

**2024**



**Wharton Global Youth Programs  
Student & Parent Handbook and  
Commitment Agreement**

**THE KEY TO AN ENRICHING PRE-COLLEGE EXPERIENCE**

Please read this handbook thoroughly.

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## I. Expectations and Goals

Wharton Global Youth Programs are pre-college enrichment programs that introduce students to the university experience. Students have the opportunity to experience the academic, social, recreational, and cultural life of a university student.

1. Wharton Global Youth Program's (WGYP) primary goal is to help students experience a preview of university life in an educational, safe, structured environment. Students have the opportunity to explore the university's extensive facilities and the neighboring community. Similar to a college experience, students will often choose how they spend their free time. The key word is 'choose.' WGYP and Summer Discovery offer as much support as needed, but within the framework of the program; it will be the student's responsibility to manage their time and make responsible decisions.
2. WGYP goals include teaching responsibility, independence, and decision-making skills to program participants. It is the student's responsibility to understand the importance of their academic and non-academic decisions.
3. Students are expected to participate in scheduled programs and activities including attendance at all classes, group meetings, functions, and all-group excursions. Students are treated as responsible young adults; and in return, we ask that they help to foster an atmosphere of respect and trust in relationships with fellow students, teachers, staff and members of the university and the local community.

## II. Academic Code of Conduct and Guidelines

### STUDENT ACADEMIC COMMITMENT

Students are expected to commit to their academic studies and any related academic activities. All classes are rigorous and pose academic challenges; many programs will require the completion of homework, outside readings, and final projects or presentations. During the program, all students must attend their classes daily.

Note: Students walk to class. Walking times could vary from two to 20+ minutes. Students are responsible for waking up in the morning and being on time to all classes and activities.

### ACADEMIC CODE OF CONDUCT

- a. Students are required to attend all academic program classes, workshops, labs, and academic review sessions, unless they are medically excused by a Summer Discovery Nurse or Administrator and/or are scheduled to see a doctor. Doctor appointments are arranged by Summer Discovery staff. Students must communicate in writing prior to the start of the program if unable to fully participate daily in classes and/or activities.
- b. Students must arrive to class on time, prepared for class, and be positive participants. Students are responsible for waking themselves up; there are no wakeup calls. If students require assistance while on campus, please see the Summer Discovery Academic Coordinator who is available for support and guidance.

- c. Students must respect instructors/faculty and other classmates by paying attention and participating. If there is a short break during class, students must return immediately after the break. No food or drink (except bottled water) is permitted in class unless permission is given by the instructor.
- d. Students may not disrupt class activities at any time including extraneous talking or other discourteous behavior, such as checking phones or texting.
- e. Laptops are often required for class. Cell phone use during class or at group meetings is prohibited, unless otherwise stated by the instructor. Use of any mobile phone application (including, but not limited to texts, IMs, games, internet access, telephone, and camera) is not permitted. Any non-academic use of a laptop/tablet during class, or use of a cell phone, may result in the device being confiscated by the instructor and/or Summer Discovery, and/or the student being dismissed from the class.

## PLAGIARISM/CHEATING

Students must abide by the University of Pennsylvania's [Code of Academic Integrity](#), which states a student's work must be their own, and not be plagiarized from any source. Plagiarism includes, but is not limited to, the use of another's words or ideas as if they are one's own. Plagiarism or any kind of academic cheating is grounds for dismissal from class and the WGYP with no refund.

## SUPPORT SYSTEM

Every student is assigned a Resident Counselor (RC) with whom regular meetings are held. RC group meetings are used to check-in with students, assess academic/social progress and challenges, and to discuss upcoming events and activities. All students are required to attend and actively participate in these small group meetings. The role of the RC is that of support coordinator. They are there to help students find resources, make decisions, and provide support.

## III. Residence Hall and Campus Guidelines

WGYP residential students live on campus in an official University of Pennsylvania Residence Hall, at the University of San Francisco, or at Orchard Court in Cambridge. It is the obligation of each student to be familiar and comply with the University and Summer Discovery regulations and procedures.

