

FINANCIAL AID

for Study Abroad

Applying for Financial Aid

1. Complete the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA) online at www.fafsa.gov by Oct. 1st EACH YEAR.
2. Set up an appt. with a Financial Aid advisor to discuss other options.
3. If studying abroad through another UW school but will complete degree at UWGB, financial aid will be disbursed at UWGB.
4. Watch your SIS account to ensure aid disburses when you expect it to.

Consortium Agreement

For students studying abroad through another UW System campus, complete the Consortium Agreement form available at: <http://www.uwgb.edu/financial-aid/forms/consortium.asp>

Non-UWGB Programs

Things to be aware of when studying abroad through another UW campus:

- Financial Aid will disburse to your SIS account at UWGB (the home school), will first apply towards UWGB charges (if any) prior to the start of UWGB's term.
- Excess aid is then refunded to the student, the student would pay charges through the host school (the school you are studying abroad through).
- Request for your official transcript to be sent to UWGB Registrar upon completion of your program and send an unofficial transcript to the Financial Aid office.

Eligibility

Financial Aid eligibility varies by student based on the student's FAFSA. The Department of Education sets annual limits that a student cannot exceed. To review your individual financial aid award and to see if you have any additional eligibility, contact the Financial Aid office and speak with an advisor.

General Reminders

- Apply for aid in a timely manner!
- Aid will be available to students the 1st day of UW-Green Bay's semester.
- Set up electronic refunding in SIS (*to have your refund go to an account that you can access while you are abroad*).
- Students participating in Non-UWGB programs must meet with an advisor in the Office of International Education BEFORE meeting with Financial Aid (*email oie@uwgb.edu*) AND request a transcript from the host institution.
- If your family has a change in circumstances from the information reported on the FAFSA, or you have questions about your award, contact a financial aid advisor.

Disbursement of Aid

1. Aid will be disbursed through SIS at the beginning of UWGB's semester
2. Aid will be applied to a UWGB balance first, any excess will be refunded to the student
3. The student is responsible for paying charges outside of UWGB

Questions?

Visit www.uwgb.edu/financial-aid, email haslamj@uwgb.edu or call 920-465-2075