



Global Studies Experience Scholarship
2012 – 2013 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Due: February 15, 2012

Name: _____
Last First M.I.

UIN: _____ SSN: _____

Providing the University Identification Number (UIN) and/or Social Security Number (SSN) is optional; however, one or the other is used to ensure the recording of scholarship funds on the correct student's record.

Are you a current UIS student? ___ YES ___ NO

Will you be using your scholarship proceeds for the summer 2012 semester? ___YES ___NO
(If you mark "yes", please ensure the Global Experience Program/Seminar you mark is offered during the summer and take note of the information concerning students graduating in the spring 2012 semester noted in bold in the paragraph below.)

Will your first semester of attendance at UIS be: Fall 2012 ___ Spring 2013 ___

INSTRUCTIONS (Read this section carefully):

Complete the entire application and forward it to the UIS Office of Financial Assistance with a brief personal narrative. Narratives must be written by the student and should identify how participation in the Global Experience Program will enhance the student's academic program.

To qualify for this scholarship, students must have completed the 2012-2013 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), available after January 1, 2012, selecting UIS as a college choice (Title IV code 009333). Undergraduate students must be enrolled in no fewer than six (6) required credit hours during any semester and graduate students must be enrolled in no fewer than five (5) required credit hours for fall/spring study or three (3) required credit hours for the summer semester.

Application with the UIS Office of International Programs requires ALL of the following documents: 1) a 2012-2013 Global Experience Program Application Form 2) an official academic transcript 3) two letters of recommendation (form provided) 4) a Financial Agreement form for your specified trip, and 5) a signed copy of the Acknowledgment of Risks and Release of Responsibility form.

Submit this completed application and narrative by February 15, 2012 to the following address:

Office of Financial Assistance
University of Illinois at Springfield
One University Plaza, MS UHB 1015
Springfield, IL 62703.

*****Please complete the second page of this application.*****

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Name _____
Last First M. I.

Current Mailing Address _____
Street City State Zip

Permanent Mailing Address _____
Street City State Zip

Local Phone (day) _____ (evening) _____

Gender (circle correct answer) Male *Female* Date of Birth _____

ACADEMIC PLAN:

Which Global Experience Program/Seminar do you plan to pursue during the summer 2012 or 2012-2013 academic year?

Program: _____ Semester: _____

During 2012-2013, I will be an/a (circle one) Undergraduate *Graduate* *Doctoral* student.

Major _____ Expected Graduation Date _____

I plan to enroll in ____ credit hours for the summer 2012 semester, or ____ credit hours for the fall 2012 semester and/or ____ credit hours for the spring 2013 semester.

NOTE: The following certification MUST be completed for scholarship consideration.

CERTIFICATION OF STUDENT'S REGISTRATION WITH THE OFFICE of INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

The Office of International Programs hereby certifies that _____ has registered with the
Student's Name
UIS Office of International Programs for participation in the 2012-2013 Global Experience Program and is, therefore,
eligible to apply for the Global Studies Experience Scholarship.

Director of International Programs

Date

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Awards will be for the 2012-2013 academic year and will be contingent on continued academic progress and enrollment. Students must continue to meet the required selection criteria. Selected students will receive an acceptance form which must be returned within 30 days to the UIS Office of Financial Assistance. **This scholarship is non-renewable and a recipient will only be eligible to receive this scholarship one time during his/her tenure at UIS.** For questions, or additional information, please contact the UIS Office of Financial Assistance at (217) 206-6724 or toll free at (888) 977-4UIS. You may also access the following website: www.uis.edu/financialaid.

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