

# University Honors Program Study Abroad/Travel Study Award Description

## Application Terms and Conditions:

The Honors Program Study Abroad/Travel Study Scholarship is intended to assist University Honors Program students who wish to engage in the high-impact educational practice of studying abroad.

Recipients must meet the following conditions:

- Be in good standing in the University Honors Program (cumulative GPA of 3.4 or higher), and making adequate progress toward completing the program;
- Matriculate full time for a semester or a full year at a university outside of the United States  
OR be enrolled in a travel study course through the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater;
- Earn at least three Honors credits while undertaking the Study Abroad/Travel Study experience. Honors credits may be earned through an Honors travel study course or through an H-Option Project. Students must earn at least a B in an Honors course or in a course in which an H-Option Project is undertaken.

## Scholarship Logistics:

Other scholarship terms and conditions are as follows:

- This scholarship is not repeatable.
- Applications will be reviewed by the faculty members of the Honors Council.
- This scholarship application is due by February 20th annually.
- The \$1,000 Honors Program Study Abroad/Travel Study Scholarship will be disbursed in the form of a tuition credit for the semester following the recipient's return to UW-Whitewater.
- A student's class status will be decided from the table below:



Sophomore: 24 to 59 University Credits earned, at least 9 Honors Credits earned by end of current semester.

Junior: 60 to 89 University Credits earned, at least 15 Honors Credits earned by end of current semester.

Senior: 90 or more University Credits earned, at least 18 Honors Credits earned by end of current semester.

## Post-Travel Requirements:

- Upon the recipient's return to UW-W, they will submit a four-page report about their experiences. Pages 1-2 should provide a summary of their experiences, page 3 will assess the specific ways in which their travel experiences have enriched them personally, and page 4 will address the larger question of how and why the travel study they undertook connects to their academic and/or career path.
- Additionally, recipients also agree to share about their travel experiences (if requested) with other UW-Whitewater Honors students and/or UW-Whitewater Faculty and Staff. Recipients further agree to allow excerpts from their four-page report to be posted on the University Honors Program website for promotional purposes.



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## Personal Information:

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

University Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Select Your Class Status (Listed on Previous Page): \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative UW-Whitewater GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Honors Credits Earned to Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

## Travel Study/Study Abroad Information:

Destination / Study Abroad Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Study Abroad / Term Abroad: \_\_\_\_\_

## Additional Application Requirements:

- A two-page essay that explains why you wish to apply for a University Honors Program Study Abroad/Travel Study Scholarship, including an articulation of your Plans and Goals, an articulation of your Expected Outcomes, an articulation of your involvement in the UHP, and a discussion of how the activity will contribute to your education at UW-Whitewater and your future professional goals
- A letter of support from a Faculty/Academic Staff who is familiar with your work.
- Applicants also agree to meet with the Director of the University Honors Program prior to departure to review the scholarship requirements and logistics.
- If awarded the scholarship, applicants also agree to the "Post-Travel Requirements" detailed on the previous page.

By signing below, you are agreeing to the Terms and Conditions, attesting to the accuracy of your application materials (to the best of your ability), and acknowledging the steps you must follow to be awarded the tuition credit for the semester following your return to UW-Whitewater.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Submission:** You may email your completed application to [honors@uww.edu](mailto:honors@uww.edu), or hand-deliver a printed copy to the University Honors Program Office in Lower Level McCutchan Hall.

**Deadline:** Applications are due by February 20th at 4:00pm.

## Office Use Only:

Received By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In Good Standing with UHP and Making Adequate UHP Progress: YES NO

