LSA Departmental Scholarships

**African Studies Center**
http://www.ii.umich.edu/asc/resourcesopportunities/ascfunding

**SPRING/SUMMER FUNDING FOR RESEARCH, INTERNSHIP AND STUDY ABROAD SUPPORT IN AFRICA (UP TO $3,000)**

**Eligibility:** Students who need funding for research, an internship, or study abroad program taking place during spring or summer. Programs must relate to Africa.

**Required Materials:**

- Funding application (found online)
- Statement of purpose
  - Two page maximum
  - Single spaced
  - 12 point font.
  - Internship statements must include information on how the experience will benefit the applicant’s academic program and career plans upon completion of his/her UM degree.
  - Research statements must describe the project and discuss its rationale, objectives, design, and methodology, as well as the projected benefits of this trip. If the applicant will be working with an established research project, a description of the organization and the activities in which he or she will be engaged must be included.

- Resume
- Transcript
- Letter of Support/Invitation
  - Internship applicants must submit a letter or email from the host organization describing the organization, the specific work, and the financial terms of the internship
  - Research applicants collaborating with local faculty, governments or institutions must include a letter or email from the local organization or individual partner(s) confirming the collaboration and support of the proposal.

- Letter of recommendation from a UM faculty member

**CONFERENCE TRAVEL GRANTS (UP TO $500.00 DOMESTIC AND $1,000 INTERNATIONAL)**

**Eligibility:** For those who need funds to travel to conferences that are in the U.S. or abroad. Applicants must be presenting at the conference.

**Required Materials:**

- Application (online)
- Statement of purpose
  - Two page maximum
  - Single spaced
  - 12 point font
- Resume
• Transcript (if applicant is a student)
• Letter of Support/Invitation
  o This must be a letter or email from the sponsoring organization confirming your invitation to give a presentation.
• Letter of Recommendation from a UM faculty member (if applicant is a student)

**Support for Campus Events (Up to $1,000 for Africa-related events)**

**Eligibility:** To support events on campus that promote African Studies or the understanding of Africa.

**Materials Needed:**

• Application (online)
• Statement of purpose
  o Two pages maximum
  o Single space
  o 12 point font
  o The statement must describe the proposed event, target audience and how it contributes to enhancing African Studies or understanding of Africa on campus or beyond
• Resume
• Transcript
• Letter of Recommendation from a UM faculty member

**Afroamerican and African Studies, Department of (DAAS)**

[http://www.lsa.umich.edu/daas/graduate/wangarimaathaiessaycompetition](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/daas/graduate/wangarimaathaiessaycompetition)

**Walter Rodney Essay Competition Scholarship Essay for $300**

**Eligibility:** This competition is open to all students enrolled in a course related to Afroamerican, Caribbean, and/or African studies. The essay may focus on any of the following topics: anthropology, architecture, art, history, business, drama, education, art history, economics, education, health, journalism, law, literature, medicine, music, natural resources, nursing, policy studies, political science, psychology, social work, sociology, urban planning, women’s studies, natural resources or the environment. Papers that are written for a course may be submitted for the competition. *Two scholarships awarded, one on a Graduate level the other on an Undergraduate level.*

**Required Materials:**

• An essay coversheet available on CAAS website.
• The essay:
  o 6,000 words in length (approximately 30 pages).
  o 1 and a half spaced or double spaced.
  o Font no smaller than 11 point.
  o Title page.

The department also has funds for the following:

**Research and Internship Support up to $3,000**

**Conference Travel Grants up to $500 for Domestic travel or $1,000 for international travel**
SUPPORT FOR CAMPUS EVENTS UP TO $1,000

Eligibility: For students who are in need of funds to pursue African studies, research, travel, or language. Preference is given to students who have participated in African related studies in their undergraduate or graduate work.

Required Materials:

- Application found on the website.
- Statement of purpose:
  - Maximum of two pages.
- Internship:
  - Include information on how the internship will benefit future goals.
- Research:
  - Describe the project, rationale, objectives, design, and methodology and benefits.
  - If working under a company the student must describe the organization and their participation.
- Letter of invitation-for the research position or the internship.
- Budget.
- Unofficial Transcript.
- One letter of recommendation.

*Required materials are slightly different for students seeking funds for campus activities.*

American Culture
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/ac/undergraduate/generalinformation/scholarshipawardopportunities

TWO WRITING AWARDS EACH WORTH $500

Eligibility: American Culture or Latin Studies concentrators are eligible to apply. Students may submit an essay that has been completed for a course. The essay must contribute to the understanding of an aspect of American culture. Topics may include issues emerging from ethnic studies, history, literature, media, studies, performance studies, the social sciences, and other related fields. The entries are judged on their originality and clarity.

Required Materials:

- Application form which is found on the American Culture website.
- Four copies of the essay:
  - Double spaced.
  - No longer than 30 pages typed including notes or bibliography.
  - Each with a title page.

JOEL S. SIEGEL SCHOLARSHIP WORTH $2,500

Eligibility: An American Culture student with financial need and also best represents the potential for excellence in the program. Calls for applications are sent out to all concentrators and minors every fall, with the application deadline in mid-November. Students may be nominated by an instructor or self-nominate.

Required Materials:

- Statement
  - Must be two to three paragraphs detailing your biography, your academic and professional goals.
**Anthropology**  
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/anthro/  
No awards were found.

**Applied Physics Program**  
http://www-applied.physics.lsa.umich.edu/  
Ph.D. program, therefore no awards for undergraduates.

**Armenian Studies Program**  
http://www.umich.edu/~iinet/asp/  
THE AJEMIAN MEMORIAL STUDENT TRAVEL FUND

**Eligibility:** Graduates or undergraduates who are conducting Armenia research or are in an academic program are eligible to apply. The research or program may be international or in the United States.

**Required Materials:**

- Statement of purpose 1 to 3 pages in length:  
  - The statement details the time period, institutional affiliation (if there is one other than the University of Michigan), reasons for pursuing the project, and how it will contribute to the completion of the student’s degree.
- Budget.
- Undergraduates applying must submit their unofficial transcripts.

**Asian Languages and Cultures**  
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/asian  
No awards found.

**Astronomy**  
http://www.astro.lsa.umich.edu/  
No awards found.

**Bear River Writers’ Conference**  
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/bearriver/  
**FULL OR PARTIAL SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Eligibility:** Members of Michigan Writers Inc. who are registering to attend the Bear River Writers’ Conference may apply.

**Required Materials:**

- Registration form with a nonrefundable $150.00 deposit.
- A manuscript that is a maximum of 10 pages.  
  - May be a work of fiction or nonfiction.
  - If the piece is poetry the maximum page count is 8 pages.
  - All manuscripts must be double spaced.
- Writers must also include a short synopsis if their manuscript is excerpted from a longer project.
- Writers should submit their strongest unpublished work.
Newspaper journalism or academic writing may not be submitted.

The University of Michigan Biological Station
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/umbs/students/tuitionfeesfinancialassistance

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARD TO STUDENTS ENROLLED FULL-TIME IN CLASSES AT UMBS

Eligibility: These grants are available to students enrolled in full-time in classes at the Biological Station. Awards are given on a first come first serve basis.

Required Materials:

- Forms found online which contain the following:
  - Office of Financial Aid information.
  - Personal information.
  - Application to the Biological Station.
    - Students may apply based on academic accomplishments, financial need or both.
      - For Merit-Based Awards:
        - Transcript.
        - Two letters of recommendation from academic references.
      - For Need-Based Awards:
        - Tax information.

Biology
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/biology/
No awards found.

BioPhysics
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/biophysics

TRAVEL GRANTS

Eligibility: Available to undergraduate Biophysics majors. Students applying must be actively involved in a research group. In addition, students must be speaking or presenting a poster at a conference.

Required Materials:

- Students should submit their applications no later than two months before the conference.
- Please contact the department for information on obtaining the application.

Center for Chinese Studies (CCS)
http://www.ii.umich.edu/ccs

PRC CHINESE LANGUAGE FELLOWSHIP

Eligibility: Students must be considered a graduate student or an advanced undergraduate student to apply. Applicants choose from a variety of different institutions to study at in China. They may participate in the fellowship for either the academic year or for a shorter period.

Required Materials:

- Funding application found on the Center for Chinese Studies website.
CES-EUC SUMMER RESEARCH AND INTERNSHIP GRANTS

Eligibility: University of Michigan undergraduate and graduate students who are participating in summer research or internships may apply. The grants are intended to promote European studies. Students seeking funds for research may be at the beginning stages or more advanced stages of their research. Students applying for funds for their internship must explain where their internship is located. The internship must be with a governmental agency, business or non-governmental institution in the area.

Required Materials to apply:

- Summer funding application found on the website.
- Statement of purpose:
  - 1 to 3 pages in length.
  - Explains the time period or work.
  - Details the institution affiliate with the project or internship.
  - It must explain the student’s reasons for pursuing the project.
  - Also explains how the research or internship will contribute to the student’s career goals.
- Letter of recommendation- preferably from faculty advisor.
- Budget worksheet found on the website.
- Curriculum vitae or resume.
- Official transcript.
- A written report based on the project will be required at its conclusion if a student receives funds.

MGAP—LSA GLOBAL EXPERIENCE SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility: This funding is only available to students pursuing a degree in the College of LSA. Students applying must qualify for need-based financial aid. Only students who are U.S. Citizens, or Permanent Residents (possess a green card), are eligible. Students graduating prior to the start of the program abroad are not eligible for scholarship support. In addition, scholarship recipients are expected to return to campus and enroll in courses for at least one term following their program abroad.

Materials Needed:

- Students should apply for the LSA Global Experience Scholarship (MGAP) at the same time they apply for the Center for Intercultural Study (CGIS) using the M-Compass application tool.
- Please note that each application requires the student to compete a personal travel budget and their expected financial contribution for the particular CGIS program they are applying for.
- Also note that students applying to multiple CGIS programs (MGAP, GIEU, GCC, and the Language) must complete a scholarship application for each separate program.
- If a student obtains a scholarship they must do the following:
  - Scholarship recipients are required to write a That You letter to their donor and will be notified about this process after award decisions are made.
  - Students must complete the program for which their scholarship was awarded.
Students who receive the scholarship disbursement but do not participate in their program or do not complete the program requirements may be responsible for repayment of the scholarship.

**GCC (GLOBAL COURSE CONNECTIONS)—LSA GLOBAL EXPERIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

**Eligibility:** Students applying must be pursuing a degree in the College of LSA to be eligible. They must also qualify for need-based financial aid. In addition, students must be U.S. Citizens or Permanent Residents (possess a green card). Students must be participating in the GCC program through the Center for Global and Intercultural Study. Students graduating prior to the start of the program abroad are not eligible for scholarships. In addition, scholarship recipients are expected to return to campus and enroll in courses for at least one term following their program abroad.

**Materials Needed:**

- Students should apply for the LSA Global Experience Scholarship (GCC) at the same time they apply to their program through CGIS using the M-Compass application tool.
- Students who are applying for multiple CGIS programs need to complete a scholarship application for each program.
- Each application requires students to complete a personal travel budget and their expected financial contribution for that particular CGIS program.
- If a student obtains a scholarship the following is applicable:
  - Scholarship recipients are required to write a Thank You letter to their donor and will be notified about this process after the award decisions are made.
  - Students must complete the program for which their scholarship was awarded.
  - Students who receive the scholarship disbursement but do not participate in their program or complete the program’s requirements may be responsible for repayment of the scholarship.

**GIEU (GLOBAL INTERCULTURAL EXPERIENCE FOR UNDERGRADUATES)—LSA GLOBAL EXPERIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

**Eligibility:** Students applying must be pursuing a degree in the College of LSA. Students who wish to apply must be eligible for need-based financial aid. Students must be U.S. Citizens or Permanent residents (possess a green card) to be eligible for this scholarship. Students must be participating in the Global Intercultural Experience for Undergraduates to be eligible. In addition, students graduating prior to the start of the program abroad are not eligible for scholarship assistance. Scholarship recipients are expected to return to campus and enroll in courses for at least one term following their program.

