2014-15 Study Abroad Scholarship Information

In support of its commitment to international education, the College of Science and Technology at CMU has allocated funds to be awarded to CST majors who participate in an approved study abroad program:

- $200  Faculty-led programs (one-two weeks in length)
- $400  Faculty-led programs: students enrolled in CST courses
- $800  Summer study abroad (three weeks in length or more)
- $2,000  Semester study abroad (ten weeks in length or more)
- $10,000  Galapagos Island Program (VERY LIMITED – SEE BELOW)

The scholarships are intended to make study abroad more affordable and to encourage more students to take advantage of the excellent opportunities available. Awards will be based on academic merit.

**Minimum Qualifications for Application**

1. Be approved to study abroad through CMU and CST.
2. Full-time, matriculated, on-campus undergraduate student at CMU at the time of application and during the term of study abroad.
3. At the time of study abroad, undergraduates must have at least sophomore standing.
4. An academic course or courses should be associated with the study abroad experience.

**In-Kind Service**

Returning students may be asked to assist other students in speaking to and/or arranging future study abroad trips to the same country, or to speak to students interested in study abroad.

**Application Deadlines**

With the exception of the Galapagos Island Program (see below), applications for scholarship funding may be made up until the time of departure. However, funding may be limited so that preference will be given to early applications.

**Award Announcements**

Scholarship awards will be announced as soon as possible, but normally not more than two weeks after the date of application.

**Galapagos Island Program**

No more than four of these will be available each year. Unlike the other scholarships, these are competitive and have an **application deadline of October 1**. Students interested in the marine ecology program must have SCUBA certification.
2014-15 Study Abroad Scholarship Application

I am applying for a study abroad scholarship for the following term:

___ fall semester 201__
___ spring semester 201__
___ academic year 201__/
___ summer semester 201__

Have you previously received a study abroad scholarship at CMU?
Yes ____ No____ (If yes, when: __________)

Please type or print neatly in BLACK INK

Name: __________________________________________ Student ID#____________________

Study Abroad Program & Country: ____________________________

Program dates: ____________________________

month/day/year to month/day/year

Local Address: ________________________________

Phone: __________________________ E-mail: __________________________

Permanent address: ________________________________

__________________________________________________________________________________

Academic Level at time of program: _____ sophomore _____ junior _____ senior

CMU full-time student: _____ yes _____ no GPA: ___________ (attach unofficial transcript)

Major field(s) of study: __________________________ Minor field(s) of study: __________________

What subjects do you plan to study while abroad? __________________________

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Please list other scholarships you receive now or will receive:

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1. ESSAY: On a separate page, please give a description of (1) Why you chose your particular study abroad program; and (2) How study abroad will help you to achieve your academic and/professional goals. Please provide specific, detailed information and avoid generalizations.

2. Provide evidence that you have been accepted to or registered for the study abroad program you have listed above.

I certify that I have read and understand the instructions and that the statements made in this application and the attachments provided are accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant’s signature ___________________________ Date __________

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Date Student Status Verified: __________ Amount Approved: ________________

Date Transferred to OSFA: __________

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