MINIMAL IPFW Study Abroad Guidelines established by the Office of International Education

1. Applicant is a degree-seeking student at IPFW.

2. Applicant is pursuing no less than three credits on a credit-granting IPFW-approved program offered by that campus.

3. Merit will be determined by a campus committee but students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5

4. Financial need will be determined by campus officials.

5. Grant amounts can range determined by campus officials and based on availability of funds

6. Distribution of funds across multiple programs will be left to the discretion of campus officials.

Additional Guidelines

The International Programs Committee considers the following ranked criteria:

1. Length of program
2. Total cost of program
3. GPA
4. Academic strength and preparedness, maturity, and adaptability
5. Quality of Statement of Purpose regarding benefit of study abroad
6. Faculty recommendation
7. Anticipated long-term effect of study abroad on study and/or career plans
8. Financial need
9. Participation upon return in the Office of International Education Global Mastodons program or other service to the university
10. Other criteria deemed relevant by the Committee