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**T O: VSU International Students**

**R E: Safety reminders during your stay here in Visayas State University**

Visayas State University through the International Affairs Office needs to regularly monitor all information relevant to the safety of all VSU international students, since this is for the safety and security of the student's utmost importance. Concerning this, international students are reminded to observe the following:

- Before you plan and depart your travel, we advise that you gather more information as possible about current travel warnings in specific places in the Philippines. We strongly advised not to travel to unsafe areas and rugged terrain for your safety.
- If you are using a motorcycle, please bring with you your driver's license and wear your helmet.
- Drink wisely and moderately. Drink sensibly and among people you trust. Alcohol lowers your inhibitions and sense of judgment, making you vulnerable to accidents and trouble. Avoid drinking in unsafe places.
- If you're planning to travel out of the country, kindly inform your adviser and International Affairs Office first before booking a flight ticket so that you will not miss your classes and other academic-related activities.
- Keep in contact with people and let somebody know where you are going. That way, if anything happens, someone knows of your whereabouts.
- As much as possible, please inform your adviser and IAO Staff for your whereabouts, especially outside VSU.

For your guidance.

  
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