Panama Fall 2022 Participants,

Congratulations on your acceptance to FSU International Program’s study abroad program! U.S. citizens traveling to Panama to study for less than 90 days are not required to obtain a student visa.

For now, please review the information and timeline included in this packet concerning important immigration items and requirements.

Please contact the Immigration Team, at IP-Visas@fsu.edu, if you have any questions or concerns!

Sincerely,

The International Programs Immigration Team
PASSPORT
A valid passport book is required for your program and international travel.
If you have a passport, please ensure it meets the following requirements:
• Has six months of validity beyond your intended date of return (APRIL 16, 2023)
• Must contain at least 2 blank visa pages.
If you do not have a passport, or your current passport does not meet the outlined requirements, please contact IP-Visas@fsu.edu, immediately for guidance.
Processing times for passport issuance are currently delayed – if you require a new passport, it’s essential you apply as soon as possible. You can find a list of local Passport Acceptance Facilities near you on the U.S. Department of State’s website, found HERE.

AGE, RESIDENCE & CITIZENSHIP
UNDER 18 REQUIREMENTS
If you will be under the age of 18 on FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2022, please contact an Immigration Coordinator at IP-Visas@fsu.edu, as you will have additional requirements that must be met.

NON-U.S. & DUAL CITIZENS
Visa requirements for non-U.S. citizens are different from those of U.S. citizens. Please be advised that you will need to be in possession of your Permanent Resident Card, or U.S. visa, to allow re-entry into the U.S. following your program.
If you are a non-U.S. citizen or hold dual-citizenship status, please contact IP-Visas@fsu.edu.

CURRENT RESIDENCE
If you currently reside outside of the United States, please contact an Immigration Coordinator at IP-Visas@fsu.edu.

Be sure to monitor your IP Student Portal and FSU Student Email. Should you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact International Programs at IP-Visas@fsu.edu.