Student Travel Code of Conduct

The following policy applies to all persons traveling to meetings, conferences, retreats, athletic events or other activities using Florida Atlantic University funds, whether this travel is within the counties served by FAU or to an external destination. Individuals not signing this policy will not be approved for travel.

The Division of Student Affairs stresses the importance of individual and student organization responsibility pertaining to the use of alcohol/drugs. Neither alcoholic beverages nor non-prescription drugs can be transported or consumed during trips. The use of alcohol/drugs during University approved and student organization sponsored travel including but not limited to retreats, conventions or conferences will not be tolerated.

In addition, the sponsoring student organization or individuals may be held responsible for the actions during officially sanctioned University travel. Abuse of alcohol/drugs or other irresponsible behavior can adversely affect the status of the organization and student status for future travel plans when these lapses in judgment are foreseeable and preventable by the officers and others attending the event. The Division of Student Affairs expects such situations to be reported to the organization advisor or Dean of Students Office immediately.

I understand that when I travel using Florida Atlantic University funds, I am spending student or university funds entrusted to the Division of Student Affairs, Student Government, and Student Clubs and Organizations. I accept the responsibility to be a good steward of those funds. I also understand that I will be viewed as a representative of Florida Atlantic University, and that my behavior will reflect upon the entire university. I accept the responsibility of being a positive representative of the University.