



HOLLINS ABROAD

Hollins Abroad-Paris

Application for Visiting Student Merit Award

IMPORTANT! COMPLETE THIS FORM ONLY IF YOU ARE APPLYING FOR A MERIT AWARD.

Hollins University is committed to helping students study abroad, and we're pleased that you are considering our program in Paris. Our merit awards are intended to assist students for whom a modest amount of financial aid can make a difference and financially allow them to participate in the Hollins Abroad Paris program. Award decisions are based upon a combination of academic merit and financial need. Please note that the merit awards can only be applied towards the comprehensive program fee.

In order to apply for the Visiting Student Merit Award, please complete the following application and mail it to the Hollins Abroad office by October 31st for the spring term or calendar year and March 31st for the fall term or academic year.

THE APPLICATION PROCESS

Step One: Fill out the "Student Information" areas on both sides of this form.

Step Two: Ask your study abroad advisor to complete the Study Abroad Advisor section below.

Step Three: Ask your financial aid administrator to complete the Financial Aid Administrator section on the reverse side of this form.

Step Four: Please submit with this form an essay no fewer than 250 words describing how your academic and personal choices have reflected "enthusiasm for and commitment to the study of French language and culture."

Step Five: Mail your completed application to the Hollins Abroad Office, Hollins University, P.O. Box 9597, Roanoke, VA 24020.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name (please print): _____ Birth Date: _____

Study Period: Fall ____ ; Spring ____ ; Calendar Year ____ ; Academic Year ____

I will graduate in (month/year) _____ Cumulative GPA _____ on a 4.0 scale.

Present Institution _____

E-mail Address _____

Authorization: I give my permission to release financial aid data on file to the Hollins Abroad Office for the purpose of evaluating my application for financial support.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDY ABROAD ADVISOR

Name: _____ Title: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

E-mail Address: _____

I acknowledge that the student named above is an applicant to indicated program.

Advisor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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TO BE COMPLETED BY FINANCIAL AID ADMINISTRATOR

The student named above is applying for financial support toward the cost of the Hollins Abroad Paris program. Your help is requested with this application. Please use estimated data and mark the estimated box if actual amounts are not yet available. We suggest you use your home institution's cost of attendance, as we have found it very unusual for grant awards to increase when students study abroad. The Hollins Abroad Paris program comprehensive fee for the 2008-09 Academic Year is \$18,475 and covers all program costs including tuition, room and board. It does not include transatlantic airfare.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____ E-mail Address _____

Administrator's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Institution's Current Annual Cost of Attendance for a Resident Student \$ _____

Institution's Cost of Attendance for the Term Indicated (see above) \$ _____

Student's Expected Family Contribution (from FAFSA) \$ _____ Year _____

Financial Aid Expected for the Term Indicated Above*

	Check if Estimated	Amount	Would Award Transfer for study abroad?
Grants:			
Federal Pell Grant	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Federal SEOG Grant	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
State Grant	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
College Merit Awards	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
College Need-Based Grants	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Other (please list)			
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Total Grants:			
Loans:			
Federal Subsidized Stafford Loan	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Federal Unsubsidized Stafford Loan	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Federal Perkins Loan	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Institutional Student Loan	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Federal PLUS Loan	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Other (please list)			
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	__ Yes __ No
Total Loans:			
Total Aid:			

**Institutional and federal work study grants may be ignored for this request.*

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