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INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL HEALTH AND SAFETY
- Offer destination-specific resources and guidance
- Facilitate international travel registration for U-M travelers
- Provide 24/7 support for faculty, staff, and students experiencing crises overseas

INFRASTRUCTURE AND SYSTEMS TRAINING
- Provide support and training for the campus-wide engaged learning system, M-Compass
- Assist with promoting programs and funding opportunities in M-Compass

PRE-DEPARTURE PREPARATION
- Partner with U-M units to develop workshops for program leaders and participants covering health and safety, cultural inclusivity, group management, and travel planning
- Advise students pursuing independent experiences abroad

INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS
- Facilitate connections with international partners
- Establish agreements for activities such as academic collaboration, education abroad, student exchanges, and visiting scholars

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- Convene numerous committees and working groups that guide and support the University’s Global Engagement initiatives
- Bring together international education professionals to share resources and best practices

RISK ASSESSMENTS
- Monitor health, safety, and security conditions abroad which shapes the risk evaluation process for destinations
- Review travelers’ risk assessment and mitigation strategies for their destination(s) through the safety plan / travel health plan process

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