



# PERES AWARD FOR STUDY ABROAD

## Award Requirements & Application Form Citation Class of 2017

### ----- Description-----

The Peres Award for Study Abroad honors a Scholar with interests in international and global affairs. Applicants should exhibit scholarly attitudes, display academic excellence, emerging global competencies, and demonstrate learning as a result of having studied abroad.

Nominations may be made by any member of the College Park Scholars community, including faculty, staff, instructors, Resident Life officials, and students. This award carries a scholarship of \$350. Self-nominations are encouraged.

### ----- Requirements-----

Applicants must be in good academic standing and cleared for their College Park Scholars citation by their program faculty no later than July 25, 2017.

### ----- Application-----

To apply, applicants must:

- Submit copies of their résumé and an unofficial transcript.
- Submit a sample of work from their study-abroad experience in the form of a paper, website or PowerPoint presentation. This sample should demonstrate learning related to the course content and objectives.
  - The course title, instructor and semester enrolled should be specified.
- Submit an essay, no more than two pages, analyzing their emerging global competencies as a result of having studied abroad. The essay should include possible next steps candidates may take to enhance their global awareness and cultural competencies.
- Provide contact information for at least one reference, a campus faculty or staff member, who can attest to their merits for the award (a letter of recommendation is not required.)

### Deadline:

All application materials must be emailed to Jeany Cadet at [jcadet1@umd.edu](mailto:jcadet1@umd.edu) by 11:59pm on Sunday, August 20, 2017.