

ISU in Panama - Quality Leadership University (QLU) Exchange  
 Estimated Budget  
 Fall 2017

	Apartment	Host Family
<b>OISP Bills to Student's Account</b>		
<i>(billed in June, balance due first week of July for Fall term)</i>		
ISU Tuition (2 hours in-state, based on 2016-2017 catalog year)	\$ 740.50	\$ 740.50
Study Abroad Instructional Cost: (QLU tuition, waived for exchange students)	\$ -	\$ -
Exchange Program Fee	\$ 231.00	\$ 231.00
Study Abroad Non-Refundable Application Fee (billed upon acceptance)	\$ 225.00	\$ 225.00
Mandatory International Health Insurance	\$ 119.12	\$ 119.12
	<b>\$ 1,315.62</b>	<b>\$ 1,315.62</b>

**Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student**

Round-Trip Airfare	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00
Passport	\$ 135.00	\$ 135.00
Student Visa (Not required for study of 6 months or less)	\$ -	\$ -
Accommodations (Apartment or Host Family)	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,800.00
Meals	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 650.00
Taxi from Airport to Housing	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00
On-Site Transportation	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
Books	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
Personal Expenses (does not include travel)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
	<b>\$ 4,865.00</b>	<b>\$ 4,615.00</b>

<b>Total Estimated Cost of Program</b>	<b>\$ 6,180.62</b>	<b>\$ 5,930.62</b>
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**Study Abroad Instructional Cost Includes:** QLU Tuition for 15 credit hours

**Apartment:** includes suite for 3 students (3 bedrooms), daily breakfast, wifi, and laundry

**Host family:** includes breakfast and dinner, wifi, and laundry

Please note that this itemized budget sheet is a per term estimate accurate at the time of publication and is subject to change. The "Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student" section is based on estimates and it addresses basic necessities and light to moderate personal expenses. Costs can fluctuate based on changes in currency exchange rates, tuition and fees increases, varying personal lifestyles, etc.

**Financial Aid:** Financial aid and scholarships may be applied to the costs of studying abroad. Please visit:  
<http://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/cost/financialaid/>

**ISU Tuition:** All students participating in an OISP-sponsored Study Abroad Program are billed for two credit hours of tuition based on the catalog year they first enrolled at ISU. For more information on your tuition rate please visit:  
<http://studentaccounts.illinoisstate.edu/tuition/>

**OISP Study Abroad Withdrawal Policy:** Please visit:  
<http://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/apply/withdrawal/>

**Fall 2017 Program Dates:**  
 Arrival: August 22, 2017  
 Orientation: August 24, 2017  
 Classes Start: August 28, 2017  
 Classes End: November 23, 2017