Scholarships Available for Study Abroad!

The following scholarships are offered for summer and fall semester 2013 and <u>can be used in</u> <u>combination</u> to fund a study abroad experience. See below for details and deadlines. If you have any questions or plan to apply, please contact Andrew Lucas, Study Abroad Coordinator, as soon as possible at 518-255-5556 or <u>lucasac@cobleskill.edu</u>.

These are incredible opportunities that make study abroad affordable for anyone! * Do not let this *free* money pass you by! *

GENERAL STUDY ABROAD

Institute for International Education – Study Abroad Funding

This comprehensive directory features detailed descriptions of hundreds of study abroad scholarships, fellowships, grants, and paid internships for U.S. undergraduate, graduate and post-graduate students, and professionals. Visit <u>www.studyabroadfunding.org</u>.

Study Abroad Financial Aid Center – Diversity Abroad

Multiple resources and tools for funding study abroad: <u>www.diversityabroad.com/financial-aid</u>.

Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program – up to \$5,000

Eligibility requirements:

- * Enrolled as an undergraduate student at a two- or four-year U.S. institution
- * United States citizen
- * **Receiving a Federal Pell Grant** at the time of application or during the term of study abroad

* Participating in a study abroad program that is no less than four weeks in one country and no more than an academic year

- * Receiving academic credit
- * Study in any country not currently under a U.S. State Department Travel Warning or Cuba

For more information visit: <u>www.iie.org/gilman</u>. Online applications for Summer and Fall 2013 programs are due March 5, 2013 by 11:59pm CST.

LANGUAGE STUDY

Boren Scholarship

Boren Scholarships provide unique funding opportunities for U.S. undergraduate students to add an important international and language component to their educations. Awards are focused on geographic areas, languages, and fields of study that are critical to U.S. national security, broadly defined, and underrepresented in study abroad. Preference given for yearlong study abroad programs. Awards up to \$20,000. Visit <u>www.borenawards.org</u> for more information. Application deadline is February 13, 2013 5:00pm EST.

STUDY ABROAD IN ASIA

Bridging Scholarships: Japan – up to \$4,000

The Bridging Scholarship program will award scholarships to American students participating in study-abroad programs in Japan in fall 2012. Undergraduate students majoring in any field of study and attending any recognized exchange or independent program in Japan are eligible to apply for these scholarships. Recipients of Bridging Scholarships will receive stipends of \$2,500 or \$4,000, depending on the length of their study program in Japan. For more information: http://www.aatj.org/atj/studyabroad/scholarships.html. Application deadline for Fall 2013 is April 8, 2013.

Opportunity to Fundraise

PayPal and its affiliates have methods to use social media (Facebook, email, etc.) to help raise funds for your trip. For more information: <u>https://personal.paypal.com/cgi-bin/marketingweb?cmd= render-content&content ID=marketing us/fundraise</u>

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