

Study Abroad Awards

Wasaburo Fujimiya Study Abroad Scholarship

Mr. Fujimiya is a CMU alumnus and representative director of Hugle Electronics, Inc. in Japan and Korea. Mr. Fujimiya wishes to support CMU students pursuing their education overseas and international students studying at CMU. An award will be distributed to a student enrolled in the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences. This award is not renewable. Preference will be given to students with financial need as determined by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid.

Funding Criteria:

- Undergraduate or graduate student with a 3.0 GPA or higher who chooses to study in one of CMU's Japanese or East Asian exchange partner program universities, and/or students from one of these exchange program universities studying at CMU
- Approved through the Office of International Affairs/Study Abroad.
- Enrolled full-time at the time of the award and during the term of the study abroad
- CMU students should demonstrate financial need by filing Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

Dr. Pamela Sue Gates Award for Study Abroad

A graduate of Central Michigan University, Pamela Gates received both her bachelor's and master's degrees in English. She taught students in the English Department at CMU, eventually becoming Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, retiring in 2018. Dr. Gates wishes to support CMU students pursuing their education overseas in appreciation of the transformational experience of travel.

Funding Criteria:

• Junior or Senior with a 3.0 GPA or higher who chooses to study in a major and/or within the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences.

Delphine E. Rogers Study Abroad Award

Mrs. Rogers is a CMU alumni and graduate of Central Michigan University. Delphine taught students in Michigan and New Hampshire, retiring from the Gaylord Public School District in 1999. Mrs. Rogers wishes to support CMU students pursuing their education overseas in appreciation of the transformational experience of travel, with preference given to those studying to be teachers and/or with financial need.

Funding Criteria:

- Junior or Senior with a 3.0 GPA or higher who chooses to study in a major within the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences. Preference given to students studying to be teachers.
- Applicants should demonstrate financial need by filing a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at <u>www.fafsa.ed.gov</u>.

Martin Steinbis and Friends Study Abroad Award

The Martin Steinbis and Friends Study Abroad Award is open to interdisciplinary students affiliated with programs, projects and/or courses in the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences.

Funding Criteria:

• Recipient of the award must have a minimum GPA of 3.25 or higher who chooses to study in a major and/or within the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences.



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Carol & Lars Wigert Study Abroad Award

This endowment was created by Carol and Lars Wigert to support study abroad opportunities encouraging student growth in the knowledge of cultures, values, political systems, religions and peoples who live outside their communities and the United States. It is the donor's hope that this knowledge will result in greater understanding and tolerance of the lifestyles and beliefs of others.

Funding Criteria:

• Junior or senior with a 3.0 GPA or higher who will study abroad a minimum of one semester

ALL APPLICANTS MUST SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:

- 1) an application form (attached)
- 2) a current "Unofficial Transcript"
- 3) one letter of recommendation from a CMU faculty member
- 4) brief narrative providing a description of educational goals and professional or career aspirations. A list of study abroad objectives focusing on the educational and professional relevance of the trip will need to be stated clearly in the essay. Please include detailed information regarding any clinical, field, research, or internship opportunities.



DEADLINE: April 1, 2025 by 5:00pm

Choose the award(s) for which you would like to apply; please be certain that you meet the qualifications of all scholarships for which you are applying. If you do not meet the minimum qualification, you will be ineligible.

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Name		Student ID
Address		
Phone	Email	
G.P.A	FAFSA on file with CMU: Y	les No
Expected class standing at time of trip:	Sophomore Ju	nior 🗌 Senior
Semester: Spring 20	Summer 20	Fall 20
Major	Minor	
Study abroad location		
Study abroad dates		
Recommendation letter by		Attached Submitted Separately
I hereby attest to the accuracy of the information supplied on this application and authorize CMU to release information		

I hereby attest to the accuracy of the information supplied on this application and authorize CMU to release information concerning this application, and/or an official transcript of my academic record to representatives of the scholarship selection committee.

Signature of Applicant

Date

This completed application with all supporting materials should be submitted electronically to <u>CLASSscholarships@cmich.edu</u>. Please contact (989) 774-3341 with any questions.