

## **Announcement of the Foreign Languages and International Studies Global Knights Scholarship**

### **Scholarship Applicants Must Meet ALL of the Following Criteria:**

- A. Status as full-time Bellarmine student in good standing. As of the spring semester of application, the student should have completed no more than 100 undergraduate or 12 graduate credits.
  - B. A 3.0 cumulative GPA in all college-level foreign language courses.
  - C. A 2.75 overall cumulative GPA.
  - D. A minimum of six hours (6) of one foreign language (a Germanic or Romance Language) taken in residence at Bellarmine University with three of those hours taken in the semester prior to departure.
  - E. A commitment to continue study of the same foreign language for a minimum of one additional semester upon return from study abroad.
  - F. Acceptance in an established undergraduate/graduate program of overseas study. (Students applying to such programs who have not yet been informed of their acceptance are eligible to apply. Bellarmine reserves the right to award scholarships contingent upon future acceptance to an approved program.)
- NOTE: Applicants are required to review their program of foreign exchange or foreign study with a language instructor and the director of the International Programs Office before applying for a scholarship.

**Students will receive their scholarship award notification and a certificate at the Bellarmine College of Arts & Sciences Awards Presentation in April.**

### **Scholarship Recipients Must Meet ALL of the Following Criteria:**

- A. **Within 30 days after his/her return to the United States, a scholarship winner must submit to the Director of International Programs the following three items:**
  - A 100-150 word succinct summary with at least one picture must be submitted to the IPO for use in the annual Bellarmine 'Concord' Study Abroad Issue in September.
  - A typewritten report (a critical analysis, not a journal) of the international study experience (1500 word minimum including coversheet) made available to the donor of the scholarship funds.
  - An overview of his/her study abroad program for the BU website (template will be provided by the IPO), which must include at least 2 pictures (preferably with a BU t-shirt provided by the IPO for this purpose) of the scholarship recipient abroad. Pictures, reports and overview may also be used for other P.R. purposes and incorporated (preferably as a power point presentation) into promotional events by the student.
- B. A scholarship recipient must further agree to participate in 6 programs/events over the course of one year following their return. These activities include the Study Abroad Fair, International Club Events, International Student Reception (fall) and Luncheon (spring) and other study abroad promotional events.
- C. Upon return to the U.S., a scholarship winner must be willing to be paired with an incoming Bellarmine exchange student as a peer mentor for a minimum of one semester. The peer mentorship will include but not be limited to:
  - Picking the incoming international student up from the airport (if unavailable at the student's arrival time, it is THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to find a replacement to pick up the assigned student),
  - Assisting international students with the dormitory check-in,
  - Helping international students with general adjustment to the Bellarmine campus (introduction to the city, social invitations etc.)

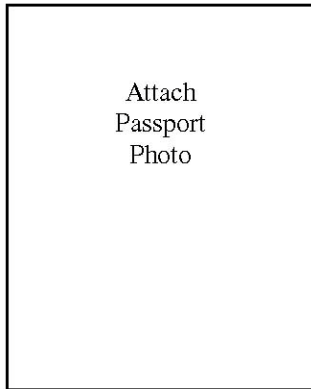
**Students of German.** Scholarships of up to \$4000 will be available for study in Germany or other German-speaking countries.

**Students of Romance languages.** Scholarships of up to \$2000 will be available to students for study in France, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Mexico, South America, Central America and other Romance-language countries or regions.

Application forms are available from any foreign language instructor and Director of International Programs, Miles Hall 146-149

**Priority scholarship deadline March 15.** Scholarship applications submitted after this deadline must be received at least 6 weeks prior to departure and will be considered based on the availability of funds.

**APPLICATION  
GLOBAL KNIGHTS FOREIGN LANGUAGE  
STUDY ABROAD SCHOLARSHIP**



Application for study in:

GERMAN \_\_\_\_\_  
FRENCH \_\_\_\_\_  
SPANISH \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_  
(name language)

F \_\_\_ SO \_\_\_ JR \_\_\_ SR \_\_\_

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First)

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City) (Zip)

**PHONE:** (home) \_\_\_\_\_  
(college) \_\_\_\_\_  
(work) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Permanent Address** (if different from above)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Street) (City) (Zip)  
**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contacts:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (work) \_\_\_\_\_

**What is the relationship ?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_M\_\_\_D\_\_\_Y M\_\_\_F\_\_\_

**SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you a full-time student at Bellarmine University?** \_\_\_\_\_

**First Major:** \_\_\_\_\_ **hrs. comp.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Second Major:** \_\_\_\_\_ **hrs. comp.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Minor:** \_\_\_\_\_ **hrs. comp.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total semester hours completed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total semester hours in foreign languages:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Specify languages:** \_\_\_\_\_ (hrs) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (hrs) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (hrs) \_\_\_\_\_

**Which foreign language classes will you be taking upon return from study abroad:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Overall GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Foreign Language GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Anticipated Year of Graduation** \_\_\_\_\_

**Program to which scholarship will be applied:** (Please attach brochures, descriptive material and other relevant publications including the name and address of the program)

Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Director (name, address, e-mail, phone)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Program Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please attach a detailed budget reflecting all expenses you will incur)

Location of program: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Country

What are the program dates? From \_\_\_M\_\_\_D\_\_\_Y to \_\_\_M\_\_\_D\_\_\_Y

Have you been accepted to this program? \_\_\_\_\_

(If so, supply letter of acceptance.)

If not, when do you anticipate hearing from the program? \_\_\_\_\_

For which courses did you register?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

During what dates do you plan to be abroad?

From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

City (and country if not Us) of departure to program \_\_\_\_\_

Are you in possession of a valid passport? \_\_\_\_\_ Passport number \_\_\_\_\_ If not, when do you anticipate receiving your passport? \_\_\_\_\_ Does your country of choice have a visa requirement? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, have you obtained your visa? \_\_\_\_\_

***Please, attach a budget and a typewritten, double-spaced statement of intention about your proposed study abroad. In your statement, discuss your specific plan of study and how your proposed course of study will enhance your academic and personal growth. The statement should be between 200 and 300 words. Within thirty days of your return to the U.S., you must submit to the Director of International Programs a typewritten report (critical analysis of 1500 word minimum in duplicate and MLA format, plus a 150-200 words summary of such with 2 photographs for P.R. use) regarding your study abroad experience. Upon your return to the Bellarmine Campus, we would also like to be able to call on you as a resource person for future study abroad candidates.***

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Foreign Language Instructor's Endorsement: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

International Director's Endorsement: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Return all materials in duplicate to Prof. Gabriele W. Bosley, Director, International Programs, Miles 146.**