Study Abroad Award

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About the Study Abroad Award

The Center for International Education will award up to 20 eligible study abroad students $500 to assist with the costs of their study abroad program. This funding is made available through the Center for International Education and GPC Student Activities.

Award amount

$500 to be used towards participation in an approved GPC/USG study abroad program. Awards will be made to students’ Higher One accounts after study abroad course registration is complete.

Eligibility

All GPC students (taking classes at any GPC campus or on-line) who meet the criteria are eligible to apply.

Criteria:

Student submits an application and deposit to participate on an approved study abroad program.
Student submits the Study Abroad Award application in full on or before the deadline.
Student is in good academic standing with at least a 2.5 GPA.
Student is currently enrolled at GPC.
Student will be enrolled at GPC for at least one credit-bearing class as part of study abroad.

How to Apply

Each of the following items must be submitted for consideration. No late or incomplete applications will be considered. Please submit all application materials directly to the Center for International Education on the Clarkston Campus. A1300 Clarkston Campus, 555 North Indian Creek Drive, Clarkston GA 30021

Application Deadline (no late or incomplete applications accepted): Friday January 15, 2010

☐ Signed copy of the application
☐ Essay (200 word minimum) stating why studying abroad is important to your educational goals (Double-spaced, typed and carefully edited)
☐ A copy of your most recent tax return or a copy of your most recent FAFSA application
☐ A copy of the study abroad program description and program leader’s contact information
☐ A letter of recommendation from a GPC faculty member (not your program leader) or academic advisor
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**Application Deadline**: (no late or incomplete applications accepted) **Friday November 13, 2009**

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Program Sponsor (if other than GPC)

Program Leader & Contact Information (if other than GPC)  
Phone

Do you currently receive financial aid?  
Yes  No

Signature  
Date

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**The Center for International Education**  
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