



Learning Abroad

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Faculty-Led Program Logistics Provider

Learning Abroad requires UH faculty-led programs to have in-country logistics providers in order to ensure adequate safety and risk support.

It is our role to ensure they are **adequately insured and vet their in-country transportation options**, that they will **support 24/7 in-country**, that they can **support changes to housing and transportation** needs.

When considering a logistics provider please review:

- Contact Details
 - Who is your contact person(s) with the organization?
- What in-country support is provided?
 - How do they provide risk and safety support?
 - How can they support in crisis management?
 - Are they available 24/7 in case of an emergency?
- Housing Details
 - How is housing chosen?
 - How do they assign students to housing?
- Transportation Details
 - How are transportation services chosen?
 - How are these services vetted?
- Is there any visa and immigration support?



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The following logistic providers have already been vetted and approved by the University of Houston:

- **American Institute for Foreign Study (AIFS)**
 - [Sharon F. Secki](#), Director of Admissions and Customized Programs
 - [Ann Hubbard](#), Director of University Relations for Customized Programs and Academic Assessment
 - <http://www.aifspartnerships.com>
- **CEA Study Abroad**
 - [Derek Shepherd](#), Regional Director & Liaison for UH Faculty-Led Programs
 - www.ceaStudyAbroad.com
- **CIEE Custom Programs**
 - [Brooke Beland](#)
 - <https://www.ciee.org/go-abroad/for-educators/custom-programs>
- **EF College Study Tours**
 - [Cat Cooke](#)
 - www.efcollegestudytours.com
- **Millennium Tours**
 - [Zohra Mamujee](#)
 - www.mltours.com
- **SIT Study Abroad | Custom & Faculty-Led Programs**
 - [Courtney Bauman](#), University Relations Manager
 - <https://studyabroad.sit.edu/advisors-faculty/custom-faculty-led-programs>
- **WorldStrides | ISA Custom Programs**
 - [Brandon Youngman](#), Program Development Manager
 - <https://worldstrides.com/higher-ed-custom/>