**Materials Needed:**

- Students should apply for the LSA Global Experience Scholarship at the same time they apply for the GIEU program using the M-Compass application tool.
- Students who are applying for multiple CGIS programs need to complete a scholarship application for each program.
- Each application requires the student to complete a personal travel budget and their expected financial contribution to the particular CGIS program.
- For students who receive the scholarship:
  - Scholarship recipients are required to write a Thank You letter to their donor and will be notified of this process after award decisions are made.
  - All recipients must complete the program for which the scholarship is awarded.
Students who receive the scholarship disbursement but do not participate in their program or fail to fulfill program requirements may be responsible for repayment of the scholarship.

**LANGUAGE—LSA GLOBAL EXPERIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

**Eligibility:** Students applying must be pursuing a degree in the College of LSA. Students who wish to apply must be eligible for need-based financial aid. Students must be U.S. Citizens or Permanent residents (possess a green card) to be eligible for this scholarship. Students must be participating in the Language program to be eligible. In addition, students graduating prior to the start of the program abroad are not eligible for scholarship assistance. Scholarship recipients are expected to return to campus and enroll in courses for at least one term following their program.

**Materials Needed:**

- Students should apply for the LSA Global Experience Scholarship at the same time they apply for the Language program using the M-Compass application tool.
- Students who are applying for multiple CGIS programs need to complete a scholarship application for each program.
- Each application requires the student to complete a personal travel budget and their expected financial contribution to the particular CGIS program.
- For students who receive the scholarship:
  - Scholarship recipients are required to write a Thank You letter to their donor and will be notified of this process after award decisions are made.
  - All recipients must complete the program for which the scholarship is awarded
  - Students who receive the scholarship disbursement but do not participate in their program or fail to fulfill program requirements may be responsible for repayment of the scholarship.

**Center for International and Comparative Studies (CICS)**

http://www.ii.umich.edu/pics/fundingresources/undergraduates

**FUNDING FOR STUDENT INTERNSHIPS IN ARCTIC REGION: UP TO $2,000**

**Eligibility:** Undergraduate students studying in any department may apply. The student’s internship must be related to the Arctic region and the host institution they are working for. Funds are set aside for students in unpaid internships; however, some students with paid internships may still receive funds.

**Material Needed: (4 hard copies of each except the final report)**

- CICS funding request cover sheet found on the website.
- A resume.
- One letter of recommendation.
- An essay:
  - Describing the student’s interest and background relating to the Arctic region.
  - Also explaining the student’s skills they will bring to their internship, and what skills they would like to gain through the internship.
- If given the award students are required to submit a 3 page report.
  - The report is due within 6 weeks of the internships end.
  - The report must include a summary of the experience and explain the work the student accomplished.
FUNDING FOR STUDENT INTERNSHIPS DEADLINE: UP TO $2,000

Eligibility: Undergraduate CICS concentrators or minors who are working as an intern during the summer season. Applicants must have their internship position already secured. CICS prefers students that are working in internship positions related to human rights, international development, or international security and cooperation. Preference is given to students who are working in unpaid internship positions.

Required Materials: (4 hard copies needed of everything except the final report)

- CICS funding request cover sheet located on the website.
- Resume.
- One letter of recommendation.
- A detailed budget.
- Brief statement of purpose:
  - 1 page maximum.
  - Must include a description of the work being completed.
- Proof that the position is secured.
  - A letter of invitation to work is sufficient.
- Additional materials that can help describe the organization:
  - Website address.
  - Mission statement
  - Brochure
  - Etc.
- If a student is award funds they must complete a final report
  - The report is due within 6 weeks of the internships end.
  - It must be at least 3 pages in length.
  - The report should detail the work accomplished and a summary of the overall experience.

STUDENT INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

Eligibility: Students who have declared an international studies minor or concentration are eligible to apply. The research must contribute to human rights, international development, or international security and cooperation.

Required Materials:

- Application which is found on the website.
- Cover sheet which includes a 100-word abstract of the project.
- Students must also complete a 2 to 3 page description of the objectives of the project or research.
- Budget.
- Resume.
- A letter of recommendation.

STUDY ABROAD FUNDING

Eligibility: For students enrolled in the international studies program and registered for an approved UM study abroad program either during the academic year or during the spring and/or summer terms. Typically an approved program is defined as one organized by the UM Center for Global and Intercultural Study.

Materials Needed:

- Online application
Eligibility: Undergraduate students who are studying abroad in Japan. It is the responsibility of the student to find an appropriate study abroad program and to complete the application process for the program they are traveling through. Undergraduates in any school or college are eligible to apply. Recipients must participate in a study abroad academic program that is sponsored by CGIS or another school or college of the University of Michigan and that results in academic credit. Students who enroll in a qualified summer intensive Japanese language program located in Japan are also eligible. To qualify, the summer language program must teach the equivalent of one academic year of Japanese as taught at the University. In addition, the student must enroll at the 2nd year level language or above. Independent research, internships, and volunteer activities are not eligible. Scholarships may only be used to cover expenses associated with the study abroad program participation such as tuition, program fee, airfare, room and board. Recipients will be selected on the basis of academic merit.

Materials Needed:

- Application form (2 pages): A PDF is located on the website.
- Statement of purpose (limit 1,000 words)
  - Explain why you would like to participate in the program
  - Explain how the program will contribute to your academic or career goals
  - Double space the document
  - Include your UM ID and full name at the beginning of the statement
- Resume
- Two letters of recommendation
  - Letters from course instructors, GSIs and academic advisors are acceptable.
  - At least one must be completed by someone affiliated with UofM
  - Only one letter may be completed by a language instructor.
  - At least one letter must be completed by an instructor of a content course.
- Current UM official transcript
- Copy of the letter of acceptance to the program you are studying abroad through.

FUNDING FOR THE JAPANESE LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TEST

To encourage UofM students to take the Japan Foundation Japanese Language Proficiency Test.

Eligibility: Students must currently be enrolled in a degree program at the University of Michigan. They must be registered for courses during the fall term on the Ann Arbor Campus. Students also must be registered to take the Japanese Language Proficiency Test Level N1 or N2 in Chicago in December. Priority is given to students taking the N1 test, those receiving financial aid based on need, those enrolled in the MA program, PhD students, Asian Studies concentrators, Asian Languages & Cultures and Asian Studies minors, and seniors expecting to graduate.

Materials Needed:

- Students who receive funds must submit a copy of their official score to the Center.
- JLPT Travel Grant Application and Agreement Form—found online
Latin American and Caribbean Studies
http://www.ii.umich.edu/lacs

UNDERGRADUATE FOREIGN LANGUAGE AND AREA STUDIES (FLAS) FELLOWSHIP ACADEMIC YEAR: UP TO $10,000 TOWARDS TUITION AND FEES AND UP TO A $5,000 STIPEND

Eligibility: The student applying must be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident. In addition, the student must be enrolled full time for both the fall and winter terms. Applicants must enroll in a language course and at least one Latin America or the Caribbean area course for a letter grade in both semesters. Awards are only given for second-year or higher language courses. Current languages that are acceptable are Portuguese and Quechua. Priority is given to students that have completed at least one year of formal language training at the university and show strong interest in Latin American and Caribbean studies. Preference is also shown towards those who are combining STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) with Latin American and Caribbean studies, or students who have interest in government service and would like to pursue advanced language studies.

Required Materials:

- FLAS application located on the website.
- A mission statement.
- Resume.
- Two academic letters of Recommendation.
- College transcripts.
- Language instructor report located on the website as well.

THERE IS ALSO A SUMMER FLAS-WORTH $4,000 FOR TUITION AND A $2,500 STIPEND.

*Note that if you apply for the academic year students do not have to reapply for the summer. However, the student should explain in the mission statement that they plan to study in the summer in would like to be considered for both time periods.*

*If you did not apply during the academic year the summer eligibility and required material are the same.*

Center for the Education of Women-University of Michigan
http://www.cew.umich.edu/services/scholar

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR RETURNING WOMEN STUDENTS RANGING FROM $1,000 TO $8,000

Eligibility: Female applicants must be attending the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Flint or Dearborn. Students apply may not have received a CEW scholarship in the past. Applicants must have had a gap in their education after graduating high school either:

1) 48 consecutive months
2) Or 48 non-consecutive months—excluding interruptions of less than 8 months

Undergraduates, graduates, and professional level students are all eligible to apply. Applicants may be attending the university on a full or part-time basis. Interruptions may have occurred any time after high school and before fall.
**Required Materials:**

- Application found on the CEW website.
- A personal statement.
- Transcripts from all previous educational institutions. If you have no college experience high school transcripts must be sent in.
- 3 letters of recommendation from professors, supervisors, and/or colleagues.
- Financial statement with an explanation.
- 5 completed copies of the financial statement, explanation, and personal statement must be submitted.

**Center for Middle Eastern and North African Studies**

[http://www.ii.umich.edu/cmenas](http://www.ii.umich.edu/cmenas)

**FLAS for Undergraduate Students: Up to $10,000 for Tuition and $5,000 Stipend**

**Eligibility:** Applicants must be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident. The student must be enrolled full-time for both fall and winter semesters. The student must enroll in a language course and at least one MENAS area course for a letter grade in both semesters. The award is given to students who are studying a second-year or higher language course. Eligible languages are Arabic, Armenian, Hebrew, Persian, Turkish, and Uzbek. The award is not available to students who are native speakers of the language for which they are applying. The student may have any concentration. Preference is given to students who have completed at least one year of language at the university and have shown interest and commitment to MENAS. Priority is also given to students who show interest in government service and those who would like to continue their study of language.

**Required Materials:**

- Application.
- Academic Recommendation Form.
- FLAS Language Instructor Report Form.
- All found [here](http://www.ii.umich.edu/cmenas).

**Center for Russian East European and Eurasian Studies (CREES)**

[http://www.ii.umich.edu/crees/academics/studentfunding/undergraduatefunding](http://www.ii.umich.edu/crees/academics/studentfunding/undergraduatefunding)

**Undergraduate Academic Year and Summer FLAS Fellowships**

**Eligibility:** Applicants must be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident. Students also must be enrolled as a full-time during the fall and winter semesters. The student must be enrolled in a language course and at least one CREES area course for a letter grade in both semesters. FLAS will only be granted to students studying in second-year or higher language courses. Current FLAS eligible languages in CREES are Armenian, Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian, Czech, Polish, Russian, Ukrainian, Uzbek, and Yiddish. Priority is shown towards students who have completed at least one year of language at the university. Also to those that have shown interest and commitment to CREES. Preference is also given to those who are being trained in STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) fields and combining that with CREES. Priority is also shown to those who have shown that they would like to pursue government service and those who will continue to study CREES after the fellowship period.

*Applicants do NOT have to send in an application for both the school year and summer. However, the student must clearly state in their application that they are studying both terms and are applying on behalf of both.*

**Required Materials:**

- Application.
CREES CONFERENCE TRAVEL GRANTS - FOR STUDENTS UP TO $350

**Eligibility:** Students applying must be enrolled full time. They can be undergraduate, graduate, or professional degree students at the university. The application must be submitted before the conference occurs. Awards will be given out on a first come first serve basis. The awards will go to students who will present CREES-focused papers, or serve as chairs or discussants for CREES related sessions at regional, national, or international conferences.

**Required Materials:**

- Application Form.
- A letter of invitation to the conference.
- Copies of requests sent to other university sources of funding.

