

**STUDY ABROAD APPLICATION  
ALS 2984: CULTURE AND AGRICULTURE IN ECUADOR**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student ID Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Local (VT/Blacksburg) Address:**

**Permanent Address:**

**US Citizen:**    **Yes**       **No**    **If No, country of citizenship:**

**Department/Major:**

**Minor / Double Major (if applicable):**

**College:**

**Current Academic Status:**     **Fr**     **So**     **Jr**     **Sr**     **MS**     **PhD**     **Non-Student**

**Returning VT Students: VT GPA: Overall:**                    **In major (on DARS):**

**Briefly describe any international or cross-cultural experience you've had in the past four years:**

**Briefly describe your participation in any volunteer activities:**

**How will this education abroad opportunity complement your educational plans at Virginia Tech?**

**How will you help to make this a positive experience for other participants?**

**Name of Reference (high school teacher or college instructor):**

**Please request a letter of recommendation for this study abroad program be mailed or emailed to:**

**Dr. Matt Eick, 246 Smyth Hall, 185 Ag Quad Lane (0404), Blacksburg VA 24061 or emailed to [eick@vt.edu](mailto:eick@vt.edu)**

**Your signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**You will need to submit a \$500.00 check made out to "Treasurer of Virginia Tech" to 1070 Litton Reaves Hall, 175 West Campus Drive, Blacksburg, VA 24061. Priority consideration is given to first year students until September 30, 2014. All applications are due no later than 4:30 PM October 10, 2014.**