### Room Changes

Due to the brief duration of the program, room changes are not allowed except in cases of severe duress or emergency, as determined by the Directors. Students who change rooms without approval will be required to return to their original assignments. Summer Discovery reserves the right to change a student's room assignment at any time and for any reason.

Any students experiencing concerns regarding their roommate(s) should first speak with their RC. RCs work directly with students to provide advice, guidance and help to mediate roommate conflicts.

## Room Entry, Inspection, or Search

Summer Discovery and university personnel, at their discretion, may enter and search any room and its contents, including personal possessions, at any time to:

1. Verify occupancy
2. Perform maintenance and repair functions
3. Investigate and/or confiscate evidence of potential illegal activity or violations of university regulations
4. Conduct health and fire safety inspections
5. Address any situation the university and/or Summer Discovery, in its discretion, deems necessary in order to protect its interests or the general welfare of one or more of its students

All personnel are required to lock the door to student rooms when they depart, even if it was found to be unlocked when they arrived. It is imperative that students carry their key(s) at all times.

## ROOMMATES & SUITEMATES

For many students, living in a college residence hall and having a roommate/suitemate may be a new experience. It is not necessary for roommates to be best friends, but we do expect students to be open-minded, honest, and considerate of one another. Respect for your roommate's personal property, privacy, and sleep needs are essential elements of a harmonious residence hall life. Effective communication between roommates is important. Your RC will work with you and your roommate(s) to help you to adjust to residence hall life.

## ROOM CLEANLINESS, ROOM CONDITION, AND DAMAGES

Participants are responsible for the general upkeep and cleanliness of their residence hall rooms, shared common areas, and refuse/recycling disposal areas. Furniture (including mattresses) may not be removed from student rooms. Lofted or bunked beds may only be assembled/disassembled by certified staff and manufacturer-trained installers/movers assigned by the University. Students are to place waste products in appropriate recycling and waste receptacles and may not use the public area trash receptacles to dispose of their room trash.

Rooms are subject to inspection by RCs at any time. At the conclusion of the program, rooms must be cleaned and left in the same condition as found on arrival day, or a room cleaning fee will be assessed. Students are responsible for all behavior which occurs in their respective residence room/suite. Damages to a student's room, including but not limited to furniture, fixtures, doors, screens, or to university property is the financial responsibility of the student and their parents. Reckless behavior that results in damage at the university or during any excursions or activity is not tolerated. Any damages caused must be paid for immediately.

Students are responsible for leaving their rooms in the condition it was at the time of move in. Upon check-out, rooms will be inspected by a staff member, and students will return their keys. Students are responsible for collecting all belongings and taking them with them at check-out; Summer Discovery or

university housekeeping cannot arrange the return of forgotten items or the return of mail and/or packages. Items left in the residence hall will be removed by university housekeeping.

## **RESIDENCE HALL TIME, NIGHTLY SIGN-IN PROCEDURES AND ROOM TIME**

Students must sign-in to the residence hall between 9:00-10:00pm, be on their respective floors by 11:30pm, and in their own rooms by 12 midnight. Students must sleep in their own rooms. Sleepovers are not permitted. Students may not leave the residence hall between the hours of 10:00pm and 6:00am without permission. If a student leaves the residence hall between the restricted hours without prior written consent from Summer Discovery, the student will be dismissed from the WGYF with no refund. The practice of maintaining curfew helps to ensure student health and safety. In addition, the city of Philadelphia has a curfew of 10:00pm for minors. Student's ID cards will deactivate at 10:00pm and students will not be able to leave the building for any reason, including picking up food deliveries, such as UberEats, DoorDash, etc.

## **NOISE AND QUIET HOURS**

All students are required to honor quiet hours and times as posted by the university and/or Summer Discovery residential staff. Quiet hours for purposes of study and sleep are from 10:00pm until 7:00am. All other times are courtesy hours, and noise and electronics/music should be kept at a reasonable level.

