

UK UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

College of Arts and Sciences

TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Return to: 202 Patterson Office Tower

(Please print or type)

NAME: _____ **UK ID #** _____
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MAJORS(s) _____ **MINORS(s):** _____

Applying for (please check):

- International Studies Winter Break in London, Paris, Berlin; apply by 4PM, September 29, 2017**
\$1,700; Travel between Fall 2017 and Spring 2018 semesters; undergraduate majors in **International Studies only**; sophomore, junior or senior classification at the time of travel (seniors must be returning for the spring term); 3.0 GPA required; must visit specific sites in 2 of these 3 cities; 10-day minimum stay (excludes travel time from US).
- The Holocaust Summer Break; apply by 4PM, March 3, 2017:**
\$2,500; Travel during Summer 2017; undergraduate A&S majors only; junior/senior status at the time of travel, 3.0 GPA required, must visit specific cities and sites in Europe, 16-day minimum stay (excludes travel time from US); must enroll in 395 course (in major) independent work on the Holocaust.
- Italian Renaissance; Spain: The Islamic, Judaic, Christian Encounter; French Revolution; Luther and The Reformation; or Oliver Cromwell; apply by 4PM, March 3, 2017:**
\$2,000; Travel during Summer 2017; undergraduate A&S majors; junior/senior classification at time of travel; 3.0 GPA required; must visit specific sites; 10-day minimum stay (excludes travel time from US); must enroll in an A&S-prefixed 395 course for credit.

Note: All summer travel grant recipients **MUST** be enrolled in ISP 599. This course charges one credit hour of tuition at the student's normal rate (in-state or out-of-state). Grant funds cover partial travel expense, tuition and fees. Participation in a professionally organized tour which visits the required cities is NOT permitted. Team travel with other grant recipients encouraged but not required.

CREDIT HOURS EARNED: _____ **EXPECTED DATE OF GRADUATION:** _____

CUMULATIVE GRADE POINT AVERAGE: _____ **STATUS (SOPHOMORE, JUNIOR, SENIOR):** _____

“I verify that the enclosed information is accurate to the best of my knowledge.”

Student Signature _____ **Date** _____

1. Please describe any previous travel experience you have had outside the United States.

2. If you have any plans to participate in any study aboard program or independent travel in Europe, please list the program and dates.

3. Please detail a preliminary estimated budget for this travel, including airfare, cost of rail (pass, chunnel, point-to-point travel tickets, etc.), ground transportation within cities, food and lodging. *Please note the grant amount awarded may not cover full expenses.* It is advised to plan accordingly by listing the cities you would plan to visit and a tentative daily itinerary within each city, taking into account the opening and closing times (days and hours) of the specific sites. See example budget on scholarships website <http://www.as.uky.edu/undergraduate-travel-grants>.

5. For summer travel grant applicants, discuss with your advisor enrolling in ISP 599.
6. For applicants for *The Holocaust*, what aspect or aspects of the holocaust do you plan to study in your independent work?

7. For any of the grants which require you to enroll in Independent Study 395, please give the name of the supervising professor for your independent work and ask him/her to sign the statement below:

“I agree to supervise (student’s name) _____ in their independent work on the following _____ travel grant excursion.”

Signed: _____ (Faculty member)

Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

NOTE You will be required to submit your learning contract

To Complete Your Application:

- Submit a 500-word essay: Tell us about yourself and how you think having this educational and travel experience would enhance your academic, personal, and career goals. Add any other information you think that is relevant for the grant committee’s consideration.
- Attach a copy of your transcript through Fall 2016 and a list of the courses you are enrolled in for Spring 2017. An unofficial transcript printed from *myUK* is acceptable. For the Winter Break Scholarship, the transcript through Summer 2017 with a list of Fall 2017 classes is required.
- Two letters of recommendation from University of Kentucky **faculty members** (*other than the professor supervising independent work, if applicable*) are required.
- Please note that if you are not participating in Independent Study 395 during your Winter Travel, EA Insurance **MUST** be purchased and you must provide proof of purchase before scholarship money is received.
- Submit your application, essay, official transcript, and faculty recommendations to **251 Patterson Office Tower** by the grant application deadline.
- Questions? Contact: Megan Koshurba, A&S Advising : 859-218-5334.