

To: Joanna Regulska, Vice President for Public Policy and Practice

From: Sarah Westmoreland, Chair and Katherine Meyer, Chair-designate
Education Abroad Regulatory Practice Committee (EARP)

Date: December 2022

RE: Charge to the EARP Financial Aid Subcommittee 2023-2024

Sponsoring KC/ Committee	Education Abroad Regulatory Practice Committee (EARP)
Proposed subcommittee Why is it needed? Is the work ongoing?	<p>In accordance with Rule IX, Section C, this request is to renew the charge for the EARP Financial Aid Subcommittee for two years, until December 2024.</p> <p>The Financial Aid Subcommittee will continue to monitor current and upcoming financial aid legislation and regulations that impact students seeking federal financial aid, or other federally-funded scholarships and funding programs to study abroad. The subcommittee will clarify and provide updated regulatory information to the NAFSA membership.</p>
Relates to which KC/sponsoring committee outcome/objective?	<p>In supporting the NAFSA Strategic Plan 2021-2023, this EARP subcommittee will provide resources to educate EA professionals on the use of federal financial aid for education abroad, advocate for greater clarity in financial aid requirements and processes, and innovate in the dissemination of information.</p> <p>This Subcommittee Charge is in alignment with the following NAFSA Standing Rules: RULE VIII: Member-Leader Structures/ Committee Section B. Education Abroad Regulatory Practice Committee, p. 9 and RULE IX: Member-Leader Structures/ Committee/General Section C: Subcommittee Approval, p. 11</p>

<p>Subcommittee outcome accountability</p> <p>What needs to be achieved? Action? Is it congruent with KC's outcomes/deliverables?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Identify and monitor federal financial aid policies that affect the field of education abroad ● Curate content for NAFSA web pages on financial aid for education abroad ensure information is relevant and current. ● Encourage and facilitate the inclusion of sessions, posters, or workshops on financial aid for education abroad at regional and annual conferences. Develop and present sessions as appropriate when possible and appropriate. ● Collaborate with subcommittee members to address the needs of the field; bring issues to the subcommittee's attention and offer solutions to others. Review submissions to IssueNet regarding financial aid. ● Participate actively in the EAKC Network by prompting or responding to discussions on financial aid for education abroad. Act as a resource for colleagues with questions and concerns throughout the year. ● Collaborate with the subcommittee chair and NAFSA staff partner to achieve these goals.
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<p>Subcommittee composition:</p> <p>Who selects chair?</p> <p>Number of members?</p> <p>Skills needed?</p>	<p>The subcommittee chair is appointed by the VP PPP in consultation with the chair of the EA RP Committee for a 2-year term, renewable once upon agreement with the chair of EARP, for a total of 4 years.</p> <p>The chair of the subcommittee will appoint the subcommittee members in consultation with the chair of EA RP committee. The number of members will not exceed 5 and should ensure diversity, including regional, institutional type, EA models, and EA financial aid office relationships.</p> <p>Ideal candidates for CAL will have deep knowledge about and awareness of financial aid issues and policies related to education abroad. Subcommittee members will use a NAFSA workspace for subcommittee communications and document archive.</p>
<p>Time commitment for Members</p>	<p>Subcommittee members should plan to devote 3 to 4 hours per month to this role, on average.</p>
<p>National Resources Needed</p>	<p>Technology to support virtual meetings and IssueNet tool NAFSA staff partner support.</p>
<p>Next review date</p>	<p>12/31/2024</p>
<p>Approved by Board (Date of meeting)</p>	<p>DATE</p>