International Learning Options 2-4 Final Report: Global Option Component B

As a student taking part in learning activities not specific to a course in which you are guided through comparison and contrasting exercises relative to another culture, you are required to submit a report that carries out this exercise in learning.

Your paper should be 3-4 pages in length, Times New Roman, 11 point font, double spaced with one inch margins. If you need to cite any quotations, songs, poetry or references, please do so using APA style. Please include a cover page with your name, the date submitted, and a paper title.

You will be asked to rewrite your paper if you have spelling or grammar errors that exceed an incidental number.

In your paper reflect on some or all of the following questions:

- In what ways is the international culture you took part in or studied different from your own?
- How is this culture similar to your own?
- What, if anything, shocked you and why?
- How do the international location culture, politics, economics, geography, and natural resources affect the industry you hope to enter upon graduation?
- How have cultural differences made you more aware of your own culture, of its benefits, limitations, strengths, or biases?
- In what ways might OSU students benefit by learning about the culture you visited?
- How did your experience abroad (or researching another culture) allow you to view yourself differently than before your experience?

You must also address the following question:

- How might your experience abroad affect your future with regard to academic, social, career, and/or personal choices?

Submission of your paper
This reflection paper should be submitted after admission to the CFAES GO, but before enrolling in the CFAES Global Option Capstone Course. It can be submitted in Word document format to Elizabeth Shuman at shuman.29@osu.edu.

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