CREES RESEARCH, INTERNSHIP, AND FELLOWSHIP GRANTS

**Eligibility:** Students in CREES-related B.A., M.A., Ph.D. and professional degree programs who are searching for funding may apply. The grants range from $500 to $1,500. The funds may be used to pay for summer or semester-long research projects or internships. The research or internships must be at institutions and businesses in Eastern Europe or the former Soviet Union. Students must be full-time.

**Required Materials:**

- Application found on the CREES website.
- Statement of purpose which should be 1 to 3 pages in length and details the following:
  - Time period.
  - Institutional affiliation.
  - Location.
  - Reasons for pursuing the internship or research project.
  - How the experience will contribute to the student’s career goals.
- One letter of recommendation.
- Budget spreadsheet.
- Curriculum vitae or resume.
- Official Transcript.

Center for South Asian Studies (CSAS)

http://www.ii.umich.edu/csas

UNDERGRADUATE FLAS UP TO $10,000 FOR TUITION OR $5,000 STIPEND

**Eligibility:** Applicants must be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident. Students applying also must be enrolled as a full-time student during the fall and winter semesters. Students must be enrolled in a language course and at least one SAS area course for a letter grade in both semesters. FLAS will only be granted to students studying in second-year or higher language courses. Current FLAS eligible languages at SAS are Hindi, Punjabi, Tamil, Tibetan, and Urdu. FLAS awards are not open to students who are native speakers of the language for which they are applying. Priority is shown towards students who have completed at least one year of language at the university. Priority is also shown towards students that have shown interest and commitment to SAS.
is given to those who have shown that they would like to pursue government service and those who will continue to study SAS after the fellowship period.

**Required Materials:**
- Application.
- Academic Recommendation Form.
- FLAS Language Instructor Report Form.
- All found [here](#).

**CSEAS SUMMER IN SOUTH ASIA FELLOWSHIP**

**Eligibility:** Undergraduate students who would like funding to help design and implement their own fellowship programs in India during the summer are eligible. The award is not intended for students who have previously spent a lot of time in India. It is encouraged for students to work with existing institutions, agencies, or organizations; however, working alone is acceptable. Six applicants will be selected and each will receive up to $3,000 in funding.

**Required Materials:**
- Initial application located on their website.
- If your application is acceptable they will hold an interview after which you fill out a more detailed application which includes a budget, recommendation letters, and transcripts.

**SUPPORT FOR ON-CAMPUS STUDENT EVENTS AND PROGRAMS**

**Eligibility:** Unknown, I searched the website and nothing was listed. However, on an informational sheet they state that up to $500 may be funded for logistical and promotional support depending on funds. My suggestion would be for students to contact the department if they are seeking funding csas@umich.edu.

**Center for Southeast Asian Studies**
[http://www.ii.umich.edu/cseas](http://www.ii.umich.edu/cseas)

**FIRST YEAR SOUTHEAST ASIAN LANGUAGE SCHOLARSHIPS 8 TO 12 $1,000 AWARD**

**Eligibility:** Students enrolled in Filipino, Indonesian, Thai, or Vietnamese at the beginning level are eligible to apply. Preference is shown towards Undergrads in their first or second year at the university.

**Required Materials:**
- Application form found on the website.
- Personal Statement.
- Language Self-report found on the website.
- A letter of recommendation- a form is found on the website.
  - Either from a former or current (preferred) language instructor.
- Transcripts.

**SEAS FLAS $10,000 TUITION AND $5,000 STIPEND**

**Eligibility:** Students must be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident to apply. You also must be enrolled as a full-time student during the fall and winter semesters. The student must be enrolled in a language course and at least one SEAS area course for a letter grade in both semesters. FLAS will only be granted to students studying
in second-year or higher language courses. Current FLAS eligible languages in SEAS are Filipino, Indonesian, Thai, and Vietnamese. FLAS are not open to students who are native speakers of the language for which they are applying. Priority is shown towards students who have completed at least one year of language at the university. Also to those that have shown interest and commitment to SEAS. Priority is also shown to those who have shown that they would like to pursue government service and those who will continue to study SEAS after the fellowship period.

**Required Materials:**

- Application.
- Academic Recommendation Form.
- FLAS Language Instructor Report Form.
- All found [here](#).

**UNDERGRADUATE LANGUAGE AWARD**

**Eligibility:** For exceptional scholarship in each of Southeast Asian Languages

**Required Materials:** Searched the website and nothing is listed on how to apply. For more information students should email the department at: cseas@umich.edu.

**SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLAR AWARDS**

**Eligibility:** Awards given to students who have shown great dedication to Southeast Asian studies.

**Required Materials:** Students should contact the department for more information cseas@umich.edu.

**THAI STUDIES COMPETITION**

**Eligibility:** Helps support study abroad, research, and internship opportunities in Thailand. Preference is given to those who have not received funds in the past.

**Materials Needed:**

- Award recipients are required to submit a brief report of the project and outcomes. Reports are due one month after the funds are spent.
- For internships:
  - Please submit a description of the internship, including the name of the organization, the length of the internship, and any compensation offered by the organization.
  - Invitation or acceptance letter from the organization.
  - A list of other funding.
  - Two academic letters of recommendation
  - A copy of the student’s transcripts
  - A budget statement
- For information about applying for funding for other needs such as study abroad or research please fill out the application form along with the application packet both available online.

**Center for World Performance Studies**

[http://www.ii.umich.edu/cwps](http://www.ii.umich.edu/cwps)

No awards found.
Chemistry
http://www.umich.edu/~michchem/
No awards found.

China Data Center
http://chinadatacenter.org/newcdc/
No awards found.

Interdepartmental Program in Classical Art and Archaeology
http://www.umich.edu/~ipcaa/
Graduate program, therefore no awards are available for undergraduates.

Classical Studies
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/classics
*All other awards listed are all through University Honors Program and are reviewed under such.

CARRIE ARBOUR SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility: Students in all departmental concentrations are eligible. Preference goes to students with financial need who would like to study abroad during the summer or academic year. It is intended to help programs such as excavations, summer schools, or for programs such as the Intercollegiate Center in Rome.

Materials Needed:
- Application found online
- Recipients are required to write a brief report about their experience for the department’s website and/or newsletter upon their return.

CLASSICAL STUDIES UNDERGRADUATE TRAVEL AWARDS

Eligibility: Classical Studies students who need funds for study or travel abroad related to their course of study.

Materials Needed: Please contact the Undergraduate Program Coordinator if interested in applying for funds.

Communication Studies
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/comm/

Eligibility: Applications are available for fall, winter and summer terms. To be eligible for any of these awards students must be declared Communication Studies contractors with at least a junior standing. Additional information and applications for awards may be found in the department office or on the Communication Studies Concentrators CTools Site.

Fall Awards

ANN ARBOR NEWS SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to undergraduate or graduate students active in Communication Studies. These is a preference for students who intend to enter the newspaper field.

JOHN L AND CLARA M BRUMM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
This award is given in recognition of outstanding academic performance to a student active in Communication Studies.

**The James P. Chapman Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship is awarded to students active in Communication Studies.

**Carole Simpson Minority Aid Scholarship**

This scholarship is awarded to students who are active in Communication Studies.

**Winter Awards**

**Mary Lou Butcher Equality in Journalism Award**

This award is given to a continuing Communication Studies student who demonstrates outstanding promise for professional achievement in the news media.

**The J. Evens Campbell Scholarship**

This award is given on the basis of academic excellence to a senior. There is a preference to those seeking careers in print communication.

**Saks Family Scholarship**

This scholarship is awarded to a student who shows potential to contribute to their major area of study, particularly in the areas of social growth or individual creative achievement.

**Claude Sifritt Undergraduate Award**

This is awarded to a student in recognition of academic excellence. There is a preference to those seeking a career in print communication.

**Leland Stowe Award**

This scholarship is awarded to a student on the basis of academic excellence, with a preference for a student seeking a career in print communication.

**Summer Awards**

**Kara Sundlun House Scholarship Fund**

This scholarship is intended to support a Communication Studies student participating in an unpaid summer internship in broadcast journalism.

**Michael Luckoff Internship Award**

This award is intended to support a Communication Studies student participating in an unpaid summer internship in commercial radio broadcasting.

**Summer Internship Stipends**

**Eligibility:** Intended for students with unpaid summer internships related to mass communication, media studies, or journalism. Both graduate and declared Communication Studies concentrators are eligible. The
following criteria is considered: quality of applicant’s work, correlation of the internship to the applicant’s academic study and career interests, applicant’s progress towards a degree, evidence of applicant’s commitment to pursue a professional career in mass communication, media studies, journalism or community journalism. Priority for funding will be given to: declared concentrators seeking credit through Comm 321: Undergraduate Internship, graduate students or concentrators not seeking credit, and those with previous summer internship stipends from the department.

**Comparative Literature**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/complit/
No awards found.

**Center for the Study of Complex Systems**
http://www.cscs.umich.edu/index.html
No awards found.

**Comprehensive Studies Program**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/umich/v/index.jsp?vgnextoid=2752cd3140592110VgnVCM10000001000c0aRCRD
No awards listed however, they do have specific financial aid advising appointments can be found under programs and services at their website.

**Ecology and Evolutionary Biology**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/eeb/index.html
No awards listed for Undergraduate students.

**Economics**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/econ
For information about how to apply for awards and scholarships please contact the department.

**The Sims Honor Scholarship in Economics**

This award is given to a student at the completion of his or her junior year who is deemed by the department to be the most outstanding and promising student in the field.

**The David Bunzel Scholarship**

This is awarded to one or two non residents of Michigan, who are the most outstanding and promising students in the department.

**The Harold D. Osterwell Memorial Prize**

This award is given to a senior in economics with the most outstanding academic record and the greatest social awareness.

**Ferrando Honors Prize**

This is given to the best graduating honors student in economics.

**The John E. Parker Memorial Prize**
Is awarded to an outstanding written contribution to labor economics or to the field of human resources.

**DIANE C. SWONK SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

This scholarship provides financial assistance for a student concentrating in economics.

**THE NANCY BAUSCH THOMAS SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship for students concentrating in economics.

**Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies**

[http://www.lsa.umich.edu/eihs](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/eihs)

Graduate program, no awards found for undergraduates.

**English Hopwood Awards**


**ROY. W. COWDEN MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP $1,000 TO $3,000**

Eligibility: Award is given to students who show writing talent and have financial need. University Undergraduate students only.

Required Materials:

- Copies of Loan, scholarship or work-study notifications to prove financial need
- Application form- Simple 1 page found at website above- **2 copies**
- Piece of writing- **1 copy**. May be:
  - A drama
  - Screenplay
  - Nonfiction
  - Fiction
  - Poetry
- Maximum length 30 pages

**THE KASDAN SCHOLARSHIP IN CREATIVE WRITING WORTH $7,000**

Eligibility: Enrolled undergraduate or graduate student at the university. The piece submitted must be a screenplay or a drama. Preference shown towards screenplays submitted.

Required Materials:

- Screenplay or drama manuscript of at least 60 pages.
- The submission must be completed.
- The work must have an entry form found on the website.
- For formatting specifications students should refer to the website.

**THE ARTHUR MILLER AWARD OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN CLUB OF NEW YORK SCHOLARSHIP FUND $2,000 TOWARDS TUITION**

Eligibility: A sophomore or junior at the University of Michigan who has talent in writing dramas, screenplays, fiction, or poetry.

Required Materials:
• Two letters of recommendation from either professors or teaching assistants.
• Entry form found on website.
• One writing sample that fits the writing style criteria of a:
  o Drama
  o Screenplay
  o Fiction
  o Or Poetry
• For specific formatting guidelines students should refer to the website.

