EAP Parent & Family Orientation

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Session Overview

• Structure and resources of the Education Abroad Program

• Review Parents Guide tabs on EAP website, eap.ucop.edu

• Questions and answers
EAP Systemwide Structure

- UC wide program offerings; 400 programs in 43 countries
- Over 5,000 UC students abroad each year (500-600 from UCSD)
- Network of support here in CA and abroad
- Campus EAP Office
- UCEAP Systemwide Office in Santa Barbara (Goleta)
- UCEAP Study Centers abroad; liaison officers in some locations; UCEAP Faculty Directors in certain countries
EAP Campus Offices

- Marketing and outreach
- Student advising
- EAP application processing and selection
- Financial aid and scholarships assistance
- Predeparture orientations (general and country)
- Assistance upon return to campus
UCEAP Systemwide Office

- Overall program administration and coordination
- Predeparture paperwork & assisting students with processes, program budgets and payments
- All arrangements and communication with staff overseas
- Academic coordination and oversight
- Crisis management and response
EAP Centers/Partners Abroad

- Faculty and/or staff oversee day to day operation of programs
- Provide housing information, assistance, and in some instances, placement
- Organize and deliver onsite orientations for students when they arrive
- Provide advising about course selection, enrollment, navigating a different educational system, expectations of faculty, etc.
- Arrange social events and holiday activities
- Refer students to local doctors, dentists, counselors
Questions and Answers

“Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn’t do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines, sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover.” – Mark Twain

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-the Study Abroad staff