

Student Travel Scholarship Application
SMU Human Rights Education Program

Student Name _____

Campus Address _____

Permanent Address _____

Cell Phone # _____ Home Phone # _____

Current GPA _____ SMU ID # _____

Email Address _____

Degree Program: _____ Year of Study: _____

Major (if applicable): _____

Minor (if applicable): _____

Are you requesting a scholarship for (please check one):

_____ Human Rights Education Program sponsored travel (e.g. Dr. Halperin's trip to Poland, etc.)

_____ Human rights conference travel (e.g. travel to Amnesty International Regional Conference, etc.)

_____ Human rights training travel

Amount you are requesting: _____

These scholarships are based on financial need. Please discuss in 2-3 sentences your financial need for funding for this trip. Include a statement as to whether you are currently receiving any kind of financial aid for your education at SMU – what type, amount and from whom.

Dates of Travel: _____

Is this travel sponsored by SMU? _____

Will this travel be taken for course credit? (circle one) No Yes

If yes: Course Name and Number: _____

Supervising Faculty: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date _____

Supervising Faculty signature, if applicable: _____

Remember to attach a short statement (1 page) describing your specific academic and personal goals related to this travel.

Student Travel Scholarship Guidelines

***Eligibility:** All SMU students are eligible to apply for travel scholarships. In addition, SMU graduates are eligible to apply for a scholarship to participate on a Human Rights Education Program-sponsored trip during their first post-graduation year.*

1. Undergraduate students: maximum scholarship for a sponsored trip is \$2,000.
Graduate students: maximum scholarship for a sponsored trip is \$1000.
2. For an Embrey Human Rights Program-sponsored trip(s), undergraduate students may request:
 - \$2,000 for one trip
 - \$1,000 each for two trips
3. Scholarships are available for the following kinds of travel:
 - *Human Rights Education Program-sponsored travel (e.g., Dr. Halperin's trips to Poland, Vietnam, Rwanda, etc.)
 - *Human rights conference travel (e.g., travel to Amnesty International or other human rights- related meetings)
 - *Travel for human rights training
4. Applications are accepted year-round, but must be received no later than 30 days prior to the beginning of any travel.
5. Current SMU students undertaking travel for course credit will be given priority.

Procedure for Application:

1. Complete the Student Travel Scholarship Application form.
2. Attach a short statement (1-2 pages) describing your specific academic and personal goals related to this travel.
3. Send the completed application materials (form and statement) to:

**Embrey Human Rights Program
c/o Dr. Rick Halperin
SMU P.O. Box 750176
Dallas, Texas 75275-0176**

Or deliver to:
Dr. Rick Halperin, Clements Hall 109