Student Leadership

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Student Leadership

• Developing the leadership skills to take a group abroad
• When to grab hold and when to let go
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• Finding the right fit for the group
  – Selecting the agency to work with
  – Negotiating the experience
  – Identifying our needs and their needs
  – Negotiating the costs
  – Communicating all long distance
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• Learning about the culture and norms before the trip
  – Learning the demographics about the country
  – Learning their health care needs
  – Learning the impact of religion on their lives
  – Growing from total immersion for an extended period of time
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• Health care is not just the assessment of the body
  – Leadership for the less glamorous tasks
  – Delegating work teams
  – Building septic system at the monks enclave
  – Doing assessments and treatments for the students and monks
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• Meeting and collaborating with their health care providers
  – Comparing their education preparation
  – Comparing their roles
  – Comparing their values with ours
  – Understanding all the differences
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• Coming back to campus and forming ongoing group “Students HEAL”
  – Leaving a legacy for others to follow
  – Creating connections between SDSU and an international school
  – Leaving funds and directions
  – Demonstrating REAL development