

Academic-Year Ambassadorial Scholarships US\$27,000 awarded for one academic year of study abroad

- Support approximately 500 students studying abroad annually
- Introduce scholars to the cultures of over 60 different countries
- Have created a worldwide network of over 40.000 alumni
- Have empowered students to improve international understanding for over 60 years

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The Ambassadorial Scholarships program supports the vision of The Rotary Foundation to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace by:

- Increasing awareness of and respect for cultural differences by sending ambassadors of goodwill to study in another country
- Instilling in scholars the Rotary ideal of Service Above Self through active participation in Rotary service projects
- Encouraging scholars to dedicate their personal and professional lives to improving the quality of life for the people of their home communities and countries.
- Developing leaders who can address the humanitarian needs of the world community
- Impacting all areas of the world through a balanced geographical distribution of scholars.
- Encouraging Rotarians worldwide to increase the educational opportunities for scholars from low-income countries
- Fostering a lifelong association between Rotary and its scholars

During the study period, scholars are expected to be outstanding ambassadors of goodwill to the people of the host country through presentations before Rotary clubs and districts, schools, civic organizations, and other forums. After study has been completed, scholars share their experiences with the people of their home countries and Rotarians who sponsored their scholarships.

Application Procedures

Applicant must submit a COMPLETE application form to one of the Rotary Clubs in District 3450 (Hong Kong, Macao & Mongolia) for Rotary Club endorsement.

Information for individual Rotary Clubs can be found from the Rotary International District 3450 website (http://www.rotary3450.org/). Applicants should allow time for obtaining club endorsement before the application deadline. Applicants should be prepared for personal interviews at the discretion of the sponsor Rotarians at both the club and district levels.

Completed application form with Rotary Club endorsement and all supporting documents should be sent to The Rotary Information Centre, 14/F Capital Commercial Building, 26 Leighton Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong by 29th July 2011. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Eligibility

- Applicant must be a permanent resident of Hong Kong or Macao or a citizen of Mongolia
- The scholarships are for postgraduate studies in the academic year 2012/13
- The scholarships are not open to students seeking to continue studies already begun at a foreign institute
- Applicants must be proficient in the most commonly spoken language of the proposed host country
- Applicant cannot apply to study in a country where he/she has previously lived or studied for more than twelve months
- Applicant must commit him/herself to reside in District 3450 in the year immediately before the scholarship year
- Successful applicants must attend all orientation programs organized by District 3450; failure to do so may lead to withdrawal of the scholarship offer.
- Candidates cannot be Rotarians, Honorary Rotarians, or employees of a club, district, or other Rotary entity or of Rotary International. Spouses, lineal descendants, and ancestors of persons in the foregoing categories are also include.
- Candidates must have completed at least two years of university or college course work at the time the scholarship period begins or have a secondary school education with employment in a recognized vocation for at least two years

Contact US

Should you need more information, please do not he sitate to contact us by email at

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You can also visit the following websites to obtain more information and download the application form:

Rotary District 3450 -

http://www.rotary3450.org/service/scholarship

Rotary International -

http://www.rotary.org/en/StudentsAndYouth/EducationalPrograms/AmbassadorialScholarships

Application Deadline

Deadline for applications: 29th July 2011

1st round of selection interviews to be held on 13 August 2011 and on 20 August 2011

2nd round of selection interviews to be held in **the** afternoon of 27 August 2011

