Anne Doyle International Student Award
StudyIowa Travel Grant

Scholarship Application

**WHAT IS STUDY IOWA?**
StudyIowa is a nonprofit consortium organized to promote the State of Iowa as a premier destination for education and training for students from all nations.

**WHY STUDY IN IOWA?**
- One of the best educational systems in the U.S.
  - Iowa students consistently rank among the top three states in the U.S. as measured by college entrance exam scores.
- Safe and supportive campuses and communities.
  - Iowa ranks among the safest places in the U.S. Students find a sense of openness and hospitality to individuals from around the globe.
- A wide variety of institutions.
  - Iowa boasts 3 state universities, 31 private colleges and universities, and 15 community colleges. The strength of Iowa’s higher education system rests in its breadth and diversity.
- Iowa is a good value.
  - Compared to other colleges and universities, tuition/fees in Iowa are considered a good value. Costs of housing, food, clothing, and other expenses are also generally lower in Iowa.

**DESCRIPTION**
This non-renewable award of $1,000 will be awarded to an incoming international student who plans to attend a Study Iowa member College or University on an F-1 student visa.

The award recipient will be chosen based on his or her academic record, essays and recommendation letters.

**Award Eligibility Requirements:**
1. First semester in a U.S. institution.
2. Undergraduate
3. Degree Seeking
4. Application for admission has been submitted to a Study Iowa member institution.

**Decisions will be made in April for awards. Awards will be disbursed in 2 payments: $500 after enrollment in fall term and $500 after enrollment in spring term.**

**APPLICATION FORM**

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To which StudyIowa institution have you applied? 

Last school attended

**ON SEPARATE SHEETS OF PAPER, PLEASE RESPOND TO THE FOLLOWING:**
(750 word limit)

1. How have you demonstrated outstanding academic achievements?
2. Explain how this scholarship can help you achieve your goals?
3. Describe at least two reasons you have chosen to pursue your education in Iowa.

**DEADLINE FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS:** April 1

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1. Fill out the form completely.
2. Submit two recommendation letters (in English; or provide translation) from teachers or counselors who can comment on your ability to succeed academically and socially in the U.S..
3. Submit this application form and supporting documents by April 1st to:

**Contact:**
Pattricia A. Cook
Room 749
210 Walnut Street
Des Moines, Iowa 50309

Any questions can be sent by e-mail to:
patricia.cook@trade.gov

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