

The German Study Abroad Scholarship Application

Name: ______

Germany Program where I intend to study is: Würzburg Summer Program [__] Saarland University Exchange Program [__] Goethe Institute [__] Other [__] (Must be approved by the German Department.)

The program of study is for the summer [___] of this year and/or the first semester [___], second semester [___] of the upcoming academic year. (Check as many as are applicable.)

Current G.P.A. _____ Grade point average in German classes at Hillsdale: ______

I certify that the above-named student has had the equivalent or is enrolled in four (4) semesters of German at Hillsdale College with a grade of A or B. **Signature of German Professor, Advisor or Registrar**:

I recommend that above-named student be considered for a study-abroad scholarship:

Signature of Hillsdale College German professor: _____

The above-named student demonstrates financial need.
Signature of financial Aid Director:

Please submit complete applications to:

Dr. Fred Yaniga Chairman and Associate Professor of German Director, Germany Study Programs Delp 303 Hillsdale College <u>fyaniga@hillsdale.edu</u> T. 517-607-2490 (Please view application guidelines on back.)

Guidelines for Awarding the German Study Abroad Scholarship

Requirements

The applicant must:

- 1. Have completed four semesters of German or the equivalent by the time of his/her study abroad -
- 2. Be recommended by a Hillsdale College German professor -
- 3. Intend to enroll in a study abroad program approved by the German department. Any award will be contingent upon acceptance of its recipient in the approved program -
- 4. Demonstrate financial need.

Procedure

- 1. The application submitted must include the student's current G.P.A as well as his/her average in German courses taken at Hillsdale.
- 2. The application should include signatures certifying that above requirements have been met.
- 3. The application should be accompanied by a letter explaining the student's reason for wanting to study abroad while stating plans for further study and career.

Awarding of Scholarship

Decisions for awarding this scholarship will be made by members of the German department in consultation with Financial Aid. The following criteria are employed:

- 1. The merit of the petition as demonstrated by the applicant having fulfilled the above requirements and having shown superior scholarship and character at Hillsdale College.
- 2. The merit of the applicant's letter of intent.
- 3. Applications must be submitted by **February 15** of the academic year in which the scholarship would be used. Awarding of scholarship will occur in advance of the planned study, usually at the spring semester's Honors Assembly.