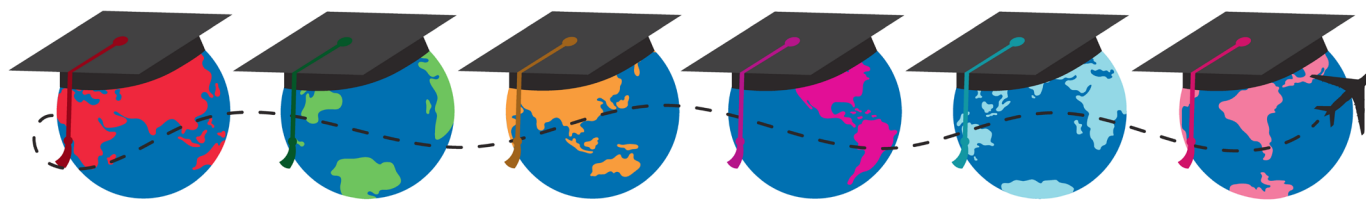


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SCHOLARSHIP

#YouAreWelcomeHere Scholarship Application

The #YouAreWelcomeHere scholarship recognizes international students who have a vision for enhancing intercultural understanding. Participating institutions will award annual, renewable scholarships covering a minimum of 50% tuition. The scholarship is open to students of all academic majors and fields of study. Students should submit this scholarship application to each participating college or university to which they are applying.

Eligibility Criteria

- Be a first-year international applicant to a participating college or university. An international applicant is an individual who holds citizenship in a country outside the United States and who does not also possess US citizenship or permanent residency.
- Attend (or have graduated from) a secondary school outside of the United States.
- Demonstrate interest and personal initiative in activities involving intercultural learning and exchange.

Application Process

1. Students applying for SUNY New Paltz should first complete and submit the online application at suny.edu/applysuny or commonapp.org.
2. Submit the one-page #YouAreWelcomeHere application to intadmissions@newpaltz.edu by February 1, 2020.
3. If awarded a scholarship, claim it by submitting the \$250 pre-enrollment deposit to SUNY New Paltz within 15 days of award notification.

Timeline for SUNY New Paltz

Application Submission: February 1, 2020*

Pre-Enrollment Deposit: Within 15 days of notification of award

Website

For more information on the #YouAreWelcomeHere Scholarship, visit youarewelcomehereusa.org/scholarship or refer to the SUNY New Paltz website at www.newpaltz.edu/youarewelcomehere.

**Transfer Art majors: Results of portfolios will also be due by this time in order for the committee to make the admission decision. Instructions for submitting portfolios will be provided upon receipt of your application for admission).*

Application (Please print clearly in ink or type responses)

1 Legal Name: _____
Last (family) First (given) Middle (if none, indicate none)

2 Mailing Address: _____
Street Apartment name and number (if applicable)

City Province or state Postal or zip code Country

3 Email: _____ 4 Telephone: _____

5 Country of Citizenship: _____ 6 Academic Major: _____

7 Date of Birth: _____
Month Day Year

8 Personal Statement (required)

Please respond to the following question in the form of a 500-1000 word written essay or a 2-5 minute video. Essays may be written in the space provided, or you may attach your response to this application. Videos should be submitted directly to each school for which you apply for a scholarship.

In looking forward to your future education and career, what significant activity, research, work or project do you hope to undertake in support of intercultural learning and bridging cultural divides? Please describe your ideas in detail.

☐ I agree that my name, country of origin, academic major, photo and essay may be shared publicly in promotion of #YouAreWelcomeHere if I am selected for an award.

X _____
Applicant's Signature Date