To facilitate an environment conducive to study and individual well-being, courtesy is always expected. Noise, including music, should be confined to an individual's room. Residents should be aware of the effect their noise has not only for their roommates and neighbors, but for people who live above and below them as well.

## **RESIDENCE HALL GROUP VISITATION AND SOCIALIZATION**

Group visitation and socialization is permitted. If a student, regardless of gender, is visiting a traditional dorm room in which they do not reside, the door must be kept wide open, and the lights kept on. In suite-style residence halls, with multiple bedrooms and a common area, visitors are only permitted in the common areas and the door must be open and lights on. Two students, regardless of gender, are not permitted to be alone in a residence hall room/suite at any time, unless they are roommates.

Students are always prohibited from using (or entering) the restrooms of the opposite sex, including restrooms of the opposite sex inside residence hall rooms/suites.

## **SAFETY ORDINANCES**

Fire codes and safety ordinances prohibit the misuse, removal or tampering with safety equipment including fire hoses, extinguishers, smoke detectors, window screens, and windows. The opening of safety/security alarmed doors/windows, entering any access roof areas and leaving dorm rooms via a window (unless it is an emergency) is strictly forbidden and leads to immediate expulsion from the residence hall by the Office of Residential Life and dismissal from the WGYF with no refund. Setting off a false fire or smoke alarm is grounds for dismissal with no refund and possible arrest. It is prohibited to push the elevator emergency button unless there is an emergency in the elevator. Any open flame object,

such as candles, incense, cigarettes, e-cigarettes, vaping devices, lighters, and matches are prohibited. Ball playing is not permitted inside the residence hall.

Students are not permitted to have coffee makers, hot pots, toaster ovens or any other electronic appliances in the residence hall.

## **STUDENTS ON-CAMPUS AND IN THE HOME AREA**

Students must walk in groups (two or more during the day; three or more in the evenings) when walking on campus and the "Home Area". Specific definitions and boundaries of the "Home Area" are discussed during orientation. Any student who wishes to go beyond our "Home Area" must be accompanied by a Summer Discovery RC and be approved by a member of the Summer Discovery administration. Leaving the boundaries of the "Home Area" by foot, public transportation (bus, train, pedicabs, etc.), or Uber/Lyft/rideshare/taxi/limousine is grounds for dismissal from the WGYF with no refund.

## **VISITORS/OFF CAMPUS VISITATION**

All guests must be signed-in at the Summer Discovery office within the dormitory. Any guest entering the building must have a picture ID and must sign-in at both the Residence Hall desk and the Summer Discovery office. Students who are not enrolled in WGYF may not stay overnight in the residence hall. Guests must abide by all Summer Discovery and University regulations and are the responsibility of the student who signs them in. Guests/students who are not enrolled in WGYF are permitted only on the ground floor common areas. This includes visiting parents, friends, family, teaching assistants (TAs), and other students not enrolled in WGYF. Guests are not permitted in student rooms or above the ground floor. Off-campus overnight stays are not permitted.

## **VISITING OTHER DORMS/RESIDENCES**

Students are not permitted in any private residence on or off-campus, fraternity or sorority house, or university residence hall building except for the one(s) occupied by Wharton Summer Discovery students.

## **SMALL GROUP RESIDENT COUNSELOR MEETINGS**

Students are required to attend RC group meetings twice a week to foster a sense of communication and community. Resident Counselors lead group meetings to check-in with students, assess progress and challenges, and to discuss upcoming events and activities.

## **DAILY, EVENING AND WEEKEND ACTIVITIES**

To help students get to know each other, the campus, and surrounding towns, students will engage in group activities, outings, and day trips on and off-campus. Summer Discovery offers supervised optional and all-group evening activities, along with optional and all-group weekend excursions. Each day, the daily newsletter will be available to all students with schedules of events, including those you must sign up for in advance.

