

APPLICATION FOR BRIDGING SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDY IN JAPAN BRIDGING PROJECT CLEARINGHOUSE

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| Name (please print): _____ | | Date: _____ |
| Current address: _____ _____ _____ Valid until: _____ | Tel.: _____ | Email: _____ (please print clearly) |
| Permanent address: _____ _____ _____ Dates you can be reached at this address: _____ | College/university you currently attend: Major/course of study: Date you expect to graduate: | |
| Are you a U.S. citizen or permanent resident? yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| Study-abroad program or university in Japan that you plan to attend: Dates of Japan program: _____ | Japanese language training: _____ | |

Estimated cost of your term of study in Japan

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| Transportation | \$ _____ |
| Tuition | \$ _____ |
| Room and board | \$ _____ |
| Miscellaneous | \$ _____ |
| TOTAL ESTIMATED COST \$ _____ | |

Your real and anticipated resources for funding your study in Japan*

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| Scholarships or grants: | |
| Received | \$ _____ |
| Applied for (not including the Bridging Scholarship) | \$ _____ |
| Loans | \$ _____ |
| Private contributions and savings (personal or family) | \$ _____ |
| TOTAL ANTICIPATED FUNDING \$ _____ | |

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| Do you receive a Pell Grant? Yes ___ No ___ |
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*We are looking for a realistic estimate of your resources to fund your study abroad in Japan. Receiving other scholarships and using personal or family savings or student loan funds for study abroad does NOT hurt your chances of receiving a Bridging Scholarship or reduce the amount of the award.

PLEASE SUPPLY THE FOLLOWING:

1. Two additional copies of this application form (3 copies total).
2. A short essay (maximum 500 words) telling us about yourself, explaining your reasons for wishing to study in Japan, and outlining what you hope to achieve by participating in a study-abroad program (three copies).
3. An official transcript issued from your university's registrar.
4. A letter of recommendation from someone who knows you and is knowledgeable about your abilities and potential, preferably a professor or instructor in your major course of study. This letter may either be submitted together with the application or sent separately by the recommender; please note that it must be received by the current application deadline in order for your application to be considered. *Faxed or e-mailed letters will NOT be accepted.*

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