Western Michigan University

Department of
Comparative Religion
Study Abroad/Study in the States Scholarship/Grant
Application Form
(Must be completed by student traveler)

Deadlines

- Undergraduate application deadline for fall is February 15, summer sessions and spring semester is one semester prior to travel.
- Graduate application deadline is one semester prior to travel.

Student Information

Applicant Name: WIN:

Program (check one):
Japanese Religion and Culture Study Abroad Seminar____
Midwestern Religious Diversity Tour____ Other____

You must be a declared major or graduate student in comparative religion (for the Cornelius Loew scholarship philosophy and comparative religion students are eligible) – do you qualify?
Yes____ No____

Number of CAS credit hours completed in major/graduate program____

WMU email address:____________________ Phone number:___________
Personal Statement
Attach a personal statement where you address the following:

- The academic and personal benefits you believe that you will derive from the experience.
- Why/how the award will assist you in being able to participate in your selected program.
- The relevance of the program to your academic endeavors.

Unofficial transcript

- Attach a current unofficial copy of your transcript available via the GoWMU student portal.

Budget

- Attach a budget for the program that includes:
  - Brief program description
  - Estimated cost breakdown with total
  - Total amount requested

Faculty Sponsor

- Request a faculty member to fill out the Faculty Sponsor Form and deliver it to the scholarship coordinator based on instructions on the form.

Submission Checklist

- Application form (this document)
- Personal Statement
- Unofficial transcript
- Program budget
- Faculty Sponsor Form

Travel/Program Cancellation or Change of Plans

If, for whatever reason, travel or the program does not take place the scholarship amount that was credited to your WMU student account prior to travel will be revoked by charging your student account back.

Applicant signature*: __________________________ Date: _____________

*This form and all attachments may be sent electronically from a WMU email address to lori.diehl@wmich.edu or hand deliver to Moore Hall, room 2004.

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