Study abroad participation allows students to experience another culture first hand, expand their worldviews, and enhance future employment opportunities. To encourage an international educational experience, Dean Urban provides $1,000 Study Abroad Scholarships* to students based on the following criteria:

1. Must be a degree-seeking undergraduate student admitted to the Jones College (majoring in a discipline in the Jones College) or a graduate student in the Jones College;
2. Must be a student in good academic standing with a minimum overall GPA (Minimum based on MTSU Education Abroad policy and requirements.)
3. Must meet study abroad course prerequisites; and
4. Study abroad course work must be taken for academic credit and be used toward MTSU degree requirements.

A student seeking funding from the Jones College Dean’s Office must:
1. Contact the MTSU Education Abroad office prior to submitting a request for funding from the Jones College;
2. Meet the requirements and complete the application for the study abroad program to which he/she is applying; and
3. Review these guidelines and complete the Jones College Study Abroad Intent Form and upon approval, complete the Study Abroad Scholarship Acceptance Form. This is required prior to any travel abroad. Students traveling with a faculty member from the Jones College should submit their applications to the faculty member, who will then submit the entire group’s applications to the Dean’s Office.

Once the application is submitted and approved, funds will be placed into the student’s MTSU account in the semester of the study abroad course work. If the student fails to enroll or travel, those funds will be deducted from the student’s account.

Funding for any Jones College student is limited to one trip per academic year for either domestic or international travel. Funding for study abroad is limited to once during your academic career at MTSU. In the event 100% funding is provided from other source(s) for the study abroad course, students are not eligible for funding from the Jones College Dean’s Office.

While abroad, students are expected to conduct themselves at all times as articulate and supportive ambassadors of the Jones College and MTSU.

*NOTE: Financial aid determines final eligibility. (Students receiving other forms of financial aid may not receive the scholarship if it will cause them to exceed their allowable Total Cost of Attendance calculation.)