**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION WORKSHEET**

Gilman applicants must be U.S. citizens and receive the Federal Pell Grant

(Tips below are good for ALL Scholarship Applications)

**Application deadlines:**
- Gilman: October 6, 2015 @ 9:59pm - www.iie.org/gilman
- UCEAP $1.5 Million Promise Awards - Spring Programs: September 15, 2015
- UCEAP Duttenhaver Scholarship: October 1, 2015
- UCSB EAP Gaucho Scholarship: October 9, 2015- www.eap.ucsb.edu
- www.eap.ucop.edu/scholarships

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**EAP staff could brainstorm essay/project ideas and review your essays! Find out how to get help at www.eap.ucsb.edu/finances.**

Your Name:
EAP Country/Program/Term:
Your major(s):
Your minor:
Cumulative GPA:
Class standing while on EAP:
Do you receive the Federal Pell Grant?
Which scholarships will you apply for? UCEAP Promise Awards, UCEAP Duttenhaver/Dan Wise, Gilman Scholarship, Other (list)

**Meet the following diversity categories:**
- First-generation college student
- Transfer student
- Non-traditional student (older than 23 years old)
- Under-represented student
- Disabled student (physical or learning)
- Major (Science/Engineering/Math)

Be sure to self-disclose this information in your essay. Ex) Please state that you are an older student, 1st generation college student, Latino, etc.

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**UCEAP $1.5 Million Promise Awards Application Details**

Do **NOT** submit your UCSB EAP Statement of Purpose for this scholarship. Be sure to address each of items below.

1. **Academic Goals:** Describe how the country and language (if applicable) and specific program you selected will help you achieve your academic goals. Include specific opportunities, courses, projects, or goals you plan to pursue while abroad, and explain why studying abroad is the best way to accomplish them.

2. **Career Goals:** Describe how the country and language (if applicable) and specific program you selected will help you achieve your career goals.

3. **Students with financial need or who are traditionally under-represented** in UCEAP programs should include the impact these elements have had on their decision to study abroad.

   Under-represented students include those who have transferred to UC from a California community college or state university, veterans, first-generation college students, participants of year-long programs, and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) majors.

Your statement of purpose should be a clear, concise statement, with a maximum of two pages (either single or double-spaced). Please include your name, UC campus, country, and program information at the top of each page. It must be uploaded as a PDF document.

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**Gilman Statement of Purpose**

Gilman Application:
1) Statement of Purpose & 2) Project Proposal = Each approx. 2 pages/7000 characters max, incl. spaces

Do **NOT** submit your UCSB EAP Statement of Purpose for this scholarship.

**Why do you need to study in your EAP country? Why is your program good for your major/minor? What academic reasons (if any) do you have for wanting to study in your chosen country and not a different country? How will your EAP courses fit into your academic plans at UCSB?**

Think about your coursework abroad. One way to brainstorm this section is to complete the following sentence:

“I need to study in country X for my major because.....I’m choosing this country and not a different country because....”

If you’re studying in Spain, you should also address why you need to study in Spain and not Latin America.

**Student notes/advisor notes:**

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Will your EAP program help you achieve your **career goals**? If yes, how?

**Student notes/advisor notes:**

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Will your EAP program help you achieve your **personal goals**? If yes, how?

**Student notes/advisor notes:**

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Do you have plans to **intern** or **volunteer** abroad? Do you have plans to **conduct research** abroad?

**Student notes/advisor notes:**
How will your project help promote studying abroad and the Gilman scholarship?

Your project could be associated with an activity or organization you are already affiliated with. See the Gilman site for project examples. Must be well-developed, feasible and achievable. Must include:

- **Who** is the project geared towards?
- **Where** will your project take place?
- **Why** are you proposing this project?
- **How** will you carry out the project and what tools will you use?

For a **blog**, think about:
1) Where will you host your blog. It needs to reach further than your social circle.
2) Will you host a general blog or will you focus on a specific topic?

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DO NOT WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION ONLINE.

- **Official UCSB transcript (and transfer transcript if applicable)**: You must submit one with your application. Carefully review the transcript information on the Gilman website.
- Applicants must study abroad for at least four weeks in one country. Programs going to more than one country are eligible if the student will be studying in one country for at least four consecutive weeks.
- The applicant must be studying or interning abroad in any country except Cuba or a country on the U.S. Department of State's current Travel Warning list. Students applying to programs in Mexico may only apply for scholarships to support study in Mexican states where no advisory is in effect according to the U.S. Department of State Travel Warning list.

Complete application details: [http://www.iie.org/gilman](http://www.iie.org/gilman)