

Isabella Cannon Global Education Center
COVID-19 Addendum to
Global Engagement Student Responsibilities

I understand and hereby agree, in consideration of being permitted to participate in a global engagement program in Spring 2021, to the following responsibilities related to my behavioral expectations to slow the spread of COVID-19:

- 1. Voluntary Participation.** I understand that my participation in this program during Spring 2021 is voluntary and not required by Elon University (“the University” or “Elon”). I also understand that my participation is a privilege and not a right and my continuation on a Global Engagement Center (“GEC”) program is dependent on my meeting the obligations set forth in the Elon Student Handbook as well as specific student responsibilities set forth below.
- 2. Standards of Conduct.**
 - a.** I understand and agree that as an Elon student participating in a global engagement program in Spring 2021 it is my responsibility to act in such a way as to not jeopardize the health of myself or others in the host community. With an increased focus on the health and safety of the host and program communities during the COVID-19 global pandemic, I also understand there will be modified rules and expectations for global engagement experiences that occur at this time.
 - b.** I understand that I am expected to comply with all on-site risk mitigation and conduct measures implemented by the host program, including but not limited to all local health and safety standards, or any restrictions on mass gatherings.
 - c.** I understand that violations of university and program COVID-19-related policies may result in elevated disciplinary measures, including being dismissed from the Global Education program and returned home at my own expense with no refund of fees.
- 3. AlertTraveler App.** In an effort to support my health and safety during my participation in a GEC program, I am expected to download and activate the AlertTraveler mobile app, which allows the GEC to administer a check-in request if needed. This app is available to activate starting 60 days before the student’s itinerary start date.
- 4. Independent Activity, including free days.** I understand that the GEC has provided instruction that independent travel outside of the host country should be limited only to that which is necessary and essential. Independent travel refers to travel during free time or that which is not related to the program.
- 5. Ongoing Updates to Health and Safety Policies and Standards of Conduct.**
 - a.** I understand and acknowledge that the GEC, together with its partner organizations, reserve the right to re-evaluate policies for the health and safety of the community as circumstances warrant. In the event a new policy must be implemented, I understand that I will be given at least 48 hours’ notice.

- b.** I understand it is my responsibility to remain up to date on any new or revised policies and protocols for health and safety and that I will be held accountable for these standards, whether they be instituted by the GEC, the host organization, or local authorities.
- c.** Given the fluidity of the situation, it is not possible to list every potential scenario, limitation, or policy. The aforementioned items represent the situation as it exists now, not the full range of potential policies. I understand that I may be held accountable for actions detrimental to the program not listed in this addendum.

I understand and agree that this addendum is fully incorporated into and is a part of the Global Engagement Student Responsibilities Agreement. All other terms and conditions that are not hereby amended are to remain in full force and effect.