Photo Contest Rules

UCO Centre for Global Competency Photo Contest - Submit your entry by Saturday, March 14, 2020.

Please join us in a UCO CGC tradition by submitting photography captured during your study abroad experience – whether you participated in a faculty-led study tour, or spent a semester abroad. Photos will be selected based on artistic and technical merit, as well as how the image captures the impact of the study abroad experience for the student.

Winning photos will be printed and professionally framed.

Submission Form

Rules, Eligibility, and How to Submit

Students may submit up to four (4) photos. The photos must be submitted electronically as high-resolution (high-res) .jpg or .png images.

The photos must be original material and must have been taken by the student submitting the photo while participating in one of the UCO programs listed below under Eligibility Criteria.

In addition to submitting each photo, the student must include the following:

• First and Last Name
• Classification
• UCO e-mail address
• The name of the program in which the student participated (e.g. Study Abroad at Hanyang University or Faculty-Led Study Tour Paris: Commerce & Culture)
• The term during which the photo was taken (e.g. Spring 2018 or Summer 2019)
• The name of the city and country where the student took the photo (e.g. Riga, Latvia)
• Short caption describing the scene

Eligibility Criteria
Students must have participated in one of the following programs:

• Study Abroad
• Faculty-Led Study Tour
• Internship or Service Learning Abroad

Judging Criteria

Photos will be judged on the basis of artistic and technical merit; consideration also will be given to how the caption provides appropriate context for the photo. Photos will be evaluated "as is" for the purpose of the contest. However, the University of Central Oklahoma reserves the right to resize the picture for its online and printed presentation. Background information will not be judged in any way.
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Winners will subsequently have their photo professionally framed. The winning photos also will also be featured on the UCO website, Instagram and Facebook page.

Terms and Conditions

By submitting photos to the Centre for Global Competency Photo Contest, students agree to the following:

- Students grant the University of Central Oklahoma and Centre for Global Competency, for the expressed purpose of promoting UCO’s programs and opportunities, the right and permission with respect to the submitted photo, photo information, and caption to copyright the same in UCO’s or the CGC’s own name or any other name that UCO may choose; to use, re-use, publish and republish the same in whole or in part individually or in conjunction with other photos in any medium and for the expressed purpose of promoting UCO; and to use their name in connection therewith if UCO so chooses;
- Students release and discharge UCO and the CGC from any and all claims and demands arising out of or in connection with the use of the photo and caption, including any and all claims for libel.
- Failure to include any of the background information items will result in disqualification.