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**Student Expression of Interest (EOI)**

## Nepal

10th January – 27th January 2020

**Name: Campus:**

**Student number:**

**Email:** WSU **Personal:**

**Address:**

**Phone:** Home: Mobile:

**Current passport status:** Australian Other Expiry date Number

**Please state the year of study you are currently in (Note: second year nursing students or third year students will be given priority).**

**Year of study:**

**Please state how many credit units/courses you have successfully completed and your grades:**

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**Please respond to ALL of the following in a short-written application (600-800 words in total) that addresses each of these criteria:**

**Provide examples if you can (but no referencing required)**

1. Why do I want to go on a study tour to Nepal?
2. What do I hope to achieve on this study tour?
3. What can I contribute to the trip to Nepal?
4. Are there any potential concerns regarding this study tour e.g. what health issues do I have?  Smoker? Asthma? Diabetes? Allergies?
5. What self-care strategies will you have in place to manage any health care issues that may occur?
6. How will this trip benefit my future nursing (or midwifery as applicable) practice?
7. What mechanisms for self-care will you put into place if you are confronted with extreme poverty or in a situation where you may not personally agree with a health decision made by a patient and/or their family? For example you notice in one of the clinics you attend that a child is emaciated, has a high temperature and is covered in school sores (impetigo) and head lice. The mother refuses to attend the nearby clinic to see a doctor.
8. Please attach an up to date resume with relevant nursing (or midwifery as applicable) experience

**Please note:** The cost of this trip is partially funded by the Commonwealth Government New Colombo Plan – as part of the government requirements only Australian citizens are eligible for approved grant funding. Eligible students may also apply for OS HELP to pay for the field study trip. HECs/Student Fees are additional to the cost of attending the field study.

Students are required to read and sign a **Code of Conduct** before departing on the field trip to ensure that they understand the expectations of the University and their responsibilities to maintain appropriate conduct.

**Other Information that will be discussed during the interview:**

* Students must have an up to date passport that is not due to expiry within six months of the departure date.
* Students will need to have completed the NSW Health Special Requirements for clinical practicum attendance.
* Students are required to visit their travel doctor or GP before the second compulsory workshop and present evidence that they have had all necessary vaccinations for the field placement.
* All students must be aware that they may not be able share a room with a friend/friends. Students who have sleep problems including snoring will need to advise the Unit Coordinator during the interview.
* All students with an existing medical condition must present a letter about their treatment and emergency care as necessary to the Unit Coordinator – this will be discussed during the informal interview with the Course Coordinator and full information provided before departure.

**Student signature**

**Course coordinator signature**

**Date**