## Eligibility Requirements: Students must meet <u>ALL 10 criteria</u> for application to be considered.

LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

IMPORTANT: Students participating on an MTSU Faculty-Led program are NOT eligible for this particular scholarship. Please see the faculty member leading your program for scholarship opportunities.

- 1. Minimum OVERALL GPA requirement of 2.800 for undergraduates; 3.300 for graduates (GPA requirements are FIRM) at the time of application
- 2. Must be an MTSU degree-seeking student at the time of application and during education abroad program
- 3. Must select an education abroad program that will end before graduation
- 4. Must be enrolled at MTSU at the time of application
- 5. Must receive academic credit (a minimum of one hour) for program during the term abroad (or spring semester for winter participants)
- 6. Must be enrolled at MTSU in the academic semester prior to the education abroad program
- 7. Must have *completed a full-time term* (12 credit hours for undergrad; 9 credit hours for grad; GA/GTA's should contact the Office of EA for credit hour requirement) at MTSU *before scholarship deadline*
- 8. Must submit a COMPLETE application
- 9. Must follow essay requirements and receive sufficient points in order to receive a scholarship award
- 10. Must complete an MTSU Education Abroad Program Evaluation upon return

Other details/suggestions for applicants:

- Students do not need to be fully accepted into their education abroad program in order to apply for this scholarship. However, it is necessary for students to know which program and term they plan to participate (or apply for) in order to submit the correct scholarship application.
- OEA recommends that students make an appointment with the MTSU Writing Center to have their essay critiqued.
- Only applications which meet all above criteria will be forwarded for award consideration.
- Only applications which are submitted for the correct education abroad term will be forwarded for award considered.
- CCSA & KIIS participants/applicants ARE eligible to apply for this scholarship
  as long as all above criteria are met. While an MTSU professor may be
  teaching your course, CCSA & KIIS programs are not defined as MTSU
  Faculty-Led programs.