

EAP Academic Immersion Scholarship

The EAP Academic Immersion Scholarship promotes immersive international education by providing financial support to UC Santa Barbara students who study abroad and who are qualified to receive financial aid. The Fund shall support at least one qualified student participating in the Education Abroad Program at UC Santa Barbara on an annual basis. Selection will be made for students participating in a year-long (or semester if there are no qualified applicants participating in a year-long program) academic immersion program. The endowed scholarship fund will ensure long-term scholarship funding, enabling the opportunity to build a cohort of EAP Academic Immersion Scholars and establish a lasting legacy of future EAP alumni whose lives will be forever changed as a result of their academic and cultural experience living and studying in a foreign country.

Qualified applicants will be selected who meet the following criteria:

- (1) The student is not majoring in a foreign language and preference will be given to students majoring in a STEM field.
- (2) The student will be participating in an EAP program at a university in a country where English is not the native language.
- (3) The student will primarily be enrolled in classes taught in the local language.