

Study Abroad Italy • Scholarship Application

Complete all items below. If unable to provide the information requested, state the reason in the space provided or include an attached letter. The applicant assumes complete responsibility for ensuring that all requested information is sent as a complete packet. Faxed applications will not be accepted. SAI assumes no responsibility for procuring information. Scholarship application deadlines are: June 1 for Fall semester and October 15 for Spring semester. A current transcript of college courses must accompany your application.

Academic Year: _____

Name: _____ DOB: ____ / ____ / ____

Social Security Number: _____ / ____ / _____ E-mail: _____

Home Address: _____

Secondary Address: _____

Telephone Number: (____) _____ - _____ Fax Number: (____) _____ - _____

Current College: _____

Class Level : FR SO JR SR GRAD OTHER Enrollment Status: F/T P/T

Major/Field of Study: _____ Minor: _____ Cumulative GPA: _____

Previous college (if any): _____

If awarded, school you plan to attend: _____

Term/Semester you would attend: _____

Program or area of study: _____

What background do you have in this area: _____

Extra-curricular activities/interests: _____

Financial Information: Complete the information requested of the independent or the dependent student (based on how your education and living costs are met). You are a dependent student if you are under 24 years of age and you're not: (1) a ward of the court; (2) married and living away from your parents; (3) claimed by your parents for two consecutive years and earned at least \$4,000 in each of those two years; (4) serving in the military.

*** If you have not filed taxes by the time you are filling this out, you must use estimated figures from the previous year and include a copy of that year's IRS form. This application will be considered incomplete without the appropriate Federal Income Tax forms.**

Independent Student:

\$ _____ Current Student/Spouse Adjusted Gross Income (form 1040, line 33; 1040A, line 18; 1040EZ, line 4)

\$ _____ Nontaxable Income \$ _____ Medical/Dental expenses not covered by insurance

\$ _____ Total Income \$ _____ Cash, Savings, stocks, Bonds, CD's, etc..

_____ Family Size (including applicant, spouse, other household members if they receive more than one-half their support from student).

Dependent Student:

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Telephone Number: (____) _____ - _____ Fax: (____) _____ - _____

Occupation: _____

\$ _____ Current Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Adjusted Gross Income (form 1040, line 33; 1040A, line 18; 1040EZ, line 4)

\$ _____ Nontaxable Income

\$ _____ Total Income

_____ Family Size: always include yourself (applicant), and your parent(s). Include other household members if they receive more than 1/2 their support from you and your spouse.

Additional Information:

List any additional sources of financial aid and amounts (including scholarships, loans, etc): _____

Have you experienced any financial hardship not adequately expressed in the above information: _____

Please submit the following along with the completed scholarship application:

- A typed personal statement.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- All applicable tax forms and information.
- Official transcript from most recent school or university (if less than 24 credit hours, please include previous transcripts as well).

I (we) certify that all the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my (our) knowledge. If asked by any authorized official of Study Abroad Italy, I (we) agree to provide documentation for information given on this form. I (we) realize that failure to comply with a request for further information may prevent the applicant from receiving a grant.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Personal Statement

This is your opportunity for the Scholarship Committee to know you individually. While GPA and financial need are important selection criteria, a well written personal statement can set one student apart from others. There is no single way to respond here. The topic(s) can vary, although some discussion related to international study/travel (i.e., educational plans and/or career goals) is recommended. Art students may choose to supplement their statement with pictures/slides of their work. Remember, your effort here will be subject to thorough review, so be sure that the final draft reflects not only your thoughts, but your writing and organizational skills as well.

Essays are limited to a single page (this form can be used if you like) and must be typed. This form must be signed and attached (if applicable) to your statement.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____