

FRANK CHUA INTERNATIONAL STUDY SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship has been established through the generous donation of SRU alumnus, Frank Chua. Frank came to SRU from Singapore to study history and was a non-traditional aged student. He graduated in 1991, later earned his Ph.D. from Penn State University, and now teaches history at Mansfield University of PA.

This scholarship is to provide financial assistance to students who are willing to step out of their comfort zone to explore a strikingly new experience in a different part of the world. Preference will be given to native born Americans and those undergraduate students seeking to study abroad for Asia or Asian Studies. Award amount \$600 per academic year. Requirements include the completed application form, a resume, a 1-2 page typed essay, one letter of recommendation and a minimum GPA of 2.5. Consideration will also be given to financial need.

Slippery Rock University
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*Please return the application form, your resume, letter of recommendation and 1-2 page essay to the Office for Global Engagement by **October 1st** if you are studying abroad in the Spring semester or **March 1st** if you are studying abroad in the Summer or Fall semester. Please type or print all information.*

Frank Chua International Study Scholarship Application

Biographical information:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone number _____

Email _____

Study Abroad Host Institution _____

Educational information:

Major(s) _____

GPA _____

Academic Advisor _____

Criteria:

- Approval for study abroad program for one or more semesters. (Note: you can still apply if your acceptance to a program is pending)
- Financial need
- Good academic standing (Minimum 2.5 G.P.A)

Please submit the following:

- Application form
- Resume
- Essay: In 1-2 pages, describe how the culture of your intended destination is different from your own and why you chose this culture, what you expect to gain from this experience, and how you can benefit academically from this experience.
- One letter of recommendation

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