



Global Scholars Program

“Traveling makes you challenge your views; in a way you didn’t think it would. This is important because as a person who is part of a n interconnected world, we should strive to do so.”

- Cristina Loerea, Global Scholars Alum

What is the Global Scholars Program?

The **Global Scholar Program** seeks to create distinction and recognition for students who have attended campus events, completed globally-focused classes, conducted research, worked in a international environment and/or traveled with the university. This award is granted to students who have shown their interest of global affairs and will be awarded in unison with a study abroad program at TAMUC.

Benefits of Becoming a Global Scholar

- Certificate of completion (Global Scholar Status)
- Special sash/stole at graduation
- Distinction on graduation program, induction and recognition ceremony (e.g., Spring Banquet)
- Personalized letters of recommendation
- Opportunity for travel, travel scholarship and opportunity to share Global Scholar experiences with other students.

Who is eligible to become a Global Scholar?

Students who are:

- Undergraduate Students - Sophomores (45 credits) to Seniors
- Graduate Students - Within their first year of study

When can I use my award if I become a Global Scholar?

Students who have been granted the Global Scholars affinity will be granted their determined award amount when they have been admitted to an overseas program and is conducted through the Office of International Programs. Students who become Global Scholars and do not use their money will forfeit their award amount when graduating from TAMUC.

What are the Application material Requirements?

Your background is important to us as the Global Scholars Program goal is to provide opportunities to students who have shown interest in global research & affairs within the classroom and outside of it. Below are the materials as follows:

- Scholarship Application Letter
 - Application letter is at least **500 words** communicating why you are deserving to become a Global Scholar.
- Up-to-Date Resume
 - This will allow us to see your background on all aspects of your professional, academic, and social/leadership history.
- Evidence of Global Engagement, Research, & Involvement
 - This section of the application is where you can introduce to us your background specifically relating to your global efforts in relation to this program.
- Copy of Transcript / Degree works
 - Provide to OIP a digital copy of your academic records at TAMUC.
- Letter of Recommendation (1)
 - This letter of recommendation should come from someone who can reference your global approach, background, and capabilities when it comes to this program.

Application Deadlines

Students wanting to become a Global Scholar must submit their application materials by:

Fall Application Deadline - October 1, 2022

Winter application Deadline - January 1, 2022

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Global Scholars recipients per each academic year will be limited and the best candidates will be selected on a rolling basis.

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