University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
Center for International Education

ESTIMATED STUDY ABROAD BUDGET
Costa Rica/Nicaragua
Fall 2013

Costs You Will Pay Directly to UWEC:		
CIE Program Fee includes:		
Tuition/ Fees, host family stay, 3 meals daily	$	6,958
CIE Admin fees	$	630
CISI Insurance	$	136
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST YOU PAY DIRECTLY TO UWEC*:	**$**	**7,724**
Total Additional Costs to Expect:		
Local Transportation	$	200
Passport/Photos	$	170
Personal Expenses	$	850
*Estimated Round-Trip Airfare**	$	1,000
Airport Departure Tax	$	26
TOTAL ADDITIONAL COSTS TO EXPECT:	**$**	**2,246**
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST	**$**	**9,970**

General Notes:
Please note that these **costs are estimated** and are intended to be used for planning purposes. Costs can fluctuate as a result of changes in exchange rates, tuition increases, varying personal lifestyles, etc. Personal expenses address **basic necessities and light to moderate social expenses only**.
Costs typically increase by 7% each year

Notes for Students with Financial Aid:
The following variable costs may be included in your financial aid budget depending upon your personal circumstances. Please meet with Melissa Vogler in Financial Aid to discuss your budget. Variable costs may include: ***vaccinations, visa travel, optional course fees.***
If you receive financial aid, only the costs you pay to UWEC will be automatically paid from your aid. If you receive more aid than what you need to pay to UWEC, you will receive a refund. You are responsible for paying all other costs directly to the vendor(s) involved.

Non-Resident Fees and Reciprocity:

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