STUDY ABROAD SCHOLARSHIPS

Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program

Deadline: Varies

Awards:

• \$3,000 (summer program)

\$4,000 (fall and spring program)\$5,000 (academic year program)

Degree Level: Bachelors

Sponsored by the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the U.S. Department of State, the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship program offers grants to U.S. undergraduates with limited financial means, in order to diversify the population of students going abroad. This annual competitive award is given to a limited number of recipients interested in studying or interning abroad.

Robert B. Bailey Scholarship

Deadline: TBA

Award: Up to \$2,000 per student

Degree Level: Bachelors

Offered through the Council on International Educational Exchange, the Bailey Scholarship is aimed at providing ethnic minority students from the United States with the financial means to study abroad. Applicants are required to submit a range of application materials, such as an outline of academic achievements, proof of financial need, a personal statement essay, and letters of recommendation.

The Intern Group Global Leadership Grants

Deadline: February 2nd, 2019

Awards: \$2500 Degree Level: Any

In order to promote global leadership, The Intern Group is offering four \$2500 grants for students and recent graduates interested in interning abroad in Dublin, Latin America, Australia, or Shanghai during the summer or fall of 2018. The Intern Group offers incredible six week internship programs in each destination, giving participants the opportunity to gain essential work experience and a renewed global perspective.

Sol Education Abroad Scholarships

Deadline:

- March 1 (summer)
- July 1 (fall and academic year)
- October 1 (spring and winter)

Awards: Varies

Degree Level: Bachelors

Sol Education Abroad's annual scholarship is open to students of any ethnicity and cultural background. The objective of the 50+ scholarships they distribute annually is to give back to the international communities where their participants come from, while also creating opportunities for more students to explore new cultures and improve their Spanish language skills.

Corinne Jeannine Schillings Scholarships

Deadline: December 8th, 2019

Award: \$1,000

Degree Level: Bachelors

The Corinne Jeannine Schillings Foundation provides both Silver and Gold Scholarships to girl scouts who have a desire to study abroad when they reach university. This "Travel Study" scholarship award is open to girl scouts pursuing any undergraduate area of study, major, or minor courses.

Allianz Global Assistance Scholarship

Deadline: November 6th, 2019

Awards:

\$50 Amazon Gift Card (for 30 finalists)\$2,500 (grand prize for six winners)

Degree Level: High School Seniors & Bachelors

With a belief that international travel can help students grow and expand their horizons, Allianz Global Assistance has been dedicated to giving students the opportunity to travel the world for over a decade. American students enrolled in accredited high schools, colleges, or universities can submit a 60 to 90 second video OR a 500-word essay answering the question "How can international travel impact my life?", to apply for Allianz Global's ScholarTrip funding opportunity.

Generation Google Scholarship

Deadline: Varies Annually

Awards:

10,000 USD (for study in the U.S.)5,000 CAD (for study in Canada)

Degree Level: High School Seniors & Bachelors

While continuing to break down barriers by inspiring and helping students to become the future of the technology industry, Google established the Generation Google scholarship in order to fund study abroad for American and Canadian students who aspire to become *the* best computer scientists of their generation. This award is open to all current high school seniors and university students from Canada and the U.S.

Fulbright U.S. Student Program

Deadline: October 6th, 2019

Award: Varies

Degree Levels: Masters, Young Professionals, & Recent Graduates

The Fulbright U.S. Student Program provides grants to selected individuals to work, live, and learn for one academic year in a foreign country. There are two types of grants provided by the Fulbright U.S. Student Program: Study/Research and English Teaching Assistant. This Fulbright grant is open to graduate students, recent graduates, and young professionals in the United States. The total number of grants distributed each year depends on the availability of federal appropriated funds.

Rotary Foundation Global Scholarship Grants

Deadline: Varies Award: \$30,000 Degree Level: Masters

The Rotary Foundation has been a pillar in humanitarian activities, whether related to local service projects or global initiatives, for decades. The Rotary's Global Grants program offers support to students pursuing graduate-level coursework or research in the fields of: Peace and Conflict Resolution, Disease Prevention

and Treatment, Water Sanitation, Maternal and Child Health, Education and Literacy, and Community and Economic Development.

Erasmus Mundus Scholarships

Deadline: Varies Grant: Varies

Degree Levels: Masters & PhD

Funded by the European Union, the Erasmus Mundus Scholarship is an exclusive award for masters or doctoral students of the EU. Its aim is to enhance the quality of higher education and promote understanding between diverse peoples and cultures across the globe.

