ECOLOGY IN AUSTRALIA (BI 200B) FINANCIAL INFORMATION PROGRAM FEES AND ESTIMATED EXPENSE

Item	Cost
Program Fee	\$4005
Est. PCC Tuition	\$498
Estimated out-of-pocket Personal	
Expenses	
Est. Airfare (as of Dec. 2018)	\$1400
Passport (renewal \$110)	\$145
Vaccinations	N/A
Est. Meals	\$450
Est. Books	\$50
Est. Personal Expenses	\$300

There is a \$500 deposit (which will apply to program fee) required to secure your place in the program due no later than **2/22/18**.

The program fee and PCC tuition will be charged to your PCC account. The other estimated expenses will be up to you.

Included in Program Fee:

- Housing for entirety of program
- Excursions to national parks
- Co-curricular/cultural activities
- Select meals (breakfast daily, some lunches, some dinners)
- Airport pickup/drop-off
- In-country transportation related to program
- Museum/park entry fees
- On-site orientation
- International insurance/On-site support services
- 24/7 emergency support throughout program

Not included in Program Fee:

- Round trip airfare to Cairns, Australia
- Personal spending money
- Passport
- Non-programmed meals

<u>COVERING THE COST</u>- A STUDY ABROAD EXPERIENCE IS A MAJOR INVESTMENT IN YOUR FUTURE—ONE WITH MANY BENEFITS.

- Scholarships: There are many scholarships that can go toward costs of studying abroad. Visit the Education Abroad website at www.pcc.edu/education-abroad/resources/funding/ Facebook: @PCCEdAbroad
- Consult Financial Aid—they can tell you how financial aid can help you study abroad based on your situation.
- Federal Loans: You may be able to apply federal loans you receive as part of your financial aid package toward the cost of studying abroad. You must complete the FAFSA to be eligible for federal student loans.
- **Private Loans:** Private student loans can be a great way to pay for study abroad expenses not covered by scholarships or federal loans; however, make sure that you are completely clear on your repayment requirements.
- **Personal Fundraising:** Investing time and effort into personal fundraising can be an effective way of covering gaps in funding. This can take the form of: requesting people or organizations to sponsor you, organizing fundraising parties, or launching online fundraising campaigns (crowdfunding).

PLEASE NOTE, THIS IS AN ESTIMATE AND IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE REFER TO <u>WWW.PCC.EDU/EDUCATION-ABROAD/</u> OR CONTACT AN ADVISOR FOR UPDATED INFORMATION.