

# Study Abroad Scholarship Resources

## MCLA Scholarships

### Deadlines:

Applications typically open in early March with a deadline in late March. For current deadlines and/or to apply, go to: <https://www.mcla.edu/admission-aid/paying-for-college/financial-aid/scholarships.php>

Other scholarships specific to study abroad are available through MCLA; additional information will be provided once students are accepted to a study abroad program.

## Other Scholarships for Study Abroad

### Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program

The Gilman Scholarship Program is open to U.S. citizen undergraduate students who are receiving Federal Pell Grant funding at a two-year or four-year college or university to participate in study and intern abroad programs worldwide.

**Deadlines:** First Tuesday of March (for summer and fall/academic year programs) and First Tuesday of October (for spring and early decision summer programs)

For more information, specific deadlines, and/or to apply:

<https://www.gilmanscholarship.org/>

### Gilman-McCain Scholarship

A congressionally funded initiative of the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs at the U.S. Department of State and named after the late senator John S. McCain from Arizona. This scholarship provides awards of \$5,000 for child dependents of active duty service members to study or intern abroad on credit-bearing programs.

**Deadlines:** October 1 for overseas programs that start December through October of the following year; March 3 for overseas programs that start May through April of the following year. For more information, specific deadlines, and/or to apply:

<https://www.gilmanscholarship.org/program/gilman-mccain-scholarships/>

### Affiliate Scholarships

Scholarships are also available from our four study abroad affiliates:

[ISA](#), [TEAN](#), [CISabroad](#), and [Semester at Sea](#)

## External Scholarships

### **Diversity Abroad Scholarships:**

<https://www.diversityabroad.com/scholarships>

### **Fund for Education Abroad:**

<https://fundforeducationabroad.org/>

Search for additional external scholarships here:

<https://www.mcla.edu/admission-aid/paying-for-college/financial-aid/scholarships.php>

### **Other Resources:**

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### **Questions?**

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