## **PERSONAL, UNIVERSITY AND SUMMER DISCOVERY COMPUTER USE**

Students can be dismissed from the program for any violation of the University or WGYF computer use policies. These violations include but are not limited to; identity theft, hacking, distributing viruses or spy-

ware, copyright violations, illegally downloading copyrighted content, impersonating another user, theft of services, denial of service attacks, and/or cyberbullying. In addition, it is the responsibility of every WGYF student to be a conscientious computer user. Virus protections with up-to-date signature files are required before a computer may be connected to the University network.

## **BUYING AND RETURNING ELECTRONICS**

Students are not permitted to purchase electronics for residence hall rooms with the intent of returning them from where they were purchased. Any electronics such as TVs and game consoles purchased must be taken home by the student or properly disposed of/donated prior to the student's departure.

## **MEALS AND NUTRITION**

Two meals a day Monday through Friday and two meals on Sunday (no meals on Saturday due to excursions/activities) are provided while students are on campus, at the campus dining facilities. Students are financially responsible for meals eaten off-campus, including meals when choosing optional trips such as special events, and a few weekend meals while at off-campus all-group activities. Students have the option of eating meals outside of the dining facilities at their own expense.

Any special dietary needs, eating problems, disorders and/or restrictions must be described on the WGYF Summer Discovery Medical Form. Students must have regular intake and digestion of food. Students who exhibit behavior indicative of eating disorders (i.e., anorexia, bulimia) may be dismissed from the program.

## **LOST, DAMAGED OR STOLEN PROPERTY**

Students are responsible for their own money and personal valuables. WGYF, the University of Pennsylvania, the University of San Francisco and the University of Cambridge are not responsible for the loss of personal property, money, personal effects and equipment of participants, lost or stolen baggage, at any time, in the residence hall or anywhere on or off campus. Always keep your room door locked.

## **SPECIAL NOTE**

Some coursework and group evening presentations may cover serious college issues such as substance abuse, eating disorders, sexually transmitted diseases, and more – with frank, forthright subject matter and discussions. In addition, students can attend movies during the program. Usually, there is a choice of films and R rated movies are sometimes offered as an option. Students may also attend a comedy show or theater presentation which could contain adult subject matter and language.

## **IV. Policies, Procedures, Rules & Regulations**

### **RULES ARE ALWAYS ENFORCED**

Students must always abide by the rules and regulations stipulated by WGYF, whether they are participating in an activity, program, event, or class organized by WGYF, in small groups, in large groups or by themselves.



## COMMUNICATION OF SPECIAL NEEDS/CONFIDENTIALITY

Information regarding a student's special needs, prior or present psychological counseling, physical, social, emotional, medical, nutritional, or educational requirements must be communicated in writing on the WGYE Summer Discovery Medical Form and is treated in a confidential and professional manner. Failure to disclose this information may result in the student's dismissal from the WGYE with no refund. **Students are required to turn all medication, including prescription and OTCs, into the Summer Discovery administration upon arrival to the program.** The Site Nurse will be responsible for monitoring and distributing medication according to the student's detailed regimen in their medical file; students are responsible for administering their own medication. Students may never keep any medication in their room, except in specific documented exceptions, and failure to adhere to this policy is grounds for immediate dismissal from the WGYE without refund.

## CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE/REMOVAL FROM THE PROGRAM

Students are expected to conduct themselves as mature, law-abiding, responsible, and cooperative members of the WGYE and the University of Pennsylvania, the University of San Francisco and the University of Cambridge community. Students must respect and obey the rules, regulations, property, academic standards, attendance requirements, and residential life policies as set forth by the WGYE, the University of Pennsylvania, the University of San Francisco and the University of Cambridge. These rules and regulations are strictly enforced during the entire program both on and off-campus.

Any student whose behavior is inconsistent with the policies and objectives of the WGYE and/or the rules and regulations of the University of Pennsylvania, the University of San Francisco or the University of Cambridge, the laws of the city of Philadelphia/San Francisco/Cambridge UK, the state of Pennsylvania/California or Cambridge UK and the United States of America or United Kingdom, may be subject to legal and disciplinary action and may be dismissed from the WGYE with no refund.

