

Willamette University Eco-Tour Post-Session – Ecuador 2010

APPLICATION CHECKLIST and INSTRUCTIONS

A complete application consists of the following item which must be completed and at the *Office of International Education in Matthews* by **Wednesday November 11th, 2009.**

- **Application Page:** Attached. Complete and sign.
- **ACLAS Host Family Form and Letter:** Attached. Please complete.
- **One page, double-spaced Essay:** (about 250 words) on the topic: *Why do I want to attend this post-session program and what do I hope to accomplish?*
- **An unofficial copy of your WU transcript:** Please attach to your application.

Students will be informed of their status in the program within 2 weeks of the application deadline and, if accepted, will need to make a nonrefundable deposit of \$250 by Monday, November 30th. (Do not make this deposit until you receive directions on how to do so.) Information about the final payment schedule will be provided as well. Payment for this program will be made directly through your WU student account. Students are required to participate in mandatory pre-departure meetings during Spring Semester. Non-attendance is reasonable grounds for dismissal from the program. If you do not already have a passport, you will be required to get one. A PASSPORT is REQUIRED to participate in this program. If accepted, students should start the passport application process immediately.

WITHDRAWALS:

TO WITHDRAW after acceptance to a program:

Students must send WRITTEN notification to the Office of International Education as soon as s/he determines that s/he will be unable to participate in his/her program. A signed letter/memo or an email do qualify as written notification. The OIE will notify any program providers/host universities as needed. When a student withdraws from the post session, the student will be subject to the program provider's/host university's withdrawal/refund policy which may include a financial penalty.

QUESTIONS:

QUESTIONS about the application packet or application process?

Please call OIE at 503-375-5493; on-campus: direct dial x5493 or email oieadvising@willamette.edu.

QUESTIONS about the program content and activities? Please contact one of the program leaders:

- Spanish Professor John Uggem, x6254, juggem@willamette.edu
- Economics Professor Jerry Gray, x6307, jgray@willamette.edu

Please keep this page for your records.

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ACLAS Host Family Form DHF-B



An important part of your experience in Ecuador is living with an Ecuadorean host family. This form will help in selecting a compatible family for you.

The photo is an important part of the form, so please do not neglect it. Thank you.

NAME _____
Last First Middle

GENDER _____ BIRTHDATE _____ PASSPORT No. _____

PERMANENT ADDRESS _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

PARENT(S) NAME(S) _____

PARENT(S) ADDRESS _____

PARENT(S) PHONE NUMBER (HOME) _____ (WORK) _____

SPECIAL HOBBIES OR INTERESTS _____

IF YOU HAVE MEDICAL OR RELIGIOUS LIMITATIONS TO WHAT YOU MAY EAT,

EXPLAIN: _____

DO YOU SMOKE? _____ DO YOU MIND SMOKERS? _____

DO YOU MIND PETS? _____

DO YOU ENJOY YOUNG CHILDREN? _____ OLDER CHILDREN? _____

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Below, please write in English a letter of introduction to your host family, in which you describe yourself in greater detail than is possible on the form. Discuss any of the following if they are applicable to you: your personality, family relationships, interests and hobbies, daily activities, dietary limitations or preferences, religious preferences or activities, level of personal independence, degree of privacy and expectations for your stay in Ecuador.

To the best of my knowledge, the information furnished by me on this form is complete and accurate.

Signature _____

Date _____