May 8, 2015

ESTIMATE OF STUDENT EXPENSES:

SPRING 2016 NATIONAL SECURITY EXTENDED STUDY TO NEW YORK CITY (POSC 353)

The following is an estimate of all student expenses. It is based on the most current information available from the extended study director and reasoned estimates of necessary expenses. You should not assume that these amounts will be sufficient without careful spending!

A. AMOUNT BILLED BY COLGATE:

$ 1,400 housing cost (unless living at home)
105 group meals on field trips
+ 44 room charge on overnight field trip
$1,549 TOTAL BILLED BY COLGATE

B. NECESSARY OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES (not billed by Colgate):

$ 840 meals ($40/day x 21 days)
+ 99 round-trip bus fare to NYC (unless living at home)
$ 939 TOTAL ESTIMATED OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES

C. PERSONAL SPENDING:

$ 225 personal spending (estimated)
$ 225 TOTAL ESTIMATED PERSONAL SPENDING

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TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES BEYOND TUITION: (A+B+C)

$ 1,549 amount billed by Colgate
939 necessary out-of-pocket expenses
+ 225 personal spending
$ 2,713 TOTAL ESTIMATED STUDENT EXPENSES BEYOND TUITION

NOTE THAT SOME OF THESE EXPENSES ARE BASED ON ESTIMATES. DO NOT ASSUME THAT THESE AMOUNTS WILL BE SUFFICIENT WITHOUT CAREFUL SPENDING!

Adjustments in the aid package will be based on the above figures. Some students may incur additional expenses, including – but not limited to – travel and visa costs. It is each student’s responsibility to understand and plan for the costs associated with their unique situation.