Chevening Scholarships

Deadline: November 7th, 2019

Award: Varies

Degree Level: Masters

The UK government established the Chevening Scholarship program in 1983 to support the development of future global leaders. Funded by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO), the Chevening Scholarship provides recipients worldwide with the unique opportunity to develop their potential, both academically and professionally, at any UK university. This scholarship is open to graduate students working on their master's degree in any subject.

Australia Awards Scholarships

Deadline: Varies Per Award

Award: Varies

Degree Levels: Bachelor, Masters, & PhD

Administered by the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, the Australia Awards Scholarship is a long-term development award that provides students from developing countries with the opportunity to undertake full-time study in any participating Australian institution at the undergraduate, graduate, and postgraduate level.

Swedish Institute Study Scholarships

Deadline: Varies
Award: Varies

Degree Level: Masters

Funded by the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Sweden and administered by the Swedish Institute, the Swedish Institute Study Scholarship (SISS) aims to develop global leaders. An estimated 300 scholarships are given to qualified graduate applicants each year. The scholarship covers tuition fees, living expenses, and insurance for all scholars.

VLIR-UOS Awards Scholarships

Deadline: Varies

Award: Various Expenses Covered

Degree Level: Masters

VLIR-OUS aims to make a difference by looking for innovative responses to global and local challenges. With this objective in mind, VLIR-UOS hopes to strengthen globalization of higher education institutions in Flanders, Belgium by awarding scholarships to foreign students and professionals. This scholarship program is open to applicants from 54 countries in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. Scholars will have the opportunity

to participate in English-taught training programs or pursue master's degrees at any accredited Belgian academic institution.

27. The NextGen Scholarship

Deadline: Applications Open February

Award: \$1,000

Degree Levels: High School Seniors & Bachelors

The NextGen Scholarship was created to help international or American students, whether high school seniors or those pursuing undergraduate degrees, complete higher education degree programs in the United States. Every year, one scholar is awarded based on merit and financial need.

Ideapod Scholarship

Deadline: TBA Grant: \$2000

Degree Level: Any University Student

The Ideapod Scholarship was created as a way to support technological development, especially related to Artificial Intelligence (AI), the most exciting and talked about technology today. In partnership with the ADC Forum, the Ideapod Scholarship supports the imagination and creativity of university students, both undergraduate and graduate, all over the world. To apply, students must answer the question "What will Artificial Intelligence mean for work?"

Global Experiences Scholarships

Deadline: Varies Award: Varies

Degree Level: Bachelors

Global Experiences scholarships are available for any term and range from funding for women or underrepresented students to students who embody their core values best. With <u>internships in key cities</u> <u>all over the world</u>, it is worth checking out Global Experiences programs, especially when you could end up participating at nearly no cost to you!

Shanghai Government Scholarships

Deadline: Varies Award: Varies

Degree Levels: Bachelor, Masters, & PhD

The Shanghai Municipal Education Commission aims to further develop international education and attract international students to Shanghai, China by providing them with financial resources. Therefore, in 2005, the commission establish the Shanghai Government Scholarship (SGS). Qualified international students interested in pursuing a higher education in an academic institution in Shanghai will have the opportunity to receive three different types of scholarships: Class A (full scholarship for graduate students), Class B (partial scholarship for undergraduate and graduate students), or Class C (Excellent Student Award) scholarship.

Korean Government Scholarship

Deadline: TBA

Award: Various Expenses Covered Degree Levels: Bachelor, Masters, & PhD

In order to increase ties and relationships throughout the world, the National Institute for International Education of South Korea offers foreign university students from countries with bilateral cultural

agreements with South Korea the opportunity to study abroad in Korea. The Korean Government Scholarship Program (KGSP) aims to support future global leaders by promoting real international education.

Japanese Government Scholarship

Deadline: Annual Award: Varies

Degree Levels: Bachelor, Masters, & PhD

Established in 1954, the Japanese Government (Monbukagakusho) Scholarship program has helped thousands of international students pursue higher education in Japan. Supporting students pursuing undergraduate as well as master's degrees, research, and various other training programs in Japan, this scholarship is open to students from around the world.

The Bridging Foundation Scholarship

Deadline: October Award: \$2,500 - \$4,000 Degree Level: Bachelors

The United States-Japan Bridging Foundation, through collaboration with the Bridging Project Clearinghouse at the American Association of Teachers of Japan, awards scholarships to U.S. undergraduate students who want to study in Japan for a semester or a full academic year. Approximately 100 scholarships are awarded to applicants demonstrating a strong interest in a higher education in Japan and a demand for financial assistance annually.

