SCHOLARSHIPS

Benjamin A. Gilman

International Scholarship

(www.iie.org/en/programs/Gilman-Scholarship-Program)

- For undergraduates with high financial need currently receiving a Federal Pell Grant.
- Up to \$5,000.
- \$8,000 bonus for critical need languages: Arabic, Chinese, Turkic, Japanese, Bahasa Indonesia, Persian, Indic, Korean, Russian, Swahili.

David L. Boren Awards

(www.iie.org)

- National Security Education Program (NSEP) David L. Boren Undergraduate Scholarships
- Offers the resources to study the language and culture of a non-Western country
- Intern for the federal department of your choice



ISEP was

Fund for Education Abroad

http://

established in 1979

fundforeducationabroad.org/ applicants/

Scholarships of up to \$10,000

Marshall Scholarship

- Marshall Scholarships "finance young Americans of high ability to study for a degree in the U.K."
- For study at any U.K, university
- Need a 3.7 GPA minimum to apply

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Awards for Specific

Countries:

FREEMAN-ASIA AWARDS:

(http://www.iie.org/ programs/freeman-asia)

For students studying in East or Southeast Asia with demonstrated need.

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ANNETTE KADE SCHOLARSHIP:

For students studying in France, Germany Austria or Switzerland.

KANSAI GAIDAI MERIT SCHOLARSHIP:

Students who start out with and maintain a 3.0 GPA while at the university can receive \$6,000 directly from the school at the end of the semester.

MASSEY UUNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP:

For ISEP students studying in New Zealand. \$1,000 scholarships available.

• Explore New Zealand Scholarship
For students attending Massey University for the
National Expedition and Internship summer
program on ISEP Direct.

ISEP FOUNDERS FELLOWSHIP

For students attending an ISEP member university and who meet the eligibility requirements of the ISEP Community Scholarship. To apply for this fellowship, which focuses on leadership and inclusion, you must also apply to the ISEP Community Scholarship and submit a creative project.

ISEP COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

For students attending an ISEP member university, have a demonstrated financial need and are statistically underrepresented in study abroad. The ISEP Community Scholarship supports our mission of extending access and affordability of study abroad to all students in our membership.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Minority / Ethnic Awards

- La Unidad Latina (www.lulfoundation.org)
- Hispanic Scholarship Fund (www.hsf.net)
- Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute (www.chci.org)
- Korean-American Scholarships (<u>www.kasf.org</u>)
- National Italian American Foundation (www.niaf.org)
- NAACP Scholarships (African-Americans) – www.naacp.org
- Sons of Norway Foundation (<u>www.sofn.com</u>)
- American Association of University Women (<u>www.aauw.org</u>)

Databases

Search for scholarships by major, country, or educational level:

- www.studyabroad.com
- www.studyabroadfunding.org
- www.diversityabroad.com
- www.scholarshipPortal.eu (European Union)
- www.GoAbroad.com
- www.Umabroad.umn.edu (University of Minnesota Learning Abroad Center)

Additional Opportunities

- Glimpse Correspondents Get paid for keeping a blog (www.glimpse.org)
- Phipps (\$1,000) and Schoelzel (\$2,000) Scholarships for Women through the Federation of Women's Clubs of Connecticut (www.wcdnf.org)
- The Truman Scholarship is a highly competitive, merit-based award offered to U.S. citizens and who wish to go to graduate school in preparation for a career in government, the non-profit sector or elsewhere in public service. Truman Scholars participate in leadership development programs and have special opportunities for internships and employment with the Federal government. In order to qualify, you must currently be enrolled in an accredited undergraduate degree program, and be planning on attending graduate school to further a career in public service.



BON VOYAGE!



- There are more than 300 study sites to choose from.
- 2. You can study in English in many countries where the native language is not English.
- 3. Scholarships and financial aid usually can be applied to ISEP.
- You can receive credit at WCSU toward your degree for courses satisfactorily completed abroad.
- You may study abroad for one or two semesters or over the summer.
- 6. Your chances of getting a job upon graduation are enhanced.
- 7. Your horizons are broadened by becoming immersed in a foreign culture.

Other suggestions

- Non-western locations cost of living VERY inexpensive.
- Plan in advance put extra money aside.
- Early graduation / holiday present.
- Take out additional loans at WCSU issued as a refund check.
- Private loans, e.g. Sallie Mae (www.salliemae.com)
- Check local churches, community organizations (Elks Club, Hillel, Rotary, Kiwanis)

WESTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

STUDY ABROAD Scholarships



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MYTH: Study Abroad is extremely expensive.
I could never afford it!

TRUTH: Many semester-long and full academic year programs cost approximately the same amount as a semester on campus at WCSU

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