Application Tips

As you complete and before you submit your application package, please take time to consider what is outlined below:

Application Package

- Are you submitting your application package by the application deadline?
- Are all requested components and copies of documents present in your application?
- Did you complete relevant checklists and sign and date pages, as requested?
- Is the material well-organized and easy for the committee to peruse?

Statement of Interest

- Did you address all aspects of the guiding questions for the statement?
- Does your statement show that you have given thought to and researched the specific experience for which you applied or is it vague, short, or hastily done?
- If you are applying to more than one experience or location, did you address each experience or location separately in the respective statement of interest or did you submit the same or almost the same narrative for both?
- Given the international experience involves a teaching placement, and the guiding statement questions ask about envisioned impact professionally, does your statement address teaching or education, the context of the schools abroad, the impact of travel educationally, and so on or is it focussed more generally on a desire to travel?
- Did you edit your statement to ensure it conveyed the ideas you wanted to communicate?
- Is your statement well-written grammatically and free of typos?