THE MICHAEL R. GUTTERMAN AWARD IN POETRY 1ST PRIZE $550 2ND PRIZE $400

Eligibility: Open to all university students. The poem submitted cannot be one which has won any other awards. Previous winners may not compete again. A winning submission cannot be entered in any other Hopwood contest except the fellowship/scholarship contests. Poems that have been published in anything other than a college or high school magazine or newspaper may not be entered. Preference given to poems that “exemplify the new, the unusual, and the radical.”

Required Materials:
• NO binders, pen names, or transcripts may be submitted.
• For rules on how the poem must be formatted applicants should refer to the website.
• No more than 3 poems may be submitted.
• 3 copies of poems with entry blanks for each must be submitted.
  o The entry blanks may be found on the website.
• An application which may be found on the website.

THE BAIN-SWIGGETT PRIZE WORTH $600

Eligibility: University undergraduate or graduate students are eligible to apply. Applicants must submit a poem which is written in the traditional form. In this instance, traditional form is metered, but does not have to rhyme.

Required Materials:
• NO binders, pen names, or transcripts may be submitted.
• For guidelines on the formatting of the poems students should refer to the website.
• No more than 3 poems may be submitted
• 3 copies of each poem along with an entry blank for each must be submitted.
  o The entry blanks may be found on the website.
• An application which is found on the website must also be submitted.

THE ACADEMY OF AMERICAN POETS PRIZE $100

Eligibility: One $100 award to a graduate student and one $100 award is given to an undergraduate student. No specific poetry form is required.

Required Materials:
• NO binders, pen names, or transcripts may be submitted.
• For rules on formatting on the poem students should refer to the website.
• No more than 3 poems may be submitted
• 3 copies each with an entry blank for each must be submitted.
  o Entry blank forms are located on the website.
• An application found on the website is also needed to apply.
**THEODORE ROETHKE PRIZE FOR THE LONG POEM OR POETIC SEQUENCE $5,000**

**Eligibility:** Open to all undergraduate and graduate students attending the university. Previous winners are not eligible. Submissions may not have won any other award. The poem may not be submitted in any other contest except the Roy W. Cowden Memorial Fellowship. Winning submissions may not be submitted to any other Hopwood contest except the fellowship/scholarship contests. No poems that have been published in anything other than college or high school magazines or newspapers are allowed.

**Required Materials:**
- Only one submission is allowed.
- A poem at least 12 pages in length.
- 2 copies each with entry blanks.
  - Entry blanks are found on the website.
- No binders, pen names, or transcripts may be submitted.
- An application must be submitted.
  - The application is located on the website.

**THE JEFFREY L. WEISBERG MEMORIAL PRIZE IN POETRY 1ST PLACE $850 2ND PLACE $600**

**Eligibility:** Only freshmen or sophomores at the university may apply. The submissions must be poetry pieces. Poems may not be entered in any other writing contest except the Cowden Fellowship. Poems that have previously won awards may not be submitted. Any pieces that have been published in anything other than high school or college magazines or newspapers may not be submitted.

**Required Materials:**
- Application which is found on the website.
- 3 copies of poem each with an entry blank.
  - The entry blanks may be found on the website.
- Up to 3 different poems may be submitted.
- No binders, pen names, and transcripts may be submitted.

**THE MARJORIE RAPAPORT AWARD IN POETRY 1ST PRIZE $600 2ND PRIZE $500**

**Eligibility:** Poems completed by university undergraduate or graduate students who are attending spring or summer classes are eligible. Poems should exemplify “the new and unusual.” Poems that have won awards may not be entered. Poems that are entered in the Spring/Summer Hopwood Contest may not be entered. Previous winners may not submit a piece. Poems that have been published in anything other than high school or college magazines or newspapers are forbidden.

**Required Materials:**
- Poems of any length may be entered.
- Up to 3 poems may be submitted.
- 3 copies of a poem along with entry blanks for each must be submitted.
  - The entry blanks are found on the website.
- Application which is found on the website.

**GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE CONTEST AWARDS- AMOUNTS VARY**

**Eligibility:** Undergraduate and Graduate students from Ann Arbor, Dearborn, or Flint campuses are eligible to apply. Undergrads must be enrolled in at least six credit hours of regular work each term. Graduates must be enrolled in at least 3 credits each term. Students must have been enrolled in one writing course for at least 2-3
credits within the past two years or be enrolled in a writing course in the current term (a list of acceptable courses is provided on the website). No manuscripts may be submitted that have received an award except for the Cowden, Kasdan, and/or Miller scholarship competitions. No manuscripts that have been published in anything other than a high school or college newspaper or magazine may be submitted. Winning contestants must sign a statement claiming to note that their piece won the award in the footnote of the manuscript. No changes may be made to submissions.

Required Materials:

- Transcripts must be submitted.
- A piece of original work.
  - No: collaborations, translations, and adaptations.
  - Only the written portion of mixed-media can be submitted.
- The work may be in one of the following forms:
  - Novel
  - Drama
  - Screenplay
  - Nonfiction
  - Short fiction
  - Or Poetry.
- Only completed works—except for novels.
- Must submit 3 copies of the piece.
  - Each in its own folder.
    - Only folders that require punched paper are acceptable.
    - Ring binders and thesis binders are not.
    - Samples are in the Hopwood room.
  - Each copy must have:
    - A title page.
    - Cover label.
    - Title
    - Pen name
    - And Content division entered
  - Entry forms found on website.
- An application found on website is also required.
- Formatting questions can be answered on website.

SUMMER CONTEST

Eligibility: Students must currently be in writing courses for the spring or summer term. Literature courses do not make a student eligible. No manuscripts that have won a prize in any of the Hopwood contests are eligible. In addition, no manuscript that wins an award in the summer contest is eligible in any other future Hopwood contest. No multi-media manuscripts are acceptable. Manuscripts that have been published any place other than high school or college newspapers or magazines are not eligible.

Required Materials:

- Students should refer to the website on formatting regulations.
- Manuscripts may be one of the following:
  - A drama
  - A screenplay
  - A piece of nonfiction
  - A short fictitious piece
  - Or a work of poetry.
• 3 copies of each piece:
  o Each with its own folder.
    ▪ Binders with punched paper only.
      • No ring binders or thesis binders.
      • Samples are located in the Hopwood room.
  o Each copy must have a title page and cover label
    ▪ The cover label must have:
      • A title
      • A pen name
      • And the division entered
• Students must also submit an entry form and an application; both forms are on the website.

UNDERCLASSMEN CONTEST AWARDS RANGING FROM $500 TO $1,750

Eligibility: Undergraduate freshmen and sophomores who are enrolled in acceptable courses are eligible to apply. A list of acceptable courses is listed on the website. Freshmen who have placed out of the required writing course may enter if they present an official statement from the appropriate office. A contestant may have taken one of the qualifying courses in the past two years. Spring or Summer writing courses may also be used to qualify a student. No submission may be entered in any other fall term contest, except the Cowden Fellowship contest. For mixed-media only the written portions may be submitted in the contest.

Required Materials:

• Formatting information is listed on the website for students’ referencing.
• Applicants must submit 3 copies of their piece:
  o Each must have its own folder with title, pen name, and category.
    ▪ Only folders that have punched paper may be used.
      • Plastic covers, ring binders and thesis binders may not be used.
    ▪ An entry form must be submitted.
      • The entry form is located in the Hopwood Room (1176 Angell Hall).
      • An application located on the website must also be submitted.

PRIZES HANDED OUT

Eligibility: The following list is comprised of prizes that are handed out by the Hopwood Program. No additional application is needed to be considered for these prizes:

The Frank and Gail Beaver Script Writing Prize $500- This is given to a student who develops a script in a film or video production class in Screen Arts and Cultures. Consideration is given to all forms of creative film or video effort (i.e. experimental, narrative drama, documentary, animation etc.)

The Chamberlain Award for Creative Writing $3,200- This award is given to an MFA student who has shown great talent in the writing of a short fictional piece.

The Helen J. Daniels Prize $3,000- For an undergraduate student who has written an exceptional essay.

The Paul and Sonia Handleman Poetry Award $2,600- This is given to an undergraduate who has written a poem in the form of Romantic tradition and has excelled.

The Robert F. Haugh Prize $2,700- This is given to an undergraduate who has written a great short fictional piece.

The Dennis McIntyre Prize for Distinction in Undergraduate Playwriting $3,500- As the title states this is given to an undergrad who has written an exceptional play.
The Roy and Helen Meader Writing Award $850- This is given to an undergraduate on the basis of writing talent and financial need.

The Leonard and Eileen Newman Writing Prizes $1,000 (Two prizes given out)- Given to two students who have created excellent pieces of dramatic writing and fiction. The prize in dramatic writing is administered by the Department of Screen Arts and Cultures.

The Naomi Saferstein Literary Award $1,200- Given to an undergraduate writer who creates a great drama or screenplay.

The Stanley S. Schwartz Prize $550- Undergraduate award given to a writer of short fiction.

The University of Michigan English Language Institute
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/eli
Graduate level awards listed.

Program in the Environment
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/pite

PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE FUNDING (RECENTLY KNOWN AS FIELD EXPERIENCE SCHOLARSHIP)

Eligibility: Any student who has declared concentration or minor in Program in the Environment is eligible to apply. They must have a minimum GPA of 2.0. Also their field experience must be approved by Kimberly Smith. They also must agree to the terms of acceptance noted on the award notice. A list of different scholarships available is on the website. On the application the student must indicate which scholarships they are applying for. Students may apply to more than one scholarship; however, a student may only receive one award.

Required Materials:

• Application located on the website.
• A brief statement explaining:
  o The student’s eligibility.
  o The scholarship they would like to receive.
  o The location of the field station.
  o The specific costs that the student would like the scholarship to cover.
• A 250 word statement explaining how the field study relates to the student’s academic performance and career interests.
• A statement of financial need if applicable.
• A copy of the student’s unofficial transcript.
• Resume.
• If the applicant would like to be considered for a need based scholarship they must also include a copy of their financial aid package for the academic year.
• A 3-page summary report is due after the field experience is finished if a scholarship is award.
• A Thank You letter must be sent to the donor if a student receives a scholarship as well.

INDIVIDUAL ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT OPPORTUNITY
Eligibility: Applicants must have declared either a minor or their concentration to be in Program in the Environment. Undergraduate students are eligible. The application must be submitted at least three weeks before the student needs funding.

Required Materials:

- An application which is located on the website.
- A statement explaining how the experience the student is requesting funding for will relate and enhance their education and academic interests.
- An unofficial transcript.
- A resume.

STUDENT GROUP FUNDING

Eligibility: Groups that have many students in Program in the Environment are eligible to apply. The group must have a mission that coincides with Program in the Environment’s goals. Submission of the application must be at least three weeks in advance of when the funds are needed. It is preferred that a Program in the environment student completes and sends in the application.

Required Materials:

- An application which is located on the website.
- Short statement explaining how the group’s activity or event aligns with Program in the Environment’s goals.

ABRAMS ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION CHALLENGE

A competition for undergraduates as individuals or in teams to create an action plan that aims to influence constituencies to promote environmental health and sustainable practices.

Eligibility: Please contact the department with specific questions about eligibility.

Materials Needed:

- Students must submit a 3-5 page proposal, which should be double-spaced in 12 point font. The proposal must address:
  - The scale of the plan (i.e. how many people do you hope to influence?)
  - Collaborators (organizations, etc.)
  - Resources required
  - Why the idea will work and could be readily implemented
  - Measures for success
- An application must be submitted which is located online.
  - Includes a cover sheet and budget template
- Electronic submissions only*

UM Exhibit Museum of Natural History

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/exhibitmuseum

No awards found.
**FINANCIAL AID FOR CAMP DAVIS**

**Eligibility:** This aid is available to students planning on attending Camp Davis. It is given out on a need and merit basis. All students attending are eligible. The application is located at the end of the Course Information Packet. *Note that students who are taking English 317 or American Culture 301 should apply for financial aid directly from the English or American Culture Departments.*

**Required Materials:**
- Application located on the website in the back of the Course Information Packet.
- A $50 Deposit.
- The student’s unofficial transcript.
- A copy of the student’s latest financial aid award notice.

