



Office of International Education  
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## OIE Study Abroad Grant Criteria

The Office of International Education (OIE) *Study Abroad Grants* are provided to assist UVM students in meeting the costs of a study abroad program.

### I ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for an OIE Study Abroad Grant a student must:

- a) be a full-time student at The University of Vermont who is planning to study abroad;
- b) be eligible for financial aid and have a completed FAFSA Form on file with Student Financial Services;
- c) submit a completed OIE Study Abroad Grant Application and have a Study Abroad Approval Form (SAAF) **returned** to the OIE (L/L B 161) by April 30 for Summer, Fall and Academic Year Programs, or November 30 for Spring Programs.

\*please note: award preference will be given to students from Vermont, ALANA students, and/or students wishing to study in “non-traditional” sites (e.g., Africa, Asia, Latin America). Length of study abroad will also affect award considerations, with the longer study abroad period as the more optimal.

**We require recipients of this grant to complete a study abroad evaluation form and to help us promote study abroad upon return to UVM (i.e., working as a peer advisor, participating on the returnee student panel at pre-departures, or volunteering in the OIE).**

### II DEADLINES

Grant applications are due in the OIE by **April 30** for Summer, Fall or Academic Year Programs or **November 30** for Spring Programs.

### III SELECTION PROCESS

Upon receipt of a grant application, the OIE will verify with Student Financial Services that the candidate is a financial aid recipient and has unmet needs based on the costs of the study abroad program. Eligible candidate applications will be reviewed by the Study Abroad Advisors based on the above criteria. Awards generally range from \$100 to \$1,000. Applicants will be notified of award decisions in writing, and grant recipients will have their UVM student accounts automatically credited with the appropriate award amount. Incomplete applications will not be considered.



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# OIE Study Abroad Grant Application

## I STUDENT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Local Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent/Summer Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Permanent Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a Vermont resident? Yes No      re you an ALANA student? Yes No

## II STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM INFORMATION

Sponsoring Program: \_\_\_\_\_ University Abroad: \_\_\_\_\_

Location (city, country): \_\_\_\_\_

Dates: from \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_ (Please specify month and year)

Program Costs (Please list accurate costs in U.S. dollars for the following):

Program Tuition	_____
Mandatory Program Fees & Costs	_____
UVM Study Abroad Fee	_____
Other Required Fees & Costs	_____
Housing (Room)	_____
Meals (Board- include number of meals per week)	_____
Round-trip Int'l Airfare	_____
Domestic/U.S. Transportation (to point of departure)	_____
Books & Supplies	_____
Personal/Miscellaneous Expenses (e.g. passport, visa)	_____
<b>TOTAL</b>	_____

**III FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION**

a) Do you currently have a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) Form on file with UVM Student Financial Services?

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

b) I authorize the Student Financial Services to release information that may be helpful in granting an OIE Study Abroad Grant (please sign below)

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**IV PERSONAL STATEMENT**

In a brief statement (2-3 paragraphs) please describe what you hope to gain from your study abroad experience.