## Rotary 5440 Global Scholarship

## **Terms and Conditions**

- 1. Scholar must be pursuing a career in one of the six Areas of Focus.
  - a. Promoting Peace
  - b. Fighting Disease
  - c. Providing Clean Water
  - d. Saving Mothers and Children
  - e. Supporting Education
  - f. Growing the local economies
- 2. Scholars must be in good standing and well above average at their institution.
- 3. The scholar must be traveling abroad for study. He/she cannot be a citizen of that country nor a resident.
- Scholar must work in, attend school in, or be a resident of District 5440 (which includes northern Colorado, Wyoming, the panhandle of Nebraska as well as one club in Eastern Idaho)
- 5. The program can be no less than one academic year and not more than four academic years.
- 6. Program of study (academic, research or equivalent) must be at the graduate level.
- 7. The University where the studies will be done must be accredited.
- 8. The scholarship grant amount is \$30,000. for the entire course of study.
- 9. Scholar must fill out an application on the Rotary International website with the guidance of their Rotary club sponsor.
- 10. Scholarship funds may only be used to fund or help fund: Tuition and Fees, Housing, Airfare, Meals, Books and Educational Supplies. All other costs are the responsibility of the student.
- 11. Scholar will be living in the immediate vicinity of the approved study institution.

- 12.Scholar will have a District 5440 sponsoring club mentor and an international sponsor and a committee made up of at least 3 Rotarians from a club near where the studies will take place.
- 13.Scholar will attend an orientation prior to travel.
- 14.Scholarship must not be used for studies in semesters that are currently in process. They can be for upcoming semesters of graduate programs in which a student is currently studying (.e.g. second or third years of a PhD program)
- 15. The Scholar may NOT be (1) a Rotarian; (2) an employee of a club, district, or any other Rotary entity, or of Rotary International; (3) the spouse, a descendant, or an ancestor (parent or grandparent by blood) of any person in the foregoing two categories. The scholar MAY BE a member of a Rotaract Club.
- 16. Scholar agrees to keep all receipts, copies of checks and bank statements related to expenses covered by the scholarship and file a report at the end of the studies.
- 17.Scholar agrees to visit the Rotary clubs that are in the region that sponsored the scholarship after the studies are complete.
- 18. Scholar agrees to become a member of district 5440 scholarship alumni.
- 19. To permit District 5440 to use their name and all photographs and written reports generated through any activities related to the scholarship.
- 20. That the scholarship may be revoked for any of the following reasons: inability to secure admission to the program; low level of academic achievement; evidence of misconduct; failure to submit required reports on time; change in study program without the consent of the University Study of Abroad Program and Rotary District 5440; withdrawal from the program prior to expiration of the scholarship term; failure to perform duties. I understand that revocation of a scholarship shall cause all payments to cease and may make me liable for the return of payments previously provided.
- 21. That Rotary International, The Rotary Foundation, Rotary District 5440 and it's clubs and individual Rotarians, The University Study Abroad Program, and the study institution or program are in no way liable for a scholar's

personal welfare or responsible for enabling a scholar to pursue his or her studies beyond the scholarship period. The above entities assume no responsibility or obligations whatsoever beyond providing the amount of the scholarship.

22. If I receive another fully funded scholarship for the same studies, I will notify my Rotary contact, and funding from this scholarship will be discontinued.

If I receive the Rotary Global Grant scholarship, I agree to follow the above Terms and Conditions.

Name

Date

Signature