**Germanic Languages and Literatures**

**HURON HIGH SCHOLARSHIP $1,000**

**Eligibility:** Rewarded to a Huron High School Graduate who completes one year of German at the University of Michigan with a grade of a C or better. They must have taken at least one year of German at Huron High and have graduated in 2011 or later.

**Required Materials:** Contact German Department german.dept@umich.edu

**ANN FRANK FUND**

Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

**MARTIJN ZWART SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**Eligibility:** Provides a scholarship for summer language study in the Netherlands.

**Required Materials:** Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

**THE BRONSON-THOMAS PRIZES AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

**MARILYN SIBLEY FRIES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**Eligibility:** Undergraduate and graduate students who would like to research in Berlin may apply.

**Required Materials:** Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

**THE MARTIN HALLER PRIZES AND AWARDS**

**Eligibility:** Scholarship given to the best undergraduate honors thesis. Awards are also given out to help fund summer internships.

**Required Materials:** Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

**VALENTINE C. HUBBS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS**
Eligibility: Scholarship for a University of Michigan junior year abroad at the University of Freiburg.

Required Materials: Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

KOTHE-HILDNER PRIZES

Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

MECTHILD MEDZIHRADSKY SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility: Helps support undergraduates participating in summer internships in German speaking countries.

Required Materials: Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

MUN-KYES FUND IN SUPPORT OF GERMANIC LINGUISTICS

Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

ARATI SHARANGPANI MEMORIAL AWARD

Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

STURM FAMILY ENDOWMENT

Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

WEISS/PARTON AWARDS

Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

REMEMBERING WALTER REICHART

Contact the German Department german.dept@umich.edu

Global Intercultural Experience for Undergraduates (GIEU)

http://www.gieu.umich.edu/

Scholarship information is listed under the Center for Global and Intercultural Studies (CGIS), please see that listing for further information about GIEU.

Health Science Scholars Program (HSSP)

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/hssp/

No awards found.

Herbarium

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/herb/index2.html

No awards found.

History

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/history/

The Richard Gilder Scholarship worth $1,000

Eligibility: History majors who have completed at least 90 credit hours may apply for this scholarship. They must have at least a 3.4 GPA in general and at least a 3.5 GPA in their history courses. Applicants also must have completed History 260 and 261 (previously known as History 160 and 161) before they apply. In addition,
students must have completed or be enrolled in at least three U.S. History course with at least two of them being 300 level or above. Priority goes to students who have focused on American History and who are pursuing an occupation that focuses on American History.

**Required Materials:**

- Application found on the website.
- Copy of unofficial transcript.
- A one page personal essay explaining the student’s career goals.

**ROSENBERG FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP**

**Eligibility:** This award is given out to a senior who has history as a concentration and is from Ohio. No application is needed because the History Department selects the student.

**THE GROSSMAN FAMILY AWARD**

**Eligibility:** This is awarded to a student who completes an exceptional paper or article that has been published in the student-operated Michigan Journal of History. Also, this award may provide support for travel by a Department of History Honors student who is doing research in national or international archives.

**For More Information on Applying Contact the History Department**

**History of Art**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/histart/
Only fellowships for Graduates listed.

**Honors Program**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/honors

**HONORS SUMMER FELLOWS PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

**Eligibility:** This fellowship program is open to 50 honors students. The program is to help them with their senior thesis. In some cases financial support is provided to give students time to work on their thesis instead of working. Fellows meet for a two hour seminar each week. This opportunity is open to juniors and seniors. Most students seeking financial support will receive a summer grant of $2,500 for the ten week program. In other cases of need summer grants of $4,000 may be given out. Applicants who have just finished their second year may apply and must explain why they feel they would benefit from this program at such an early stage in developing a thesis. Fellows must create two 5-minute presentations in groups for entering Honors freshmen.

**Required Materials:**

- Fill out the application found on the Honors website.
  - Include an explanation of the level of financial supported needed.
- A resume showing relevant educational experience, awards, honors and memberships.
- Unofficial transcript.
- A 1000-1500 word statement of purpose which describes the thesis project, its status, and plan of work for the summer.
- All of these must be submitted on the Ctools site using the dropbox created for each honor student.
Students also need to have an endorsement form from an appropriate faculty member submitted.

**MORRIS AND LOLA WASSERSTEIN AWARDS**

**Eligibility:** Any honor student that is on the writing or editorial staff of the Michigan Daily. Awards can exceed $1,000 per term for one or two terms. The awards are based on the student’s overall academic record, quality of their writing, and their personal statement.

**Required Materials:**

- A one to two page statement:
  - About academic and career goals.
  - How the student plans to use the money.
  - Samples of the student’s work at the Daily unless there are examples online.

**OTTO GRAF SCHOLARSHIP AND JACK MEILAND SCHOLARSHIP**

**Eligibility:** To be eligible the honors student must be a third year student pursuing an Honors concentration in their major. Exceptions will be made on an individual basis. Email Eleanor Crown (ecrown@umich.edu) if you would like to know if you should apply. Generally students have a 3.7 GPA or better. You do not need to apply for the Graf and Meiland competitions separately. The Meiland scholarship goes to the student whose academic work excels in creativity and interdisciplinary.

**Required Materials:**

- A resume or list of extracurricular activities.
- A 500 word essay explaining the applicant’s academic interests and their goals for the next several years.
- A letter of recommendation from a faculty member who knows the applicant and their work.
- Transcripts:
  - Either official or unofficial
- The student must include their phone number, local address and email on the application because interviews will be held with finalists.

**KENNETH BUCKFIRE SCHOLARSHIP FOR FIFTH-YEAR STUDIES UP TO $10,000**

**Eligibility:** Any fifth year honors student is eligible. Those that are seriously considering graduate school but feel they do not have a solid academic background are given preference. Students who need a fifth year because they would like to complete a dual degree program or multiple concentrations are also given preference.

**Required Materials:**

- Resume.
- Personal statement of approximately 1000 words:
  - Includes academic interests.
  - Academic history.
  - Why the student needs to study an extra year.
  - How this extra year of study will help the student’s graduate or career goals.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- All may be submitted to Eleanor Crown at ecrown@umich.edu
**Virginia L. Voss Memorial Award Prizes can be worth $1,000**

**Eligibility:** This award is given to a female senior who has displayed excellence in writing. A student may apply or be nominated by a department. There are four categories the writings fall under: academic writing, journalism, poetry, or imaginative prose.

**Required Materials:**

- An unbound copy of work.
- A letter of recommendation.
- Students should check the website for submission deadlines.

**Patricia Kennedy Memorial Award**

**Eligibility:** Junior or Senior students who show excellence in writing and academics are eligible. Preference is given to students who are working in English literature or women’s issues. However, any student whose work relates to these fields may be nominated for this award regardless of concentration department. Students do not apply they are nominated.

**Goldstien Prizes for Honors Seniors - $1,000**

**Eligibility:** There are seven awards given out to seniors who have demonstrated outstanding academic performance. Students do not apply they are nominated by their department.

List of prizes:

- The Robert Hayden Humanities Prize
- The Marshall Sahlins Social Science Prize
- The Arthur Miller Creative Arts Prize
- The Gerald Ford Public Service Prize
- The Sidney Fine Teaching Prize

**LSA Honors Awards for Thesis Research, Study Abroad, and Financial Assistance**

**Eligibility:** Honors students who need assistance for thesis research, study abroad and financial assistance are eligible.

**Required Materials:**

- An application.
- If the student is applying for an award that is more than $250 a letter of support from their thesis advisor is needed.
  - The letter should address the importance of the expenses.
  - It should also address why the funds will enhance your academic experience and contribute to the student’s graduate level studies or career goals.
- For applications for less than $250 the signature of the applicant’s advisor is acceptable.
- Only one application is need if the student would like to apply for more than one grant.
List of Grants:

**Otto Graf Research Grant up to $150** - This grant helps to pay for photo processing, transportation, Xeroxing, long distance phone calls, and other expenses related to thesis work. It is not intended to pay for hiring other individuals, rewarding research subjects, or making extra copies of the thesis.

**Cutcheon Research Grant up to $500** - For students who have lots of costs related to their thesis project. The funds are given out according to the merit of the research.

**Cutcheon Travel Fund up to $500** - Given to students who will be presenting papers based on their senior thesis at conferences. Or those who will be attending conferences which have direct relationships with their thesis research.

**Melvin Davidson Research Award up to $500** - This grant is for research expenses including travel to archives, expensive software, books not in the university’s libraries or supplies.

**Lutz Family Research Award up to $500** - This award is for research expenses including travel to archives, expensive software, books not in the university’s libraries or supplies.

**Hellman Family Endowment Award up to $500** - This grant is for students who are concentrating in mathematics or natural science. Awards can be used for research or for expenses related to study-abroad. Women are strongly encouraged to apply. Students must include a description of the program in which they are planning to participate if they are using the money for study abroad.

**Peter Benedek Scholarship for Study in London** - This is given to students attending school in London. Preference is shown towards those studying at the London School of Economics.

**John Patrick Kennedy Award** - This grant is for funds for travel required for senior thesis research.

**The IDEA Institute**
http://ideainstitute.umich.edu/
No awards found.

**Informatics**
http://informatics.umich.edu/
No awards found.

**Institute for the Humanities**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/humin
No undergraduate awards found.

**Intergroup Relations**
http://www.igr.umich.edu/
No scholarships found.

**International Institute**
http://www.ii.umich.edu/

**International Institute Individual Fellowships Amounts Up to $5,000**
**Eligibility:** University undergraduates, graduates, and professional students may apply. Applicants do not have to be citizens of the United States. Applicants must be enrolled in a degree program. PhD candidates are not eligible to apply. In addition students who are graduating before the start of their project are also not eligible. Internships or research projects must be at least one month in length. They also must make up at least a 30 hour per week time commitment—not including language training. They also must meet the requirements of the University Travel Policy and the Institutional Review Board (information found on the website).

Internships: The applicant’s internship may be with a private company, governmental agency, international organization, or a non-governmental organization. The internships may be paid or unpaid. Students who have paid internships are only eligible for partial funding. Students with paid internships must include their salary amounts in their budgets.

Research Projects: This is intended for students who are completing research abroad. Research is classified as thesis research, helping an on-going research project as part of a required degree-related work experience, or other independent research toward degree requirements. Projects that are not for academic credit are acceptable.

**Required Materials:**

- On-line Application found on the website.
- A statement of purpose:
  - Maximum of two pages, 12 point font, single spaced.
  - Must explain how the experience will benefit the student’s academic performance and future goals.
  - Students applying must also describe the design, methodology, benefits, objectives, and rationale of the project.
  - If applicable applicants must describe the on-going research they will be adding information to and how they will contribute the on-going research.
- Students also must submit letter of invitation from host.
- A budget must be completed and turned in.
- A resume or curriculum vitae needs to be submitted.
- Unofficial transcript need to be submitted.
- Letter of reference—the letter must comment on how the student will perform in their position.
- If money is received a student must write a 2-5 page report describing the experience.

**Michigan in Washington**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/michinwash

**APPLICATION ALSO SERVES TO APPLY FOR FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**

**Eligibility:** Students must be at least a sophomore when they apply. In addition, students must have completed at least 3 courses in their area of concentration. Applicants that have an interest in public service are preferred. Generally applicants have a GPA of at least 3.0.

**Required Materials:**

- Application form found on the website.
- Advisor approval:
• Signature from the school and student’s concentration advisor.
• A 500-600 word essay.
• The student’s unofficial transcripts.
• Two letters of reference- at least one must be from a professor or GSI.
• The applicants resume.

