living quarters with other students, unplug from distractions, and be fully engaged in the study abroad experience:**

**Please share any concerns you have about this student's participation in a study abroad experience:**