In the event that WGYE determines that the student should be dismissed from the program and sent home, the student/parent(s) are not entitled to any refund of the unused portion of tuition, room and board, all supplements and fees for the gym, etc. The student/parent(s) will be financially responsible for the student's trip home.

Students may be disciplined and sent home (unaccompanied) from the WGYE (Leadership in the Business World, Essentials of Entrepreneurship, Essentials of Finance, Moneyball Academy, M&TSI, Data Science Academy, Product Design Academy, San Francisco, CA: Innovation and Startup Culture and Cambridge, UK: Strategy and International Management) for what has been stated in the previous pages of this Student and Parent Handbook, in addition to the following:

### Inappropriate Behavior

- Unauthorized absence or dismissal from classes and other required events
- Profane, lewd, or indecent behavior
- Tardiness, rudeness, or other recurring manifestations of "negativity"
- Violation of Residence Hall Guidelines
- Violation of the Academic Code of Conduct

- Violation of the Student/Parent Handbook as defined herein

### **Breaking the Law**

Students will be dismissed from the WGYP with no refund and sent home immediately if they engage in any illegal or illicit activities including, but not limited to:

#### **Alcohol**

Use, possession, storage, or attempt to purchase any alcoholic beverage is prohibited. This also includes “non-alcohol beer.” Being in a room/suite or an area where alcohol is consumed or being in possession of alcohol that you or someone else purchased, is grounds for dismissal. Students are also not allowed to participate in any simulated drinking games (beer pong (with or without alcohol), flip cup, etc.).

Any attempt to use false I.D.s for any reason, including but not limited to alcoholic beverage purchases, gaining admission to clubs or other adult establishments, is prohibited.

WGYP students may not attend activities and/or visit establishments that serve alcoholic beverages (excluding normal restaurant operations) unless accompanied by a Summer Discovery staff member.

Summer Discovery senior staff members reserve the right to conduct room/suite search and personal effects/electronics search if alcohol possession or use is suspected.

#### **Drugs**

Personal use, attempt to purchase, possession of or being in the company of anyone using or possessing any illegal or non-permitted drugs in any quantity, (including but not limited to; marijuana, medical marijuana, THC extract, edibles, hashish, ecstasy, crystal methadone, cocaine, crack, LSD, synthetic drugs, psychoactive plants such as salvia, inhalants, nitrous oxide) or any unauthorized prescription drugs, or possession of any drug equipment or paraphernalia is strictly prohibited. Being in a room or an area where drugs are consumed will also be grounds for dismissal with no refund. Summer Discovery senior staff members reserve the right to conduct a room search and personal effects/electronics search if drug possession or use is suspected.

#### **Prescription and Over-the-Counter Medications Use/Abuse**

All prescription drugs must be noted on the WGYP Summer Discovery Health Form, and they must be used only as prescribed. The possession or use/misuse of any unauthorized prescription drugs or sharing/selling any prescription drugs is prohibited and is grounds for dismissal from the WGYP with no refund. Misusing or abusing over-the-counter medications is also prohibited and grounds for dismissal.

#### **Stealing/Shoplifting**

The removal of public or private property without payment and/or consent, and/or another student's property is a crime. Stealing from the University or destroying/defacing University property will result in direct disciplinary action from the University as well as WGYP.

### **Hazardous Objects/Non-Permitted Objects**

Students are forbidden to purchase or possess firearms and ammunition, knives (including pocketknives), weapons, laser pointers, fireworks, drones, hoverboards, potentially dangerous sporting equipment (including but not limited to pellet guns, paint guns, slingshots, airsoft guns, swords, foils, archery equipment, martial arts weapons) and other potentially dangerous and hazardous objects. Possession or purchase will result in dismissal from the WGYP with no refund.

