

The following Code of Conduct will help to promote a safe and secure environment for AustraLearn students. All students enrolled in an AustraLearn program must abide by these standards. The Student understands that as a participant in the AustraLearn programs, he/she is subject to the rules and requirements through the Code of Conduct at AustraLearn, which the Student agrees to fulfill in all respects and is subject to immediate dismissal from the program if he/she does not do so. It is the Student's responsibility as a participant on the AustraLearn program to act respectfully and with the utmost care for the people they come in contact with and with regard to the property of others. As an AustraLearn participant the following is prohibited:

- 1. Actions which interfere, obstruct or disrupt an AustraLearn, host university or host program provider activity, including but not limited to, teaching, meetings, public events and disciplinary processes.
- 2. Actions which interfere, obstruct or disrupt the freedom of expression and/or movement of another person.
- 3. Actions which violate the human rights of another person; use or threatened use of physical force or violence to restrict the freedom of action or movement of another, to endanger the physical health, psychological health or safety of any person, including oneself; or disrespectful behavior or language; ethnic intimidation.
- 4. Conduct that is detrimental to the good of or which discredits AustraLearn, the host university or the host program provider. Such conduct includes, but is not limited to hosting parties and/or student behaviors that are disruptive to the community and violate laws.
- 5. Misrepresentation and/or academic dishonesty such as cheating and plagiarism; knowingly furnishing false information or identification; and fraud, forgery, alteration or unauthorized use of documents, records, identification or property.
- 6. Unauthorized taking or possession of, damage to, or destruction of AustraLearn, host university or host program provider property, services or the property or services of others. This includes damage as a result of gross negligence (including vandalism or tampering with fire alarms or extinguishers.)
- 7. Actions leading to disorderly conduct, lewd or obscene behavior.
- 8. Possession, use, manufacturing, distributing, or selling alcoholic beverages in violation of the law or host university or host program provider policies.
- 9. Possession, use, or trafficking of illegal drugs and/or drug paraphernalia.
- 10. The possession or use of explosives, fireworks, firearms, knives, ammunition, other dangerous weapons or materials.
- 11. Failure to comply with the directives of AustraLearn, host university or host program provider officials and their authorized agents acting in the performance of their duties.
- 12. Misuse of computer facilities and/or systems, including unauthorized usage, breaches of security or system performance, invasion of privacy or harassment or threats.
- 13. Students are responsible for all activity that takes place in their accommodation and are also responsible for the actions of their guests.
- 14. Violations of the policies and directives set forth by any and all of the Accommodation Authorities for housing undertaken throughout any portion of the Study Abroad or Short Course program. This includes, but is not limited to accommodation on the program introduction, any pre-arranged housing for the program or permanent or temporary accommodation secured by the Student upon arrival.
- 15. Violations of public laws/ordinances. Should an act violate both this Code of Conduct and public law, the student is subject to dual jurisdiction.