

**SPRING 2008
FLAHERTY SCHOLARSHIP**

The UIC Honors College offers Flaherty Scholarships for study abroad, for which Honors College students may compete to help defray costs associated with participation in international study. The awards are made possible by a gift from the estate of Gloria Flaherty, former professor of German at the University of Illinois at Chicago.

Flaherty Scholarships are available in awards of **\$1,000** to students applying for fall, spring, or full academic year international study programs. Awards of **\$500** are available for students participating in summer programs. The application **deadline for all 2008 summer, fall and 2008-2009 academic year-long programs is Friday, March 7th, 2008.**

To be eligible to apply for the Flaherty Scholarship, students must apply to a study abroad program endorsed by the UIC Study Abroad Office. A cumulative grade point average of **3.40** upon application for the Flaherty Scholarship is required. Students must be in good standing in the Honors College. Previous recipients of the Flaherty Scholarship are not eligible.

To apply for a Flaherty Scholarship for Study Abroad, students must submit a Flaherty Scholarship for Study Abroad **application** (available from the Honors College and the Study Abroad office), **an essay** of no more than 500 words describing the student's motivation for international study, a **copy of your grade report** (*accessible in Web-for-Students*), and a copy of your **Award Package Statement** (*if applicable*) by the application deadline of **Friday, March 7th, 2008.**

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Name: _____ **UIN:** _____
First Middle Last

UIC Email Address: _____ **Permanent Phone:** () _____

Major: _____ **Current Phone:** () _____

Current Address: _____
Street City State Zip

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Class Standing: Freshman _____ Sophomore _____ Junior _____ Senior _____

Cumulative UIC GPA: _____ **Most recent semester UIC GPA:** _____ **UIC Hours:** _____

Did you submit a FAFSA for the 2007-2008 Academic Year? Yes _____ No _____
If so, please attach a copy of your 2007-2008 Award Package Statement (accessible in Web-for-Students Self-Service)

Study Abroad Program to which you are applying:

Title: _____

Location: _____

Date: Spring _____ Fall _____ Summer _____ Academic Year 200 _____

Sponsoring College/University: _____

Number of credits for which you will be enrolled: _____

Brief description of program: _____

Approximate total cost of program: _____ (including tuition, travel, and living expenses).

How do you plan on financing your study abroad program (whether or not you receive this award)?

Previous study abroad or foreign travel experience (please describe): _____

Please print or type **legibly** in black ink and return this **application**, along with a copy of your **grade report, Award Package Statement** (if applicable) and an **essay** of no more than 500 words describing your reasons for wanting to study abroad to the Honors College by no later than 4:00 p.m. on **Friday, March 7th, 2008**.

Permission for Release of Records:

Do you authorize the disclosure of your records to the Selection Committee? **Yes** _____ **No** _____

Date: _____ **Signature:** _____