Jones College of Business
Study Abroad Scholarship Information

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

1. Must be degree-seeking undergraduate student admitted to the Jones College (majoring or minoring 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 INCLUSIVE GPA requirement of 2.0 for summer or other short term; 2.5 for semester/academic year (GPA requirements are FIRM) at the time of application deadline.
3. Must meet study abroad course prerequisites; and
4. Study abroad course work must be taken for academic credit and be used toward Jones College 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 the student is applying; and
3. Review these guidelines and complete the Jones College Study Abroad Scholarship Application. This is required prior to any travel abroad.
   a) Students pursuing a MTSU Faculty-Lead Study Abroad submit the scholarship application to the faculty member, who will then submit the entire group’s documents to the Dean’s Office
   b) Students pursuing a non-faculty-lead study abroad submit the scholarship application and the Education Abroad Course Substitution Form to the Dean’s Office (BAS N219)

Once all documents are received and the scholarship is approved, funds are 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 the student’s academic career at MTSU.

The Jones College of Business is a professional school. While abroad, students are expected to conduct themselves at all times as articulate and supportive ambassadors of the Jones College and MTSU. Studies abroad are, first and foremost, learning experiences. All students are expected to engage in productive activities that are related to the study abroad in a positive manner. As they prepare for a study abroad experience, students should consider their responsibility to represent the Jones College of Business, Middle Tennessee State University, and themselves in a professional manner.

*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.)

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