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INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

International Education Mission Statement

Camosun College is committed to contributing to the process of global education by reaching out beyond the local community to create relationships worldwide. We recognize that our work in International Education benefits our students and strengthens our College, our community and our international partners.

Purpose / Rationale

The purpose of this policy is to establish principles and guidelines that enable the College to realize the International Education Mission Statement.

Scope / Limits

1. This policy applies to prospective and current international students, domestic students, employees of Camosun College, and our domestic and international partners.
2. This policy is governed by applicable Federal, Provincial, and local laws, statutes, and regulations and other laws of general application.

Principles

Camosun College is committed to International Education as a significant and growing component of the educational profile of the institution. This commitment encompasses

- a) the continued recruitment and admission of international students from around the world;
- b) the integration of international and domestic students in our classes wherever possible;
- c) the provision of support services to our international students;
- d) the internationalization of curriculum College-wide and the increased intercultural awareness of our staff, faculty and students;
- e) the continued development of institutional linkages with international partners to assist in the development of student and faculty exchanges;
- f) the development of partnerships with colleges, institutes and universities in Canada and worldwide to develop joint projects in international education; and

- g) the development of international contract activity in both funded development projects and entrepreneurial projects.

Guidelines

Guidelines for the following are available through the Office of Contract Training and International Education:

1. international student fees;
2. fee refunds;
3. admissions/registration;
4. homestay;
5. student recruitment;
6. student exchanges;
7. faculty exchanges;
8. linkage agreements;
9. overseas development contracts; and
10. withdrawals.