**The Jean and Samuel Frankel Center for Judaic Studies**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/judaic/

**The Stanley Frankel Summer Fellowship for Research and Study in Europe, Israel, or Latin America**

**Eligibility:** Open to any BA, Ma and PhD students at the university who are working in Jewish studies during the summer in Europe, Israel, or Latin America. The money may be used for research in archives, advanced language training, archaeological excavations, scholarly workshops, or social welfare and communal reconstruction projects. The work is intended to be done in countries recovering from authoritarian rule.

**Required Materials:**

• A letter describing the work that they have already done in Jewish studies at the university.
  o Students should also include a description of their proposed summer project.
• A budget.
• A transcript which may be an unofficial.
• A letter of recommendation submitted directly to the Frankel Center.
  o The letter must be written by a faculty member that the student has studied with.

**Frankel Center Summer Funding Guidelines and General Information**

**Eligibility:** Students who are seeking funds for summer research who are studying in the field of Judaica are eligible.

**Required Materials:**

• A proposed budget is required.
• No other materials are listed. Students should contact the Department of Judaic Studies for more information on applying.

**Kelsey Museum of Archaeology**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/kelsey

No awards found.

**Language Resource Center**
http://www.umich.edu/~langres/index.html

No awards for undergraduates found.

**Linguistics**
http://www.ling.lsa.umich.edu/home/

No awards found for undergraduates.
**Lloyd Hall Scholars Program**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/lhsp

**Caldwell Poetry Award**

**Eligibility**: These awards are for first and second year Lloyd Hall Scholars Program students. There are two categories of competition, best poem overall and best recitation.

**Required Materials:**

- **Best Poem Overall**
  
  - May submit up to three poems to the LHSP.

- **Recitation**
  
  - A student may recite their own work or the work of another poet.

*For specific information LHSP students should contact the LHSP department.*

**LSA Information Technology (LSAIT)**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/lsait

No awards found.

**Macromolecular Science and Engineering**

http://macromolecular.umich.edu/index.html

No awards found.

**Mathematics**

http://www.math.lsa.umich.edu/

**M.S. Keeler Department of Mathematics Merit Scholarship ranges from $1,000-$5,000 per year up to 4 years**

**Eligibility**: Prospective students that have shown outstanding mathematical talent are eligible. Current undergraduates presenting outstanding mathematical talent and are majoring in Mathematics are also eligible.

**Required Materials:**

- Application found on website.

**Margaret S. Huntington Award in Actuarial Outreach $1,000**

**Eligibility**: First and second year students may apply. Students applying must have had a grade of A- or better in one of the following fall courses:

- 115
- 116
- 156
- 175
- 185
Required Materials:

- The acceptable grade of an A- or better.
- A completed application which is found on website.

**Medieval and Early Modern Studies (MEMS)**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/mems

No awards found.

**The Michigan Center for Theoretical Physics**

http://www.umich.edu/~mctp/

For faculty only—no awards found for undergraduates.

**Michigan Learning Communities**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/mlc/default.asp

No Scholarships found.

**Michigan Research Community**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/mrc

No scholarships found.

**Adelia Cheever Program**

http://www.housing.umich.edu/adelia-cheever-program

**SCHOLARSHIPS FOR RETURNING STUDENTS**

**Eligibility:** Students who would like to return for a second year in the Adelia Cheever Program are eligible to apply. The monetary amounts awarded depend on funds available and number of applicants. Recipients are selected based on an interview with the Cheever Society Alumnae, academic achievement, future goals, financial need, and participation in the Cheever program.

**Required Materials:**

- Application which is available during the Fall Semester.
- If the students application is competitive they are granted an interview around November.

**Max Kade German Residence**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/german

**GEORGE VALENTA SCHOLARSHIP $1,000**

**Eligibility:** German concentrators living in the Max Kade Residence are eligible to apply. The scholarship is given to students that have a strong academic performance and interest in German studies.

**Required Materials:**
• A personal statement describing why the student feels they are a good candidate.
• A resume which emphasizes on past experience with the German language and Germany.
• The student’s unofficial transcripts.
  o Transcripts should be sent to the Student Coordinator at 3109 MLB.

Modern Greek
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/modgreek

Foundation for Modern Greek Studies Fellowships for Study in Greece

Eligibility: These fellowships are for students to study at approved programs in Greece. The fellowship provides funding for, transportation, tuition, and other expenses. The scholarships are for summer study abroad sessions. Undergraduates and graduate students may apply.

Required Materials:

• The department addresses the top 2 or 3 students in the department and offers them an opportunity.
• Therefore, there is no application process.

Department of Classical Studies Modern Greek Prizes-Translation

Eligibility: These prizes are given to the top undergraduate students who have shown excellence in the translation of both elementary and intermediate levels of Modern Greek.

Required Materials: Students that are interested should contact the department to learn how they can submit their work.

Department of Classical Studies Modern Greek Prizes-Concentration Prize

Eligibility: Students are selected by the Modern Greek undergraduate concentration advisors program. The prizes are based on student’s grade point in the concentration and the student’s overall GPA. Consideration is also given to the quality of each student’s work and their contribution to the field.

Required Materials: For more information on submitting work to be considered by the advisors students should contact the department.

Hellenic Ministries of Culture and Foreign Affairs Scholarship for Study in Greece

Eligibility: This award is given to a student who has shown great achievement in the study of Greek. The student is selected by an instructor. The scholarship supports undergraduate summer study at the Modern Greek session in Thessaloniki at the Institute for Balkan Studies.

Required Materials: There are no requirements because students are nominated by a professor.

Platis Prize

Eligibility: These are prizes given out to undergraduates and graduate students for original work relating to the Greek Classical legacy. Students from any college or field may submit their work that is relevant to Greek thought and experience in our world today. There are two categories:

• Research:
Research in any scholarly form.

- Creative work:
  - Essays, plays, poems, films, musical compositions, performances, visual art, translations/adaptations, etc.

**Required Materials:**

- Students must submit four copies of the work with a cover sheet.
  - The cover sheet must have:
    - Name of student.
    - Local address and phone number.
    - Permanent address.
    - E-mail address.
    - School or college.
    - Class and UMID #.
    - A statement of justification (5-10 sentences) on how the Greek legacy is relevant to the work submitted.

- Applicants must submit all of these materials to Kimber Johnson at 2171 Angell Hall 435 State St. Ann Arbor MI 48109.

**Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology**  
No awards found for undergraduates.

**University of Michigan Museum of Anthropology**  
[http://www.lsa.umich.edu/ummaa](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/ummaa)  

**James B Griffin Undergraduate Research Fund up to $500**

**Eligibility:** Undergraduate students who would like funding assistance for anthropological archaeology fieldwork may apply.

**Required Materials:**

- An application submitted to the undergraduate archaeology student adviser in the Department of Anthropology.
  - The application is found at 4013 Ruthven Museums Building.

**Marlon Foundation Undergraduate Research up to $1,000**

**Eligibility:** This award is for Native American undergraduate students who would like to participate in archaeological field research.

**Required Materials:**

- Students should submit an application to the undergraduate archaeology student adviser in the Museum of Anthropology.
  - The application is found at 4013 Ruthven Museums Building
**CHRISTY COGAN MEMORIAL UP TO $500**

**Eligibility:** This award is for undergraduates who conduct archaeology in North America.

**Required Materials:**

- Applicants must submit an application to the undergraduate archaeology student adviser in the Museum of Anthropology.
  - The application is found at 4013 Ruthven Museums Building

**CARL E. GUTHE ENDOWMENT UP TO $500**

**Eligibility:** This is for undergraduate students with an interest in anthropological archaeology. The funds may be spent on tuition, travel expenses, meeting attendance, and/or research analyses expenses.

**Required Materials:**

- Students must submit an application to the undergraduate archaeology student adviser in the Museum of Anthropology.
  - The application is found at 4013 Ruthven Museums Building.

**HAYS FAMILY UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH UP TO $1,000**

**Eligibility:** This is available for undergraduate students with broad academic backgrounds who are interested in anthropological archaeology and need funds for their research experience.

**Required Materials:**

- Applicants must submit an application to the undergraduate archaeology adviser in the Museum of Anthropology.
  - The application is found at 4013 Ruthven Museums Building.

**HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL GUILD SCHOLARSHIP UP TO $1,000**

**Eligibility:** This scholarship is for the support of ethnological, sociological, and archaeological research that will benefit Native Americans in Michigan. The scholarship may be used to cover research expenses including travel and room and board. University undergraduate or graduate students in Anthropology or Sociology may apply.

**Required Materials:**

- Students must submit an application to the Director of the Museum of Anthropology.
  - The Application is found at 4013 Ruthven Museums Building.

**Museum of Paleontology**

[http://www.paleontology.lsa.umich.edu/](http://www.paleontology.lsa.umich.edu/)

No awards found.

**Museum of Zoology**

[http://www.ummz.lsa.umich.edu/](http://www.ummz.lsa.umich.edu/)
Nam Center for Korean Studies (NCKS)
http://www.ii.umich.edu/ncks

NCKS CONFERENCE TRAVEL SUPPORT $350 PER PERSON PER CONFERENCE

Eligibility: This award is for students specializing in Korean studies who present papers at conferences in the United States or internationally. Applicants must apply to Rackham Graduate School, the International Institute, and their departments before requesting funds. Applications must be submitted at least six weeks before the travel date. One instance of domestic travel per applicant is permissible each year. Foreign travel is determined on a case by case basis, and more money may be awarded if necessary.

Required Materials:

- Applicants must submit an application which is found on the website.
- Students must list any additional funding they have received or that is pending from other sources.
- Students must also submit an abstract of the paper to be presented.
- Letter of support from the student’s faculty advisor is also necessary.
- Students need to submit a letter of paper acceptance.
  - If the student has not received the acceptance letter they must state this in her application.
    Students must submit the acceptance letter at least 2 weeks before the travel date if money is granted.

STUDENT RESEARCH FUNDING MAX. FUNDING OF $1,500

Eligibility: This funding is for students doing research related to Korean studies. The fellowships may be used for research-related travel to Korea. It also may be used for research travel to domestic archives, libraries, and museums, expenses for data gathering, participation in academic workshops and meetings, or any other related expenses.

Applicants must apply to Rackham Graduate School, the International Institute, and their respective departments or professional schools before applying. Applicants must submit detailed receipts and a report within four weeks of their return.

Required Materials:

- Students must submit an application which is found on the website.
- Students must write a maximum of 500 words describing the nature of the student’s summer research.
- Applicants must also submit any additional funding information.
- A letter of support from the student’s faculty advisor is also required.
- A budget plan is also required.
- If a student receives money they must submit a report summarizing their activities and expenses. They are due within 30 days after the fellowship recipient’s proposed research is completed.

SEAH-HAIAM ARTS AND SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIP MAX FUNDING $2,500
Eligibility: Two to three awards are given to undergraduates and graduate students for research travel, research work, fieldwork, or attendance at an academic conference related to Korean Studies.

Required Materials:

- An application found on the website.
- Students must also submit a one page funding proposal.
- A resume is also required.
- One letter of recommendation from the student’s advisor is needed.

Near Eastern Studies
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/neareast/

FINANCIAL RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS IN THE FLAGSHIP PROGRAM

Eligibility: Support to qualified Flagship Program students whose program of study at UM includes at least one course in Arabic language or content courses taught in Arabic each term. The emphasis of the financial support is placed on the overseas portion. Students must be full time. Applicants must have completed one to two years of Modern Standard Arabic, or a Summer Intensive Elementary Modern Standard course. Students must have a GPA of 3.25 or higher. Students must be committed to achieving Superior Level proficiency in Arabic. Students must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

Materials Needed:

- Application form (online)
- Statement of Purpose
- Official transcript
- two letters of recommendation
  o This is just to get into the Flagship program. Please contact the department for materials needed to the funding.