## **ADDITIONAL CONDUCT THAT CONSTITUTES REMOVAL FROM THE PROGRAM**

### **Transportation In or Use of Electric or Motorized Vehicles**

Students may not personally operate any motorized vehicle, including but not limited to cars, scooters (Bird, Lime, Jump, etc.), skateboards, hoverboards or bikes that are electric or motorized during the period of attendance at WGYP. Students are not permitted to ride in private vehicles, Uber, Lyft, rideshare, taxis, limousine or similar transportation services, or any form of public/private transportation, and is grounds for dismissal. At the discretion of the Director and only with written parental permission, students may be allowed to be transported in vehicles not owned or operated by Summer Discovery. These approved drivers must personally sign the student out/in from the Summer Discovery office. If a student enters any unauthorized vehicle or is transported in a vehicle without being signed out, they can be dismissed from the WGYP with no refund.

### **Leaving the Home Area**

Students are not permitted to leave the home area, unless supervised by a Summer Discovery staff member or if officially signed out of the program.

### **Electric or Motorized Scooters, Skateboards, Hoverboards and Bikes**

Students cannot bring, rent, or ride a scooter, skateboard, hoverboard or bike that is electric or motorized at any time, on or off-campus. The use of non-motorized scooters, skateboards or bikes is permitted; however, a helmet is required.

### **Endangerment**

Students may not place themselves or others in a situation(s) that endanger any party involved. Students that jeopardize the safety, security, and health of themselves or others are subject to dismissal from the WGYP with no refund.

### **Sexual, Racial, Personal Harassment; Fighting, Assault and Bullying**

Respecting the rights of other students in a diverse society is an integral part of university life and WGYP values. Student expression of opinion must be respectful of others. Bigotry, hatred, and intolerance have no place in the residential community. In displaying or distributing expressions of opinion, students are expected to show respect for the social, moral, and religious views of others.

Tolerance of different people's religions, ethnicities, cultures, gender and sexual orientation is an integral part of the WGYE experience. Examples of harassment and abuse that are prohibited and will result in dismissal include, but are not limited to:

- The use or threat of physical violence, coercion, intimidation, and verbal harassment and abuse.
- Sexual misconduct, including, but not limited to, sexual harassment, sexual assault, coercion, and threats or use of force, is prohibited.
- Verbal, physical, and/or bullying, cyberbullying, intolerance and/or sexual, racial, religious or personal harassment, assault and fighting of any kind are prohibited and can result in dismissal from the WGYE with no refund.

### **Smoking/Vaping and Use of Tobacco/Nicotine/Cannabis Products**

WGYE requires a smoke-free program. All university buildings and the University of Pennsylvania, the University of San Francisco and the University of Cambridge campuses are smoke-free. All WGYE events are smoke-free. WGYE students are prohibited from smoking anywhere on campus, or during any off-campus activity, including the use of e-cigarettes, juuling, or vaping. Students are prohibited to visit any establishment whose primary purpose is to sell or promote tobacco, cannabis, nicotine or vaping products including hookah bars/clubs/restaurants and dispensaries. Public law prohibits the purchase of any tobacco or cannabis products by a minor. If a student is removed from the residence hall by the University for any smoking or vaping incidents, the student will be immediately dismissed from WGYE with no refund.

### **Unauthorized Video and/or Audio Taping or Photography**

Students are not permitted to video/audio tape or photograph any student, resident counselor, program administrator or teacher without the consent of that individual. Unauthorized video/audio taping, photographs or web postings are grounds for dismissal from the program and may be found illegal.

### **Body Piercing & Tattoos**

Body piercing, tattooing, or self-mutilation of any kind is prohibited.

### **Gambling**

Unsupervised gambling by students of any kind is not permitted. Card playing is permitted, but not when it involves wagering. Internet gambling is not permitted.

## **V. Know Before You Go**

This Handbook with its guidelines, policies, goals, recommendations, rules, and regulations has been developed with the cooperation of the University, WGYE, and student participants for the benefit of the entire community.

