



2020 STUDY ABROAD PHOTO/VIDEO CONTEST GUIDELINES

Eligibility: To take part in this contest you must have studied abroad between Fall 2019 – Spring 2020.

Contest Categories:

World as Your Classroom-Photo Category: a photo that captures unique cultural comparisons, observations, or academic insights you gained outside of a traditional classroom space. *You do not have to be in this photo.

The Faces of Study Abroad-Photo Category: a photo of yourself from your study abroad experience. This photo can include others and can be from your travels to other locations while studying abroad. *You must be in this photo.

Study Abroad in 60 Seconds-Video Category: 30 seconds-2 minutes video highlighting your experience studying in a different country. Videos should not contain any copyrighted material including music. To find copyright-free music, use a source like: www.freemusicarchive.org.

Number and Format of Submissions: You may submit up to three photos/videos – one per contest category. Each photo/video must be submitted electronically via our online application (see below). Photos may be black-and-white or color.

Restrictions: Photo/video(s) must be appropriate for posting on a public website. Obscene, provocative or otherwise questionable content will not be considered. SUNY Cortland retains sole discretion as to what constitutes inappropriate content. Please also note that photos containing a visible business logo imprint are not eligible. (ex. Bought souvenir photos from adventure activities or animal preserves that have the company's logo in the bottom corner) All photo contest entries become the property of the Cortland International Programs Office. By submitting your photo(s), you permit the Internationals Programs Office to use them to promote programs in print or electronic media.

Photo/Video Release Form: Photo/video(s) containing recognizable people (other than yourself) must be accompanied by a signed [SUNY Cortland Photo Release](#) form. This (especially) includes photos/videos of: children; people with disabilities; people with minoritized identities (racial, ethnic, religious, etc.); and people who are economically and/or educationally disadvantaged. If you cannot provide a release form for a person in one of your photos/videos, you should choose a different photo to submit for that particular category. If you can provide a release form, you will have the option to upload in our online application.

Application Process and Deadline: You must submit your photograph(s), via our online application – which is accessed via this link:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=tBmbbEflKkSknG2df9riMBUIUYE0g5xOsmOH2mt_24RUOUg3Sk9aTzNYRkVOOUpPODBVTkdaVOJVRSQLQCN0PWcu

ENTRIES ARE DUE BY **October 25, 2020**.

Prizes: The top photo/video in each category voted by popular vote will receive \$50. The top photo and a runner up will also be selected by committee voting. The top photo/video in each category will receive \$100 and the runner up will receive \$75.

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