

### Final Semester Abroad – Exception Form

Study Abroad during the final semester before graduation is not permitted. Exceptions may be granted for extenuating circumstances. The following items need to be considered:

- Course registration abroad is not guaranteed. Graduation requirements may not be met due to availability of courses abroad and while it is uncommon, sometimes courses taken abroad do not match the courses that are planned.
- Transcripts issued by the host institution may not arrive in time to meet WVU's graduation application deadlines.
- Students need to work with The Hub to discuss their personal Financial Aid and Scholarship requirements. Funding may not be available if all degree requirements have been met.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ WVU ID \_\_\_\_\_

Ed Abroad Program \_\_\_\_\_ Semester Abroad \_\_\_\_\_

WVU College \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Courses taken abroad:

Some or all are required for degree completion.

Are not required for degree completion.

If transcripts do not arrive by the WVU graduation certification deadline, graduation will be delayed until the transcripts are received. All courses taken abroad are considered part of the student's WVU record and must be returned to complete their record before graduation is permitted. Delayed graduation can impact the start of a student's employment and/or graduate admissions.

Given the information above, signatures below indicate understanding and continued support of the proposed study abroad program.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Advisor (Print Name) \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Advisor Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Dean (Print Name) \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Dean Signature \_\_\_\_\_