

# FACULTY-LED STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

## Student Guests

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In order to ensure that the program objectives and student health and safety remains the top priority and to mitigate potential risks, we have outlined the following policy relating to guests.

### TEMPORARY UPDATED POLICIES

**Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and to ensure the safety and health of all participants, temporary COVID Faculty-led Guidelines were implemented on September 21, 2021 in conjunction with RIT Education Abroad, Risk Management, Legal and the Provost's office:**

#### Family Guests

Spouses, partners, and children cannot travel with or participate in the program including activities related to the course requirements. Students who are involving family before/after the program dates must notify the Faculty Director prior to the departure date.

**This policy supersedes the normal policies outlined below. The policy will be updated if/when there are any changes to the COVID Faculty-led Guidelines.**

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#### Other Friends/Guests

No other friends/guests are permitted to participate in RIT faculty-led programs. Any engagement with other friends/guests in country should take place independent of program courses and activities.

#### Lodging

RIT students cannot have family members, friends, or guests stay in their housing during participation in a study abroad program.