Asia Exchange Scholarships

Deadline: November Award: up to 500 € Degree Level: Bachelors

Awarded twice a year, the Asia Exchange Scholarships offer students in target countries with the opportunity to pursue undergraduate study at a university or college in Asia. This scholarship program can be used for studying abroad at 12 universities in Asia.

German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Scholarship

Deadline: Varies Award: Varies

Degree Levels: Bachelor, Masters, & PhD

The German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) offers a wide range of scholarships for Canadian or American students who want to pursue study or research in Germany. Scholarships are competitive and range from support for short term programs to monthly financial support for the duration of a German degree program.

Eastern European Study Abroad Scholarships

Deadlines:

March 1st (fall semester)

October 15th (spring semester)

• April 1st (summer semester)

Award: up to \$2,500 Degree Level: Bachelors Eastern European Study Abroad (EESA) offers merit and need-based scholarships to students interested in studying abroad with EESA who are financially disadvantaged. Applicants must submit an essay answering a required question and meet minimum GPA requirements to be eligible for EESA Scholarships.

Spanish Studies Abroad Scholarships

Deadlines:

- May 15th (fall semester)
- October 15th (spring semester)
- April 15th (summer semester)

Award: Varies

Degree Level: Bachelor

Spanish Studies Abroad provides <u>Spanish language focused study abroad programs</u> in multiple Spanish-speaking countries around the world. Their scholarship programs provide financial aid opportunities for undergraduates interested in pursuing international programs in Spain, Argentina, and Cuba. The Spanish Studies Abroad scholarship program offers two types of awards: merit-based and diversity.

LIVFund Scholarship

Deadline: Monthly Selection

Award: \$500

Degree Level: Bachelor

LIVFund offers financial assistance to students interested in participating in international programs based in Latin America. The scholarship is open to any student in college or university that meets various eligibility conditions and submits a creative response to application questions. Two scholarships are awarded each month to selected applicants.

Otago Polytechnic Scholarships

Deadline: Varies Award: Varies

Degree Levels: Bachelor & Masters

Otago Polytechnic is the leading polytechnic institute of higher education in New Zealand. In order to achieve the Otago Polytechnic's goal of becoming a leading academic institution on an international level, the school offers multiple scholarships to local and international students covering a wide range of fields.

American Research Center in Egypt Fellowships

Deadline: Varies Award: Varies Degree Level: PhD

Fellowships provided by the American Research Center in Egypt (ARCE) offer pre-doctoral and post-doctoral applicants in the United States the chance to profoundly expand their knowledge of Egypt and the Near East through study and research in Egypt. The ARCE's annual fellowships are made possible by partnerships with the Ministry of Antiquities and the Ministry of Higher Education in Egypt. ARCE offers three types of fellowships that are awarded to more than 10 applicants annually.

Holland Scholarship

Deadline: TBA Award: € 5,000

Degree Levels: Bachelors & Masters

Study in Holland promotes international education programs to Dutch students while providing resources and guidance for incoming international students. The Holland Scholarship is provided by Study in Holland and financed by the Dutch Ministry of Education, Culture, and Science as well as multiple research universities based in the Netherlands. The Holland Scholarship offers funding for non-European Economic Area (EEA) students that wish to study in Holland. Applicants should be in their first year of undergraduate or graduate studies.

University of Bologna (UNIBO) Study Grant

Deadline: TBA Awards: € 11,000

Degree Levels: Bachelors & Masters

Forty international applicants are awarded with study grants by the University of Bologna each year. Study grants are awarded based on students' SAT and GRE test scores and online application submission. Only students who wish to register for the university's First Cycle, Second Cycle, or Single Cycle degree programs are eligible for the grants.

Fund for Education Abroad

Deadline: TBA Fall 2020 Award: \$1250 - \$10000 Degree Level: Undergraduate

The Fund for Education abroad prides itself on providing accessible scholarships to students who are traditionally underrepresented. Students who identify as minority, first-generation, community college students, and more will be given preference in the application process. FEA also partners with many study abroad organizations, such as CAPA, AIFS, and SIT through their Access Partner Program, to reach students studying abroad through a myriad of organizations.

SCHOLARSHIP WINNING ADVICE

- 1. Don't mass produce your application. Each application should be responsive to the scholarship to which you are applying.
- 2. Your application should make clear how study abroad will change you and enhance your trajectory.
- 3. Highlight any opportunities to add depth to your experience abroad, such as exploring some heritage or familial connection to the destination.
- 4. Study abroad scholarships are not necessarily reserved for top academics. The key is to highlight your best qualities and demonstrate your passion for cross cultural interactions.
- 5. Apply early and apply for multiple scholarships.