# Budget Estimate

**Engineering and Science Exchange in Hong Kong**  
**Hong Kong University of Science and Technology**  
**Fall Semester 2014**

## Program Fees (billed through student’s U of M account)

The Learning Abroad Center reserves the right to adjust program fees at any time. During the course of program operations, actual figures may vary.

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<th>Item</th>
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<td>Tuition and Educational Costs</td>
<td>$7,330</td>
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<td>International Health Insurance</td>
<td>$120</td>
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<td>Housing and/or Meals</td>
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<td>Transportation (if required and included in program fee)</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL Program Fee</strong></td>
<td><strong>$7,450</strong></td>
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Program Discount for University of Minnesota & CIC SPA Students (if applicable)  

**TOTAL Program Fee with discount (if applicable)**  

### Estimated Additional Expenses (not included in Program Fee)

Transportation to and from program site .................................................................................... $1,900

Passport/Visa/Required Documents/Photos/Required Immunizations .................................................. $150

Texts/Materials ............................................................................................................................. $200

Housing and/or Meals not included in program fee ........................................................................ $1,500

Essential Daily Living Expenses .................................................................................................... $1,300

**TOTAL Estimated Additional Expenses (without spending money)** ........................................... **$5,050**

Spending Money & Personal Travel (not included in financial aid calculation)  

**$1,500**

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The University of Minnesota requires students to retain U.S. health insurance while abroad. While not a direct cost of learning abroad, students must plan and budget to continue their existing US health insurance coverage. More information can be found here: [http://umabroad.umn.edu/students/healthsafety/intlhealtinsurance/ushealthinsurancerequirement](http://umabroad.umn.edu/students/healthsafety/intlhealtinsurance/ushealthinsurancerequirement)

The above estimated total expenses are used to help plan and prepare for the program, as well as calculate eligibility for financial aid. Not all students will incur all the expenses above. Note that the last line is not considered a necessary expense and is not included in the total for financial aid purposes. All amounts listed are estimates and subject to change depending on international economic factors, past participant reports, and on-site staff reports. Student expenditures in-country depend greatly on personal spending habits, post- or during-program travel, and available funds.