Organizational Studies
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/orgstudies/

ANDY AND ELLYN LANSING LEADER/SCHOLAR AWARD

Eligibility: This is awarded to a senior who has shown academic excellence and has been a leader in the Organizational Studies Program and/or in the university’s community. The scholarship must be used for tuition.

Required Materials: Senior is nominated by the Organizational Studies staff, therefore, there is not an application.

OS INTERNSHIP AWARD

Eligibility: Sophomores and juniors in the Organizational Studies program are eligible. Several awards are given out to provide limited financial assistance to help pay for the additional living expenses, travel costs, etc involved in summer internships. Concentrators may be asked to share their experiences with the Organizational Studies community. Concentrators should contact the department to learn how to apply.
OS OPPORTUNITY AWARD UP TO $10,000 EACH SEMESTER

**Eligibility:** This award is given to students who have financial need due to unforeseen circumstances. Any Organizational Studies student with financial need can apply. Two awards are given out a year, one in the fall and one in the winter. Students must be enrolled full time to be eligible.

**Required Materials:**
- An application which is located on the website.
- Students must submit their current financial aid award document.
- A letter from the student’s parent or guardian explaining the unforeseen financial hardship and the effect on the student’s current financial situation is required.
- Students should also submit any other documentation to provide as complete a picture of their current financial situation as possible.

BLI GLOBAL SCHOLARSHIP UP TO $10,000

**Eligibility:** Organizational studies concentrators who are active in the Barger Leadership Institute that have been accepted to an accredited overseas academic program are eligible. The student must be returning as undergraduate in the following fall. Recipients are expected to participate in a Barger Leadership Institute activity upon their return. They must also share their reflections on their experience through a final report.

**Required Materials:**
- BLI Global Scholarship Application form located on the website.
- A proposal 500 words in length:
  - Addresses how the program relates to the student’s education and career interest.
  - Also explains how the student plans to integrate leadership development into their experiences while abroad.
  - The proposal should also detail the student’s plans are for meaningfully engaging with the regional culture.
- Applicants must submit a course description or syllabi.
- A budget is also required.
- The student’s resume should be submitted.
- The student’s unofficial transcript or official transcript is also needed.
- A letter of reference from an instructor or faculty member is required.
- Also a letter of acceptance from the institution administering the study abroad program is required.

BLI GLOBAL INTERNSHIP AWARD

**Eligibility:** Organizational studies students who have applied for a summer internship or active Barger Leadership Institute fellows who are not Organizational Studies concentrators are eligible. The internship must last at least one month and consist of at least a 30 hour work week. Students must complete the internship before their final semester at the university. Priority is given to unpaid or low-paying internship positions. Positions in which non-English speaking is required or that offer significant insight into the practice of leadership are preferred.

**Required Materials:**
• The application form which may be found on the website.
• An internship opportunities spreadsheet which is also located online.
• Applicants must also submit an estimated Budget Breakdown for each internship opportunity they are considering.
• A one page proposal of 500 words is required.
  o The proposal should address how the student expects the internship to help them discover new insights about the practice of leadership.
• A letter of confirmation from the supervisor of the internship specifying the tasks and special projects of the internship is also required.

**STUDENT PROJECT PROPOSAL**

**Eligibility:** This is provided to Organizational Studies students and Barger Leadership Institute fellows. The award is used to support projects that address issues which the students are passionate about and that involve significant leadership roles. Projects must have a faculty advisor.

**Required Materials:**

• An application form found online.
• A proposal.
• Any additional materials.
• Eligible students should contact the department for guidelines on applying.

**Philosophy**

[http://www.lsa.umich.edu/philosophy](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/philosophy)

**FRANKENA PRIZE $500**

**Eligibility:** This prize is given to a student who has shown excellence in the Philosophy concentration.

**Required Materials:** This prize is awarded by the department. Questions should be directed to the Philosophy Department.

**HALLER PRIZE $200**

**Eligibility:** This prize is given out to students who complete essays that are exceptional in intermediate and advanced Philosophy courses.

**Required Materials:** Faculty nominates essays for consideration.

**Physics**

[http://www.lsa.umich.edu/physics](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/physics)

**ADDISON-WESLEY BOOK AWARD**

**Eligibility:** This is awarded to a graduating senior for great contributions in the Physics Department.

**Required Materials:** Students should contact the Physics Department for further information.

**RALPH B. BODINE SCHOLARSHIP UP TO $10,000 PER ACADEMIC YEAR**
Eligibility: This is given to a 3rd year student who has proven their academic ability in the department. They must be a U.S. citizen and have financial need. If no undergraduates in physics meet the criteria the award is presented to an undergraduate in electrical engineering or to a first or second year graduate student in physics.

Required Materials:

- An application found on the website.
- A Recommendation form also found on the website.

THE WILLIAM L. WILLIAMS AWARD $3,000

Eligibility: This award is given to a student who develops an excellent thesis. The student must be receiving a bachelor’s degree with a concentration in physics.

Required Materials:

- Students must submit 3 copies of their thesis.
- A supporting letter by the thesis advisor is required.
- Additional supporting letters are optional, but encouraged.
- An interview may be scheduled.

WILEY BOOK AWARD

Eligibility: Given to an undergraduate student that has shown great achievement in physics.

Required Materials: Nominated by faculty, therefore, nothing is submitted.

OTHO LYLE TIFFANY AND MARY LOIS TIFFANY FELLOWSHIP

Eligibility: This is for non-graduating undergraduate physics students. The student must be receiving a bachelor’s degree with a concentration in physics.

Required Materials: Students are nominated by the physics staff.

WIRT & MARY CORNWELL PRIZE

Eligibility: Awarded to a graduating Physics concentrator who has demonstrated intellectual curiosity and shows promise in original study and creative work. Students must have a GPA of at least 3.5. Applicants must have been involved in research while an undergraduate student. Students must be enrolled in a graduate program no later than the fall after they finish undergrad.

Materials Needed:

- Application found online

Political Science

http://polisci.lsa.umich.edu/

SAMUEL J. ELDERSVELD WRITING CONTEST

Eligibility: This contest is open to first and second year students who write a paper which addresses one of the following categories: world politics, American politics, comparative politics, or political theory/methods.
Materials Needed:

- Papers should not be longer than 10 pages, single spaced.

**Population Studies**
http://www.psc.isr.umich.edu/
No undergraduate awards found.

**Interdepartmental Program in Greek and Roman History**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/ipgrh
No undergraduate awards found.

**Psychology**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/psych/flash.asp

**The Al Cain Honors Travel Award $250**

**Eligibility:** An honors student completing or planning to complete an honors thesis in Psychology, BBCS or Neuroscience is eligible. This award is intended to be used on travel expenses so students can present their thesis. The student must actually be the presenter of the thesis research. The student may be a single author or be working on a jointly authored paper.

**Required Materials:**

- An application cover sheet located on the website.
- A brief summary that addresses:
  - How this award will help the student achieve their education and career goals.
  - The thesis and research in question.
  - List of conferences that the student will be applying to.
    - A student should note if their work has already been accepted.
- A letter of support from the student’s honors faculty advisor addressing the student’s role in the conference presentation.
- A copy of the student’s unofficial transcript.

**Anne Rudo Memorial Award $1,000**

**Eligibility:** Students concentrating or with academic interest in both Psychology and Biology are eligible. Selection is based on financial need, academic potential, interest in both psychology and biology, and past and present community involvement.

**Required Materials:**

- An application cover sheet which is located on the website.
- Students must submit a statement of purpose (maximum of 4 pages):
  - It must explain the student’s involvement in academic and volunteer projects.
  - It should discuss the student’s interest in psychology, biology, and medicine.
  - The student should State their goals and future plans.
  - The student should also explain their financial need and how they will use the funds.
Two letters of recommendation are needed:
  o It is preferred that one is from a psychology or biology faculty member.
  o It is also preferred that the other is written by a supervisor of your volunteer work.

Students must submit their unofficial transcript.

**TANNER MEMORIAL AWARD OFFERED IN BOTH THE FALL AND WINTER**

**Eligibility:** This award is intended to fund a research project. The project should be innovative and original. The undergraduate student must be concentrating in Psychology, Brain Behavior and Cognitive Science or Neuroscience. Students with dual majors or an Individual Concentration conducting research with significant emphasis upon psychological sciences are also eligible.

**Required Materials:**

- An application cover letter which is located on the website.
- A completed research proposal (maximum of 5 pages):
  o The proposal should describe the project.
    - Explain the hypothesis.
    - Also how the research is innovative and original.
    - Explain the student’s specific participation in the research.
    - It should also discuss the anticipated form of the project report and a timeline.
      - Journal paper
      - Honors thesis etc.
  - It should also include an itemized budget.
- Two letters of recommendation are required. At least one letter must be from a faculty member who knows about the student’s research.
- Unofficial transcripts are required.

**CONFERENCE TRAVEL AWARD $100-$250 OFFERED IN THE FALL AND WINTER**

**Eligibility:** This is given to Psychology concentrators who are presenting their research at a major regional, national, scientific or professional conference. The award may be used for travel, lodging, and registration fees. The student must be the primary present of the research, whether it is as a single or joint author.

**Required Materials:**

- An application cover sheet which is located on the website.
- A proposal that is a maximum of 2 pages in length:
  o It should detail how this award will help the student’s academic and career goals.
  o The proposal should also describe the research.
  o A budget should also be included.
  o The student should also provide the names of the conferences they will be applying to.
    - Student’s should note if their work has already been accepted
- A letter of support from the applicant’s faculty mentor is required.
  o The letter should discuss the student’s academic achievements, commitment to research and address the student’s role at the conference.
- Unofficial transcripts are also required.
MARThA MuenZer MemoRial awARD IN PSYChOLOGY $2,000

Eligibility: This is awarded to an outstanding junior woman participating in Honors in the Psychology department. Overall academic performance, interests, and how beneficial the award will be to each student will be considered when applications are reviewed.

Required Materials:

- Application cover sheet provided on the website.
- A personal statement which is a maximum of two pages:
  - It should explain the student’s skills, interests and aspirations.
- Unofficial Transcripts are required.
- Two letters of recommendation are needed.
  - It is preferred that at least one is from a Psychology faculty member.
- A letter the applicant would send to the Muenzer family if they received the award:
  - It should introduce the student and her activities.
  - The letter should also describe the project.
  - The letter must also state how the student will use the money.

W.B. Pillsbury Prize Competition $500

Eligibility: This prize is awarded to an undergraduate student who has performed outstanding research in experimental psychology. In this case experimental psychology refers to method and implies no restriction on content. The research must involve observations under controlled conditions. Eligibility is limited to students of senior standing who are concentrating in Psychology or Brain, Behavior, and Cognitive Science.

Required Materials:

- An application cover sheet located on the website.
- One electronic copy of the student’s research paper or thesis is required.
- A letter of support from the applicant’s faculty research mentor.

Residential College (RC)
http://www.rc.lsa.umich.edu/

INTERNSHIP SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Eligibility: Residential College students who have been offered unpaid or low-paying internships are eligible. The funds should be used to cover travel, living or other expenses during internships and research.

Required Materials: Students must look at the Residential College Academic Services on Ctools for information about the scholarships. They may also contact Cynthia Burton caburton@umich.edu for more information about need-based scholarships.

Department of Romance Languages and Literatures
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/rll/

VINCenti Study Abroad Scholarship
Eligibility: These scholarships are given to declared concentrators in French, Italian, and or Spanish. Applications are accepted twice a year. The scholarship is awarded before the student begins their study abroad program.

Required Materials:

- An application which may be found on the website.
  - In the application there are two short responses required.

Chiara Maria Levin Study Abroad Scholarship

Eligibility: Students who are declared concentrators or minors in Romance Languages and Literature are eligible. Students must have shown excellence in the field and must be planning to study abroad in the summer. Students must be accepted to a summer study abroad program through the university.

