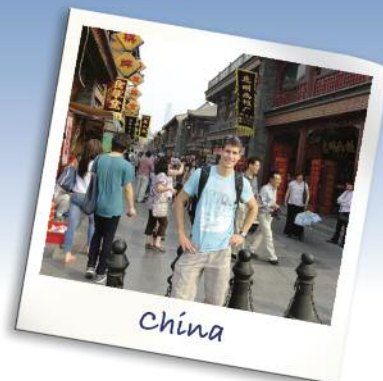


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SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDY ABROAD

The Gilman Program diversifies the kinds of students who study abroad and the countries and regions where they go by awarding over 2,300 scholarships of up to \$5,000.

The Gilman Program Eligibility Requirements:

- Applicant must be a U.S. citizen undergraduate student at a 2 or 4 year institution in the United States
- Applicant must be receiving a Federal Pell Grant at the time of application or during the term of study abroad
- Applicant must be applying to a study abroad program eligible for credit at the student's institution of higher education in the United States
- Applicant must be studying abroad for a minimum of 4 weeks in one country (28 days)
- Study abroad program can take place in any country that is not on the U.S. Department of State's Travel Warning List or Cuba

APPLICATIONS

Access the online application at www.iie.org/gilman

Contact the Financial Aid and Study Abroad advisors at your currently enrolled institution to notify them you are applying for the Gilman Scholarship and to verify they are able to certify your online application. In order to complete and submit the application, applicants will select these individuals in their online application to identify them as certifying advisors.

Upload official transcripts from your current institution and any previously attended institution indicated on your application.

DEADLINES

For Spring Study Abroad
OCTOBER 2, 2012

For Summer, Fall & Academic Year
MARCH 5, 2013

The Gilman Program strongly encourages applications from:

- Students attending community colleges
- Students from diverse ethnic backgrounds
- Students going to non-traditional study abroad destinations
- Students with disabilities
- First-generation college students
- Students in fields of study under-represented in study abroad

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Students studying a critical need language are automatically considered for the Gilman Critical Need Language Award (CNLA) for a total possible award of \$8,000. CNLAs are awarded to students studying abroad during a fall, spring or academic year term and a limited number are available each year.

Critical Need Languages include:

- Arabic
- Chinese languages
- Japanese
- Bahasa Indonesia
- Korean
- Indic languages
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- Persian languages
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- Turkic languages

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