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Jen Nowak, President

2026 INTERNATIONAL STUDY ABROAD SCHOLARSHIP for GRADUATE STUDY

starting at \$1000

The award is to be used for a 12-credit Summer Session, Semester, or Full-year Program beginning between June 1, 2026 and February 1, 2027

APPLICATION FORM (Print/Type)

ELIGIBILITY: Graduate applicant maintaining legal residence in Massachusetts.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Completed application form postmarked no later than **March 1, 2026**.
2. Personal statement of not more than 500 words addressing your professional goals and how they relate to international study abroad. Word count on statement must be provided.
3. Letter of reference from an academic advisor, or college professor (on school letterhead).
4. Copy of Massachusetts Driver's License or Massachusetts Identification Card.
5. Official college transcript(s) with grades.

To SUBMIT BY EMAIL: It is preferred that you send all required documents electronically as pdf or Word docs. Email all documents to GFWC MA Secretary, Secretary@gfwcma.org by March 1, 2026 and put the scholarship title you are applying for in the subject line.

To SUBMIT BY MAIL: Send all materials in ONE envelope to GFWC MA Memorial Education Committee, P. O. Box 679, Sudbury, MA 01776-0679; **Attention: Graduate – Study Abroad Scholarship**

Name _____ Tel. _____

Address: _____

City, Zip Code _____ E-mail _____

College(s) attended: _____

Degree received and graduation year: _____

Graduate school(s) to which you have applied:

_____ Accepted: Yes

_____ Accepted: Yes

Expected graduation date and major: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Questions may be directed to GFWC MA Graduate Scholarship Chairman Lynne Stader: Lynne@stader.org

Failure to comply with the above requirements will result in disqualification.