## TRAVEL CONTINGENCY PLAN

If a student tests positive for COVID-19, a parent or guardian will be notified immediately, and the student will be moved into isolation. A parent or guardian will be asked to pick their student up from the program as soon as possible, but no later than 24 hours of being notified. This policy is designed to keep students and staff safe and healthy and help to not spread the virus.

## GENERAL OBSERVATIONS

WGYP is an exciting opportunity for young adults to explore the opportunities, resources, requirements, and responsibilities of The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. It helps students experience the rewards and consequences of living, working, and thinking in a more independent atmosphere than in high school. Students must abide by the rules and regulations always stipulated by WGYP, whether or not they are participating in an activity, program, event, or class organized by the WGYP and/or Summer Discovery. The administration, staff, advisors, and faculty look forward to sharing a fun-filled, intellectually enlightening summer with students.

There are several medical, consent and activity forms that need to be completed for you to participate in WGYP. Forms must be signed and uploaded prior to arriving on campus.

**Note:** WGYP students are served by a partnership between The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania and Musiker Discovery Programs, Inc. (d/b/a and referred to herein as Summer Discovery). All academic aspect of these programs (Leadership in the Business World, Essentials of Entrepreneurship, Essentials of Finance, Moneyball Academy, M&TSI, Data Science Academy, Product Design Academy, San Francisco, CA: Innovation and Startup Culture and Cambridge, UK: Strategy and International Management) are planned, taught, and managed solely by The Wharton School. The residential services and after class extracurricular and social activities are planned and managed by Summer Discovery.

Continue to the next page to *review* the Student and Parent Commitment Agreement.



## Acknowledgement of the Student & Parent Commitment Agreement

### WHARTON GLOBAL YOUTH PROGRAM 2024

We have read the 2024 Wharton Global Youth Program Student and Parent Handbook and fully understand and accept the policies, guidelines, rules, regulations, procedures, and responsibilities set forth in the Handbook and otherwise issued by Musiker Discovery Programs, Inc., Wharton Global Youth Programs, The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, Penn Recreation, Penn Housing, Conference Services and the University of San Francisco and the University of Cambridge. Attendance at WGYP implies our receipt and acceptance of the policies stated herein.

If the student leaves voluntarily or is dismissed from the program, we understand that there is no refund for early withdrawals or departures.

We understand that the Wharton Global Youth Program has a "zero tolerance" policy regarding: alcohol, illegal and/or non-permitted drugs; theft; inappropriate public behavior; lewd and indecent behavior; assault; sexual, racial and/or other personal harassment or intolerance; verbal, physical, and/or cyber bullying; absence from the group/residence hall at unauthorized times; entry into, riding in, or operating unauthorized vehicles or public/private transportation, including without limitation Uber, Lyft, rideshare, taxi and limousine; or renting, riding, or operating a scooter (Bird, Lime, Jump, etc.), skateboard, hoverboard or bike that is electric or motorized, at any time on or off-campus. This is not an all-inclusive list of misconduct that might result in a student's dismissal from the program. By signing this document, the student and parent agree that the student must remain completely drug and alcohol free (including the use, possession or attempted purchase) throughout the entire Wharton Global Youth Program.

If the student violates any of the rules, regulations and responsibilities listed in the Wharton Global Youth Program Student and Parent Handbook, we understand and accept that the student will be dismissed from the program and sent home, receive no refund of the unused portion of the tuition, room and board, all supplements and fees for excursions, and academic courses, and we will be financially responsible for all additional transportation costs including airline-imposed change fees or the purchase of a new plane ticket. We agree that if a student is dismissed from the program for any such violation, that there will be a parent, guardian, relative, or emergency contact adult to meet and pick up the student from the unaccompanied flight home.

We understand that if the student does not abide by the guidelines herein and is dismissed from the program, they must leave the residence hall and campus, they will be unable to complete classes, and will be immediately flown home to their home city. Or, if the student lives within three hours from campus, they will be immediately picked up by an authorized person 21 years or older. All travel home must take place within 12 hours of dismissal.