Required Materials:

- An application which is found on the website.
  - Two short responses are a part of the application.

Ernst Pulgram Italian Study Abroad Scholarship

Eligibility: The scholarship is open to students studying Italian at the university. The scholarship may be used for a fall, winter, or summer term study abroad program or an academic year. Students who are not declared concentrators or minors in Italian may apply.

Required Materials:

- An application which is located on the website.
  - Two responses are included in the application.

RLL Study Abroad Scholarship in French

Eligibility: This scholarship is open to declared concentrators and minors in French or Romance Languages and Literatures. This scholarship is given to assist with the costs of studying abroad in France or a Francophone country. The scholarship may be used for a fall, winter, or summer term study abroad program, or for an academic year program. Awards are made before a student begins their program.

Required Materials:

- An application which is located on the website.
  - Three responses are included in the application.

RLL Summer Internship Stipend

Eligibility: This stipend is open to declared concentrators and minors in a Romance Languages and Literatures. They must have accepted an internship position in which their Romance language skills will be used extensively. The stipend may only be used during the summer of the internship. Students must apply before their internship begins. The stipend is awarded based on the student’s academic achievements, the nature of the internship, and the strength of the student’s application. Students who are graduating before or during the summer of their internship are not eligible.
Required Materials:

- An application which student’s may find on the website.
  - A short essay is included in the application.

**Canzano Study Abroad Scholarship**

Eligibility: Students studying Italian and/or Spanish in the Department. The scholarship is awarded based on academic achievements, strength of application, and financial need. The scholarship may only be used for summer term study abroad programs only. Preference is given to students planning to study in Spain, Argentina, and Italy.

**Materials Needed:**

- Application (found online)

**Science Learning Center**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/slc

No scholarships found.

**Science, Technology and Society**

http://www.umich.edu/~umsts/

No scholarships found.

**Screen Arts and Culture**

http://www.lsa.umich.edu/sac/

**Garnet R. Garrison Scholarship up to $1000**

Eligibility: This is for senior Honors candidates who need the funds for their honors thesis.

**Required Materials:**

- An application is required:
  - The application needs the name and phone number of a faculty reference in the Program in Film and Video Studies with whom the student has worked with.
- Unofficial transcripts are required.
- For a production application:
  - A one page statement for a new project or a work in progress and the script if available.
  - Two samples of past film, video, or digital work on a VHA video tape.
  - If the student is seeking funds for a work in progress they may submit evidence of work completed at the time of the application.
  - A sample description page must accompany sample work.
- For scriptwriting application:
  - A writing sample demonstrating that the applicant understands the conventions of scriptwriting
  - A short synopsis detailing the proposed script’s plot, approach, theme, major characters, length etc.
- A budget detailing the expenses is also required.
**ALICE WEBBER GLOVER SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS UP TO $3,000**

**Eligibility:** These funds are given to help with the costs of writing and/or producing a student film, video or digital media project.

**Required Materials:**

- An application form:
  - On the form the name and phone number of a faculty reference in the Program in Film and Video Studies with whom the student has worked with is required.
- The student’s unofficial transcripts are required.
- Production applicants must submit:
  - A one page statement for a new project or work in progress, and the script if available.
  - Two samples of past film, video or digital work on VHS videotape.
  - If students are seeking funds for a work in progress they may submit evidence of work completed at the time of the application.
  - A sample description page must accompany sample work.
- For scriptwriting proposals:
  - A writing sample demonstrating that the student understands the conventions of scriptwriting and a short synopsis of the proposed script’s plot, approach, theme, major characters, length etc.

**THE TRUEBLOOD FELLOWSHIP AWARD UP TO $750**

**Eligibility:** This fellowship award is used to support both undergraduate and graduate students with funding for film, television, or video art.

**Required Materials:**

- An application:
  - The application must have the name and phone number of one faculty reference in the Department of Screen Arts and Cultures that the student has worked with.
- A two page personal essay:
  - The student should discuss their educational and professional interests.
  - The essay should explain the student’s accomplishments that match the Trueblood Fellowship’s mission.
- Two examples of directing or performance on VHS videotape are also required. A sample description page must accompany the work.

**LEO BURNETT FOUNDATION GRANTS PROGRAM**

**Eligibility:** These grants are given to students who are interested in communications media and how the media functions in the market economy. Research and production projects that explore and illuminate the role of film or television in a market economy are eligible.

**Required Materials:** For directions on how to apply please contact the department.

**SYDNEY J. WINER SCHOLARSHIP FOR INTERNSHIP SUPPORT**

**Eligibility:** This scholarship is to be used for a summer internship in the entertainment industry.
Required Materials: For directions on applying please contact the department

**THE PETER AND BARBARA BENEDEK AWARD FOR BEST SCREENPLAY $2,500**

Please contact the department to learn how to apply.

**THE PETER AND BARBARA BENDEK PRIZE FOR BEST TV SCRIPT $2,500**

Please contact the department to learn how to apply.

**LEONARD AND EILEEN NEWMAN PRIZE FOR DRAMATIC WRITING $1,000**

Please contact the department to learn how to apply.

**THE HUBERT AND ELLEN COHEN FILM ESSAY AWARD**

**Eligibility:** Awarded to the best undergraduate scholarly essay(s) in film history, film criticism, or film theory, and are a minimum of 15 pages in length. The paper is not to be written for a course. It can, however, be an honors thesis.

**Materials Needed:**

- Application
- Unofficial copy of the student’s transcripts
- Three copies of the essay, bound with a cover sheet.

**FRANK AND GAYLE BEAVER SHORT SCRIPT WRITING PRIZE**

**Eligibility:** Awarded to a SAC concentrator for an exceptional short script developed in a SAC production class. Experimental, narrative drama, documentary or animation scripts are all eligible. Feature film scripts or television scripts are not eligible.

**Materials Needed:**

- Two copies of the script or storyboards that do not exceed 30 minutes. Scripts may be up to 30 pages in length.
- On the cover sheet include the name of the manuscript, your name, student ID, phone number, local address and permanent address, Please also list the course number of the SAC class for which the script was written. Your name may not appear on the work itself.
- Works will not be returned.

**Slavic Languages and Literatures**
[http://www.lsa.umich.edu/slavic](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/slavic)

No awards found.

**Sociology**
[http://www.lsa.umich.edu/soc/](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/soc/)

**EITA KROM PRIZE $500**
Eligibility: This prize is awarded by the department to a junior or senior student who produces the best paper on a sociological. Papers cannot be group-authored or excerpts from an honors theses.

Required Materials:

- The essay must be between 10 to 25 pages in length.
  - Must NOT have the student’s name or any identifying information on the essay.
- Students must submit their essay via email to socadvisor@umich.edu.
  - In email applicants must include their name, UM ID, the semester in which they wrote the essay, the class the paper was written for, and the name and email for the instructor for that class.

MARK CHESLER STUDENT RESEARCH AWARD $250

Eligibility: This award is given to an undergraduate whose work contributes to the understanding of diversity, social justice, participatory action research, intergroup relations or service learning. Group papers are not acceptable.

Required Materials:

- The essay that is 10 to 35 pages in length.
  - No identifying information may be on the essay.
- Students must submit the essay via email to socadvisor@umich.edu.
  - In the email include students must include their name, UM ID, the semester in which they wrote the essay, the class, and the name and email of the instructor for that class.

ROBERT COOLEY ANGELL AWARD

Eligibility: Awarded by the department to an Honors senior who writes an exceptional thesis in Sociology.

Required Materials: The department selects the recipient.

Statistics
http://www.stat.lsa.umich.edu/
No awards found.

Summer Language Institute
http://lsa.umich.edu/sli#ApplicationMaterials
No awards found.

Survey Methodology
http://psm.isr.umich.edu/
No undergraduate awards found.

Gayle Morris Sweetland Center for Writing
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/sweetland/

EXCELLENCE IN FIRST-YEAR WRITING SWEETLAND 100 TWO PRIZES OF $150

Eligibility: Students that are enrolled in Sweetland 100: Transition to College Writing are eligible. Instructors of the course nominate students for this award.
**Required Materials:** The student portfolio which is created in the class is the only required material.

**FIRST-YEAR WRITING REQUIREMENT STUDENT AWARDS TWO PRIZES OF $150**

**Eligibility:** Students enrolled in courses that fulfill the First-Year Writing Requirement are eligible to receive this award. Students’ pieces are nominated by their instructors. Pieces that are innovative, complex, and respond well to the given prompt are considered. The essays themselves must be under 2,500 words.

**Required Materials:** The essay which is completed for the course is the only required material.

**UPPER-LEVEL WRITING REQUIREMENT STUDENT AWARDS SIX PRIZES OF $150**

**Eligibility:** Students that are enrolled in courses that fulfill the Upper-Level Writing Requirement may be nominated for this award. Essays that are innovative, complex, and respond to the prompt correctly will be considered. The essay must be 2,500 words or less. Two entries will be selected from three different categories: Science, Social Science, and Humanities.

**Required Materials:** The essay which is completed in the course is the only required material.

**Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/urop

**UROP GRANTS**

**Eligibility:** Students in UROP who do not qualify for Work-Study funds but still have financial need.

**Required Materials:**
- A grant application which is located on the website is needed.
- The student’s financial aid award summary must be submitted as well.
- Students must also submit an explanation of their financial situation.

**Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies (WCED)**
http://www.ii.umich.edu/wced

No undergraduate awards found.

**Weiser Center for Europe and Eurasia**
http://www.ii.umich.edu/wcee

No undergraduate awards found.

**Center for European Studies European Union Center**
http://www.ii.umich.edu/ces

**CES-EUC SUMMER RESEARCH AND INTERNSHIP $500-$1,500**

**Eligibility:** Undergraduate and graduate students are eligible. The funds are intended for summer research or internships which relate to the study of Europe and European integration. Research applicants may be at any stage in their research. Students seeking funds for summer internships should identify the venue for their internship. The venue must be a governmental agency, business, or non-governmental institution in the region.
Applications for the EU-related study abroad program should include the description of the program. The funding may be used for travel, conference fees, research materials, or fees for educational opportunities.

**Required Materials:**

- A summer funding application located on the website.
- A statement of purpose that is 1 to 3 pages in length. It should detail the:
  - Time period
  - Institution affiliation
  - Reasons for the project
  - How this experience will help the student’s career
- A budget is required.
- The applicant’s curriculum vitae or resume is required.
- Official transcripts are required.
- If a student receives funds they must submit a written report after the experience.

**Women in Science and Engineering (WISE)**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/wise/
No undergraduate awards found.

**Women in Science and Engineering Residence Program (WISE RP)**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/wiserp
No awards found.

**Women’s Studies**
http://www.lsa.umich.edu/women/

**The Dorothy McGuigan Prizes for the Best Essays on Women $500**

**Eligibility:** Graduate and undergraduate students from the Ann Arbor, Dearborn, and Flint campuses are eligible. Essays that have been written during the previous calendar year are eligible. The student’s essay does not have to be for a specific class. Personal stories, fiction, and poetry are not eligible. Only one entry is allowed per author. Essays are judged based on their contribution to our understanding of the lives or roles of women. Essay also may give a feminist analysis of gender or sexuality. Essays are also judged on their clarity and presentation.

**Required Materials:**

- Undergraduate essays should be no longer than 20 pages:
  - Typed, double spaced including notes and/or bibliography.
- Graduate essays should be no longer than 30 pages:
  - Typed, double spaced including notes and/or bibliography.
- A cover sheet is required with the following:
  - The title of the essay
  - The author’s name, address, phone number, email address, UM ID and status as an undergraduate or graduate student.
- On the second cover sheet students should have just the title of the essay.
Applicants must email their essay in PDF form to McGuiganSubmissions@umich.edu.