International Education Fund (IEF) Scholarship

Eligibility

1) Enrolled in UT Dallas courses involving study abroad or enrolled in a study abroad program that transfers credit back to UT Dallas for the semester of the scholarship.
2) Enrolled at least part-time with UT Dallas at the time of application.
3) Students must have a 3.0 or higher cumulative GPA from UT Dallas.
4) Students applying for the IEF Scholarship for short-term (customized) programs must have successfully completed a minimum of 12 (undergraduate) or 9 (graduate) semester credit hours at UT Dallas (residential hours) by program start date.
5) Students from the Executive Division of the Naveen Jindal School of Management are not eligible for the IEFS.
6) International students intending to pursue international educational programs at their home countries are not eligible for the IEFS.
7) Students who receive funds from the International Education Fund must comply with all regulations and policies established by the Education Abroad office at UT Dallas. Students must complete necessary paperwork to maintain active student status at UT Dallas while they are away. Upon return, students must complete all credit transfer procedures and submit a reflection about the program.

Application must include:

1) This scholarship form, completed in full with signature.
2) Personal narrative, one-page with name and UT Dallas I.D. number as the header. Must include:
   a. Factual information summarizing reasons for taking the program, how the program relates with present academic course of study, language requirement, and location.
   b. Reflection about the impact of program on learning outcomes, academic goals and anticipated cultural experience.
   c. Information about any scholastic or student organization involvement, including any honors, prizes, awards for scholastic and/or creative achievement.
   d. Benefits for UT Dallas.
3) Two letters of reference submitted through the online form (https://orgsync.com/30274/forms/123552).
   a. First reference name (UTD Faculty who has taught you) ____________________________
   b. Second reference name (UTD Faculty/Staff) ____________________________
4) Official budget statement and price breakdown from the study abroad provider or UTD department offering the program.
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Application

Personal Information

Last Name ____________________________ First Name ____________________________ M.I. __________ UT Dallas I.D. Number __________

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Local Street Address ____________________________ City ____________________________ State __________ Zip __________

( __________ ) ____________________________________ ( __________ ) __________

Home Phone ____________________________ Work Phone ____________________________ UT Dallas Email Address ____________________________

Semester the application is for: [ ] Summer ______ [ ] Fall ______ [ ] Spring ______

Current Academic Level: [ ] Freshman [ ] Sophomore [ ] Junior [ ] Senior [ ] Masters [ ] Doctorate

Major: __________________________________________

Cumulative GPA: _________

Hours at UTD ________________

Income Information

List any scholarships you will be receiving for the current academic year.

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Have you received the IEF Scholarship award before? [ ] Yes [ ] No

If yes, specify semester in which you received the IEFS award: ____________ Amount of IEFS award: ____________

Program Information

Specify the length of time (number of days/weeks) of the study abroad program: ________________

City and country where the study abroad program will take place: ____________________________

Certification

I certify that the information provided in this application is complete and accurate. I understand that providing false or misleading information on this application or other documentation may disqualify me for consideration of my application or disbursement of scholarship funding. Further, I understand that the information will be used by donors, the Committee on Student Fellowships and Scholarships, or other recognized university scholarship committee(s) to evaluate and award scholarships. I authorize The University of Texas at Dallas to release to the donor(s) and/or the media any information concerning scholarship(s) I may receive. By signing I recognize that I am aware of IEF Scholarship eligibility requirements and requirements.

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Student’s Signature ____________________________ Date ____________________________