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[Student Address]  
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Office of Education Abroad  
Plaster Student Union 209  
901 S National Ave.  
Springfield, MO 65897  
phone 417-836-6368 | fax 417-836-6146  
international.missouristate.edu/educationabroad

Dear MSU Office of Education Abroad,

I am writing to petition the MSU office of Education Abroad to allow me to continue my history education at University of Roehampton in London, England for the [semester, year]. I feel that my researched and meticulous selection of this course of study will impact my educational experience in a meaningful way and make me a better history educator. I am going to study "The Soviet Experiment, 1905-1945," I will study the history of England in "London: History, Art, Society" and travel to important landmarks and locations as well as research and write weekly about this history, and I will also be studying a course entitled "American History from Columbus to Cold War." I think this will be particularly interesting and unlike any course on American History that takes place in the US. It will be a US history course as taught by an "outsider" and come from the point of view of the colonizer/oppressor. With revisionist history marring our current and past American scholastic history courses, and me being a history education major, I think it is more important now than ever to be educated and gain insight from an "outside of the United States" source or sources on history. It will serve to make me more globally aware of history and its influences and consequences on the geopolitical and socioeconomic developments of the world we live in today.

The following is a list (not comprehensive) of outside resources I can utilize in case of an emergency:

1) Roehampton Abroad Office

Department of Recruitment & International Development

University of Roehampton | Roehampton Lane | London | SW15 5PJ

Tel: 020 8392 7763

[www.roehampton.ac.uk](http://www.roehampton.ac.uk)

Nat Arkwright (He/Him)

Roehampton Abroad Officer

Recruitment & International Development

University of Roehampton | London | SW15 5PJ

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2) Student Medical Center (SMC)

Old Court, Froebel College Uni of Roehampton,  
Roehampton Ln, London SW15 5PJ, United Kingdom

If an emergency takes place on campus, you should call the emergency telephone line on extension 3333 or from your mobile dial 020 8392 3333. It's a good idea to save this number as a contact in your phone.

3) Queen Mary - St George's University Hospitals

Tel: 020 8487 6000

Address: Roehampton Lane, Roehampton, London, SW15 5PN

Website: <https://www.stgeorges.nhs.uk>

4) Geo Blue Health

I have the Global TeleMD app on my phone. There is now a Global TeleMDTM on the app. It is a safe and convenient option for accessing healthcare services is our telemedicine service, Global TeleMDTM. The Global TeleMD app provides remote access to a global network of licensed doctors by telephone or video without needing to leave your home. Remote consultations via Global TeleMD are free and can be used as many times as you need. Prescriptions may also be provided, as appropriate. If you have questions or need assistance, please call us at +1.844.268.2686 or collect at +1.610.263.2847.

5) US Embassy and Consulates in England

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

U.S. Citizens with emergencies, please call (0)20-7499-9000

Outside of Office Hours, contact: (0)20-7499-9000

Outside of the United Kingdom]: 011-44-20-7499-9000

You can call the Embassy in London on 020 7499 9000 during office hours (8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. GMT/BST) if you or a loved one are a U.S. citizen in an emergency. You can dial 011 44 20 7499 9000 if you are calling from the United States. In the case of a critical emergency, it is possible to call outside of office hours (evenings, weekends or public holidays) to ask to speak to a Duty Officer.

6) Wimbledon Police Station

15-23 Queen's Rd,  
London SW19 8NN, United Kingdom

Call 999 if:

- a serious offense is in progress or has just been committed
- someone is in immediate danger or harm
- property is in danger of being damaged
- a serious disruption to the public is likely

Call 101 for non-emergency enquiries.

I am mitigating the risk of getting the Covid 19 virus because I am fully vaccinated with the [vaccine name] done through my private health insurance through [insurance provider name]. On top of that, I had a positive Covid test in [date listed], and doctors tell me most likely that I already had full

immunity since my recovery and before the completion of my immunization. I will continue to abide by local laws with mask wearing and currently there is a 10-day quarantine in the UK. I will get a negative Covid test prior to leaving the US (and within 72 hours of my arrival), and on day 2 and 5 while I am in quarantine in the UK. These covid tests will be done by Roehampton, and the international students will be housed in Roehampton quarantine dormitories prior to the start of school. After the 10-day quarantine, the University of Roehampton will release us to our regular dormitories. Currently we are slated to arrive [date listed] and begin the quarantine process. Orientation for international students begins [date listed]. I understand that I will be required to sign a special release and hold harmless agreement if the acceptance is approved. Please let me know if I can clarify my plans for study abroad any further. I am very much looking forward to this experience and am prepared to take precautions as I travel and study abroad in the UK.

Sincerely,

[Student Name]