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Prospective IPMP Mentor:

I am excited to welcome you to the IUPUI International Peer Mentoring Program (IPMP).

The International Peer Mentoring Program (IPMP) started as an idea. An idea to help IUPUI students from all over the world with their transition to both university and American life. Since it's inception over a decade ago, IPMP has become so much more.

The IPMP is a family, a global family of mentors, coordinators, a manager/program director, and of course our mentees hailing from countries all over the world. Our mission is simple:

We aim to guide the successful social, cultural, and academic adjustment of IUPUI students from all over the world. IPMP equips undergraduate international students with the knowledge, support system, and tools to prosper at IUPUI and in the US.

As a mentor, you will accomplish this mission through pre-arrival assistance, one on one mentoring, social opportunities, and cultural programming for your mentees. For many of our mentors this is an enriching developmental experience that results in personal growth, expanded leadership skills, and long-lasting relationships.

To accept this offer, follow these simple steps:

- 1. Fill out and sign the mentor <u>scholarship acceptance form</u>
- 2. Save the date for all the program trainings and designated Responsibility Area trainings
- 3. Read and initial each item on the left side column of the <u>mentor contract</u> according to which Responsibility Area you have been assigned
- 4. Sign and date the mentor <u>liability form</u>
- 5. Complete the photo release form
- Return both items either by email <u>imentor@iupui.edu</u> or in person to the following: If you prefer to return printed forms, please drop off to the Office of International Affairs front desk in ES 2126 with a note: *Please deliver to Estela Kite.*

Mentor acceptance forms **must be returned by your assigned deadline.** Failing to return your signed forms by the stated deadline may result in the revoking of this offer.

Please email *imentor@iupui.edu* with any questions or concerns.

Best regards,

Estela Kite International Program Manager

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