

ISU in Panama - Quality Leadership University (QLU) Exchange
Estimated Budget
Spring 2018

	Apartment	Host Family
OISP Bills to Student's Account (billed in December, balance due first week of January)		
ISU Tuition (2 hours in-state, based on 2017-2018 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
	\$ 1,315.62	\$ 1,315.62

Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student

Round-Trip Airfare from O'Hare International Airport	\$ 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
	\$ 4,865.00	\$ 4,615.00

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

Apartment: includes suite for 3 students (3 bedrooms), 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/>

Spring 2018 Program Dates:

Arrival: TBA

Orientation: TBA

Classes Start: TBA

Classes End: TBA