



NSEP David L. Boren Graduate Scholarships

The National Security Education Program (NSEP) David L. Boren Undergraduate Scholarships supports study abroad opportunities for study of cultures, languages and world regions that are critical to U.S. interests including Africa, Asia, Central & Eastern Europe, Eurasia, Latin America, the Caribbean and the Middle East. NSEP Boren Fellowships are intended to provide or add to the international component of U.S. graduate student's education, providing support for overseas study, domestic study, or a combination of both. Applicants design their own programs either conducting research, participating in an internship or formally studying the language and culture of the area in which they are located.

Fellowship awards are made for a minimum of one semester and a maximum of two years. The maximum award is \$30,000; \$12,000 per semester for up to two semesters for overseas study, and \$12,000 maximum for domestic only study. Students must be enrolled at an accredited U.S. institution and pursuing a graduate degree; graduating seniors must provide proof of acceptance into a graduate program to receive the award.

The NSEP service requirement stipulates that a recipient must work a minimum of one year in the Departments of Defense, Homeland Security, State, or the Intelligence Community, or in exceptional cases, may work in any U.S. federal department or agency with national security responsibilities.

Foundation Deadline: January 30, 2008

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