Scholarships/Fellowships

The Center for Languages, Literatures and Cultures, the OSU language departments, the College of Arts and Humanities, and the Office of International Education offer a number of scholarships to students at the undergraduate and graduate levels. These scholarships enable students to travel abroad or to other institutions to improve their language skills and learn about the languages and cultures of other countries. For more information on scholarships, visit the Web sites of individual language departments offering study abroad programs.

NSEP Boren Awards (Deadline - late January 2020)

Boren Awards provide a unique funding opportunity for U.S. students to study world regions critical to U.S. interests (including Africa, Asia, Central & Eastern Europe, Eurasia, Latin America, and the Middle East). The countries of Western Europe, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand are excluded. The Boren Scholarships provide up to $20,000 for undergraduate students to study in countries that are generally underrepresented in study abroad. www.borenawards.org. For more information, please contact your Boren undergraduate scholarship campus representative, Dr. Rebecca Bias, bias.3@osu.edu.

The Huntington National Bank pledged over $300,000 to The Ohio State University Campaign in the form of an endowed fund to benefit humanities students interested in international business and foreign languages. Applications for the fellowship program are now available in the Center for Languages, Literatures and Cultures.

Purpose

This program is intended to permit students majoring in the humanities with interest and supporting work in international business and trade to spend an extended time abroad to enhance their fluency in the foreign language, their knowledge of the foreign culture, and their understanding of the workings and environment of international commerce.

Eligibility

Students must:
1. Be sophomores or juniors at The Ohio State University at the time of the application;
2. Have completed a minimum of the first two years (three semesters) of OSU foreign language study or its equivalent prior to the study abroad experience;
3. Be able to demonstrate serious interest in, commitment to, and involvement in, business, commerce, or industry.

Application

Application deadline: Friday, January 31, 2020
Announcement of awards: Friday, March 6, 2020

Application requirements include: a letter of application that contains a statement of purpose and describes the applicant's proposed program and two letters of recommendation (including at least one from a language professor). Personal interviews of finalists are required. https://cllc.osu.edu/undergraduate/scholarships/huntington

Award

Awards of varying amounts, depending on total amount available in the account, may be used to cover travel, tuition, and living costs. Award amounts begin at $500.00.

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