2016 - 2017
Ambassadorial Global Grant Scholarships

Rotary Foundation Global Grants can be used to fund scholarships with sustainable, high-impact outcomes in one of Rotary’s six areas of focus: peace and conflict prevention/resolution, disease prevention and treatment, water and sanitation, maternal and child health, basic education and literacy, economic and community development.

Ambassadorial Global Grant Scholarships are for graduate study during one academic year abroad and provide a cash grant of no more than $50,000 from which the applicant must provide for round-trip transportation, tuition and fees, room, board and language training (if necessary) and living expenses.

TERMS OF SCHOLARSHIPS
• Scholars are required to attend at least one orientation seminar if offered in their district or region.
• Study or training must be undertaken in another country or territory where there are Rotary clubs.
• Each scholar is responsible for applying directly to the assigned institution, gaining admission, and obtaining required visas.
• Scholars may receive additional funding from other sources during the scholarship period.
• Any applicant whose native language is not that of the proposed country of study must submit evidence of the ability to read, write and speak the language of that country even if the course of study is done in English.

IMPORTANT DATES For Interested Clubs
• Seek qualified applicants Fall 2014 and 1st Quarter 2015
• Sponsor clubs screen and select applicants January - April 2015
• Applicants submit application to sponsoring Rotary Club April 15, 2015
• Sponsor clubs submit applications to District Scholarship Committee June 1, 2015, including a preliminary costs proposal for the Scholarship to meet the minimum $30,000 requirement. The costs are to include all tuition, books, travel, living expenses and a one month language training course in the country of destination as required. A local project in the country of destination can be included if necessary to meet the $30,000 minimum. A Club Endorsement form must also be submitted to the Scholarship Committee.
• In addition to the Rotary Global Grant application, a University transcript, a photo and 2 letters of recommendation must be submitted.
• Coach and prepare applicant for District Interview June - July 2015.
• Host and Sponsor Districts submit applications online to TRF June 2016 for approval on July 1, 2016.

Each Rotary Club in District 7770 may submit two (2) applications for the Academic Year.

Applications and additional information are available on the District Database www.dacdb.com or please contact: Chair Rotary Scholarship Program -Beth Wingard 803-422-3741 bethwngrd@gmail.com
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