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Travel and Language Study Grants
Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures
2021-2022

The Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures is pleased to announce the competition for undergraduate and graduate students who are traveling to study in Russia or Eastern Europe (to study language, literature and culture), and seek funding.

Grants are provided to students who may be seeking additional language study during the summer or are participating in a study abroad program focusing on language, literature or culture during the regular academic year. (Requests for other travel funding – conferences, research, special projects, etc. – may also be considered.)

COVID 2020 -2022 exemption: We hope that travel will be possible in Summer 2022. If not, we would also sponsor **language programs located in the United States**, such as Middlebury Language Schools. Please consider actual travel to the destination that is the subject of your research/language study your priority, but do include possible alternatives should the pandemic again prevent you again from travelling in 2022.

Questions? Please contact Prof. Martina Kerlova at: m-kerlova@northwestern.edu

Students with no previous travel experience are highly encouraged to apply. Successful applicants should have a cumulative GPA higher than 3.0 at the undergraduate level and higher than 3.5 at the graduate level. Please submit your application by **January 14, 2022**.

To apply for a grant, please complete and submit this form to the Slavic Department:

Date: _____

Name: _____

Email and phone: _____

Undergraduate Graduate

Major and Minor: _____

Graduate program: _____

Year at Northwestern: _____

Describe your program, including, if possible, name, location, dates, & cost (100 words or less):

Please explain how this trip fits into your academic or career plans (100 words or less)

Alternative use of your grant if travel restrictions take place (if you have any, not a condition):

NOTE: In addition to the information above, before a grant can be awarded, we will need:

- Proof of acceptance into this program or conference
- An estimated budget, showing total costs (airfare, fees, living expenses, etc.). Please indicate what funds you have already and any other anticipated sources of support
- A copy of your unofficial transcript

Submission deadline:

Please submit a combined pdf of your application to:

Prof. Martina Kerlova m-kerlova@northwestern.edu by **Friday, January 14, 2022.**

The awardees will be contacted by the end of February.