

UM Scholarship Recipient Guidelines for Service to Study Abroad Office

If you have elected to provide the Study Abroad Office with volunteer service, you agree to commit to a minimum of 10 hours of service in the semester of your return.

Ways you can fulfill this obligation include:

- Volunteer at the Fall or Spring Study Abroad Fair (or both).
- Assist with pre-departure orientations for your program.
- Serve as a panelist for outreach events such as class visits or information sessions about your program.
- Agree to serve as a contact for students wishing to speak with alumni from your program.
- Accompany new international students on their welcome outing, usually in late August just before classes begin.
- Volunteer to help with the new exchange student welcome event, usually during the first week of the semester, and the farewell reception for exchange students at the end of the semester.
- Help the Study Abroad Office distribute flyers to locations around campus, or chalk to advertise special events and deadlines.
- Other special projects, as approved by the Study Abroad Office.

Please contact Lisa Tenley Alton at ltenley@umd.edu to confirm your agreement with these conditions and provide the best contact information. Throughout the semester following your return, Lisa will work with you to find the best way for you to fulfill your volunteer commitment.

Feel free to contact the Study Abroad Office if you have any questions about these details and guidelines.

We look forward to helping you share your enthusiasm for study abroad!