

COE 2010 International Leadership Training Program
KEITH SHERIN GLOBAL LEADERS SCHOLARSHIPS
NOMINATION FORM

“World Citizenship: Building Leadership Skills in a Multicultural Society”

June 19—July 10, 2010

Application Deadline: February 1, 2010 (RECEIVED BY, NOT POSTMARKED BY)

Deposit of \$500 due February 1, 2010 (RECEIVED BY, NOT POSTMARKED BY)

Total cost with stipend: \$2,700

I. To Be Completed by the TRIO Director

I am nominating _____ for participation in this program, who meets all of the requirements checked below. He/she is:

___ A participant in the (Student Support Services/McNair) TRIO program at _____

___ Seeking a degree at this college or university in _____

___ A student in good social and academic standing Cumulative GPA (at time of application): _____

___ Has demonstrated leadership potential and has the fitness, motivation, and maturity to participate in the activities of this study program

___ Has at least sophomore status as of the 2008-09 academic year

Has the student ever been suspended or dismissed from your institution? Yes ___ No ___
(If yes, please submit a letter of explanation.)

I verify that the student applying is, or will be, a full-time student during the spring 2010 term. I will assist the nominee in securing the remaining financing and academic credit for the program and in meeting pre-departure requirements. An unofficial academic transcript is being submitted with this application.

Signed by: _____ Please print name _____

Title: _____ Program _____

Campus Address _____

City/State/Zip _____ E-mail Address _____

Daytime Phone _____ Fax# _____ Home Phone _____

Required Enclosures (please check):

___ Letter of endorsement from the TRIO director supporting student's application and explaining student's demonstrated leadership ability.

___ Installment of \$500 (due 2/1/10) by check made payable to the Council for Opportunity in Education (deposit to be refunded in the event student is not chosen).

___ Academic transcript (unofficial acceptable).

___ Two- to three-page student essay describing his/her interest in travel and study abroad and its relation to academic, personal, and professional goals.

Return completed application form and enclosures to:
COE 2009 International Leadership Training Program/Council for Opportunity in Education
1025 Vermont Avenue, NW, Suite 900 Attn: Holly Hexter
Washington, D.C. 20005

II. To Be Completed by the Student

Name: (Print your name exactly as it appears, or will appear, on your passport. This information will be used for ticketing purposes. The name on your ticket must be identical to that on your passport.)

First Name _____ Middle Name _____ Last Name _____

TRIO Program _____

Academic Major _____ Expected graduation date _____

Birthdate: _____ E-mail: _____

School Address (primary address during spring semester) _____

City/State/Zip _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone _____ Cell phone (if applicable) _____

Secondary Address (where you can be reached between the end of quarter/semester and departure date) _____

City/State/Zip _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone _____

Status as of the end of the 2009–10 Fall Term: ___ Sophomore ___ Junior ___ Senior
 Major: _____ Minor: _____ Cumulative GPA _____

Your citizenship status
 U.S. Citizen _____
 U.S. permanent resident _____
 Other (describe) _____

Gender: Male ___ Female ___
 Ethnicity:
 African American ___
 Hispanic/Latino ___
 Asian American ___
 American Indian ___
 White/Non Hispanic ___
 Other (specify) _____

References: Please list the name, telephone number, and e-mail of two references who may be contacted regarding your participation (do not include friends or family members).

Name _____ Phone _____
 E-mail _____ Relationship/title _____

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How did you learn about this study abroad/leadership training program?

Have you ever traveled abroad? Yes No
If yes, where? Canada Mexico Other (please specify _____)
For how long? _____

Which of the following most influenced your decision to apply for this study abroad program? (check all that apply)

Career enhancement Educational goals TRIO staff member Academic adviser
 Academic challenge Personal growth Interest in other cultures Foreign language study
 Other (please describe)

What activities have you participated in that would demonstrate your leadership potential, on campus and/or outside campus?

(Attach an extra sheet if necessary)

The following information will help us determine whether you qualify for this scholarship.

My program fee will be partially covered
 fully covered

Do you plan to use financial aid? Yes No Have you filed a FAFSA for the study abroad period? _____

Other sources of funding _____

I am currently seeking \$ _____ in funds to cover the program costs and other expenses associated with this trip.

I have raised all funds necessary to cover the program costs and other expenses associated with this trip.

I authorize the Council to discuss with my TRIO adviser details concerning my eligibility for this scholarship.

I understand that by signing this form I agree that:

- I give permission for the Council to release my student records and transcript to persons directly involved with the acceptance and processing of my application.
- Admission to the study and leadership program is based on the listed eligibility criteria.
- Upon acceptance into the program, I will return a decision form within two weeks of the date of the formal acceptance letter.
- If I am not accepted into the program, my deposit of \$500 will be refunded.
- I will meet the following payment deadlines: \$500 due February 1, 2010; \$850 due March 15, 2010; \$850 due April 15, 2010; and \$500 due May 15, 2010. I will complete, sign and return the required health/emergency treatment form and statement of student responsibility by the indicated deadlines.
- The Council and the sponsoring institutions reserve the right to cancel the tour. In that event, my payment will be refunded.
- If I later withdraw (by written notice only) from the study tour, the uncommitted portion of my program fee (recoverable transportation, travel agency, housing, or class activity fees) will be refunded, minus a \$250 handling fee. No refunds will be granted after May 15, 2010.
- I will sign and complete all registration forms, health forms, and other documents that may be required and return them in a timely fashion. I understand that failure to complete and return the forms may result in being dropped from the program. If I am not a U.S. citizen, I will assume responsibility for obtaining the necessary visas prior to my departure.

Participant's signature

Date

Please return pages 2 and 3 to your TRIO director for mailing with 1) an unofficial transcript and 2) a 2- to 3-page essay on why you are motivated to travel and study abroad, what personal strengths you have that make you a good candidate for this program, and how this study abroad experience would further your academic, personal and professional goals. Thank you!