

## ACADEMIC PROGRAMS INTERNATIONAL (API) SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Academic Programs International (API) offers scholarships ranging from \$250 - \$1,000 per student. You may request a scholarship application by contacting the API office at 1-800-844-4124 or <http://www.academicintl.com/scholarship.html>. In addition to the API Scholarship Application, we have assembled for your convenience a list of outside resources (websites and printed materials) that you may pursue to help you finance your study abroad experience. Of course, we also recommend that you check with your school's study abroad office and/or financial aid office in addition to the resources listed below. *Note: this list is not all-inclusive.*

- African American Scholarships: directory of scholarships and internship opportunities. <http://www.littleafrica.com/resources/scholarships.htm>
- American Institute of Certified Public Accountants: Scholarships for Minority Accounting Students. [www.aicpa.org/members/div/career/mini/smas.htm](http://www.aicpa.org/members/div/career/mini/smas.htm)
- Asian American Journalists Association [http://www.aaaja.org/programs/for\\_students/scholarships/](http://www.aaaja.org/programs/for_students/scholarships/)
- Association of American Indian Affairs: Scholarship programs for Native Americans. <http://www.indian-affairs.org>
- The Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting Scholarships: for Latino students with 15 credits, 3.0 GPA, and majoring in accounting, finance, or related fields. <http://www.alpfa.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=Page.viewPage&pageId=354>
- Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship: This undergraduate scholarship is open to all majors and applicable to almost any country. It funds up to \$5,000 for a semester or academic year. [www.iie.org/gilman](http://www.iie.org/gilman)
- College Board Scholarship Search: [http://apps.collegeboard.com/cbsearch\\_ss/scholarshipSearch.jsp](http://apps.collegeboard.com/cbsearch_ss/scholarshipSearch.jsp)
- Collegenet: Another extensive scholarship search. [www.collegenet.com/mach25](http://www.collegenet.com/mach25)
- Fast Web: This service provides a free customized list of financial aid sources including private sector scholarships, fellowships, grants, and loans. <http://www.fastweb.com>
- Gail Ann Schlachter, *Directory of Financial Aid for Women, 1997-1999; Financial Aid for African Americans, 1997-1999* (both from San Carlos, California Reference Service Press).
- GoAbroad.com offers a site where you can search for scholarship using various criteria: <http://www.studyabroaddirectory.com/scholarship/index.cfm>
- Hispanic Scholarship Search: [www.hispanicscholarship.com/scholarship.asp](http://www.hispanicscholarship.com/scholarship.asp)
- IIE-Midwest and Southern Region Study Abroad Grants: These grants are open to undergraduate students currently matriculated at a Midwest or Southern college or university which is a member of IIE's Networkers program.
  - [http://www.iie.org/Content/NavigationMenu/Locations/US\\_Regional\\_Centers/Chicago/Grants\\_Scholarships\\_2/Grants\\_Scholarships.htm](http://www.iie.org/Content/NavigationMenu/Locations/US_Regional_Centers/Chicago/Grants_Scholarships_2/Grants_Scholarships.htm)
  - <http://www.iie-houston.org/index.php?option=content&task=view&id=20&Itemid=44>
- Marie O'Sullivan, ed., *Financial Resources for International Study*, Institute of International Education, New York, (1996).

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- Mobility International – Financial Aid for International Exchange and Disability: This handout from Mobility International explains sources of study abroad funding for those with disabilities.  
<http://www.miusa.org/ncde/financialaid/Fin%20Aid%20for%20US%20residents.doc>
- The George J. Mitchell Scholarships: Funds graduate study in Ireland or Northern Ireland for one year.  
<http://www.us-irelandalliance.org/scholarships.html>
- MyRichUncle.com: Offers private loans for study abroad and internships. Very student-oriented website at [www.myrichuncle.com](http://www.myrichuncle.com)
- The National Action Council for Minorities in Engineering (NACME): Scholarships for Minorities in Engineering.  
<http://www.nacme.org/scholarships/>
- National Security Education Program: Open to most majors; intended to promote awareness, safety, and service.  
<http://www.iie.org/nsep>
- Rotary Ambassadorial Scholarships: Funds study abroad for one year to further international understanding. Persons with disabilities are eligible and encouraged to apply. Open to all majors.  
[http://www.rotary.org/foundation/educational/amb\\_scho/index.html](http://www.rotary.org/foundation/educational/amb_scho/index.html)
- *Scholarships, Fellowships & Grants for Programs Abroad* (American Collegiate Service, 1989)
- Spanish Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation: Scholarships for undergraduate and graduate studies in Spain.  
<http://www.becasmae.es/>
- StudyAbroad.com has several financial aid and scholarship links:  
[http://www.studyabroad.com/forum/financial\\_aid.html](http://www.studyabroad.com/forum/financial_aid.html)
- StudyAbroadLinks.com scholarship links:  
[http://www.studyabroadlinks.com/search/Study\\_Abroad\\_Resources/Scholarships\\_and\\_Financial\\_Aid/index.html](http://www.studyabroadlinks.com/search/Study_Abroad_Resources/Scholarships_and_Financial_Aid/index.html)
- Student Loan Network: Loans that require enrollment verification, but not school certification:  
<http://www.StudyAbroadLoans.com>
- The Financial Aid Page: This page has links to scholarship searches and a comprehensive listing of financial aid information. [www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org)
- The Student Guide: The U.S. Department of Education publishes a guide each year on the eligibility requirements on various federal aid programs. [http://studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student\\_guide/index.html](http://studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student_guide/index.html)
- Thompson/Peterson's: Has references to study abroad which the student might find useful. [www.petersons.com](http://www.petersons.com)
- U.S. Department of State: The Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA) fosters mutual understanding between the United States and other countries through international educational and training programs.  
<http://exchanges.state.gov/>
- Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation: Study abroad awards for undergraduate and graduate students.  
<http://www.woodrow.org/public-policy/>