

APPENDIX E: INTERNATIONAL INTERNSHIP PLACEMENT CRITERIA

ADCS 4050: INTERNSHIP IN ADDICTIONS COUNSELLING II INTERNATIONAL INTERNSHIP PLACEMENT CRITERIA

Students will be considered for an international internship placement subject to the following:

- A. Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5
- B. Letter of intent written by the student, outlining:
 - why they are interested in this experience
 - any previous experience (special skills, previous international travel)
 - how this experience will benefit the student
 - an understanding of international/cultural issues related to the specific program of study
- C. Three letters of reference, two of which reflect clinical skill sets (e.g. preceptors, supervisors, employers, faculty, clergy)
- D. Interview with Senior Internship Coordinator and/or Faculty Liaison/Course Instructor. The interview may include assessment and discussion of:
 - academic role of student
 - strong group work skills
 - strong interpersonal skills
 - self-care skills
 - health care issues
 - cultural issues
 - criminal record history
 - addictions, recovery, and mental health issues
- E. Evidence of strong clinical skills
 - Minimum GPA of 3.5 in all clinical counselling courses (i.e. ADCS 1020; ADCS 1220; ADCS 3050; ADCS 2120; ADCS 3120)
 - Must submit an evaluation from Internship I supervisor