Bond University Scholarship Application - Instructions

Bond University is Australia’s first and largest private university. It is a premier private university located on the Gold Coast of Australia. Bond offers a 14-week semester that corresponds to the typical academic calendar in the United States.

Application deadline: April 1, 2013

☐ $5000 award to be put toward the Bond Semester Program Fee
☐ Two awards will be given for study in the fall 2013 semester.
☐ Scholarship recipients will be chosen based on quality of essay, academic performance, commitment to fostering interest in study in Australia, and financial need, if applicable.

Eligibility: Fully matriculated SUNY students with sophomore standing by the time of study. Minimum 2.5 GPA. Fully completed study abroad application (and $35 application fee) required. Preference will be given to SUNY Plattsburgh students.

The scholarship recipient must be prepared to pay the following:

☐ Regular SUNY tuition (in-state or out-of-state)
☐ The remainder of the International Program Fee
☐ Room and Board while at Bond
☐ Round trip airfare to/from Australia
☐ Visa costs
☐ Miscellaneous expenses (university fees, books, local transportation, etc.)

Please review the Bond University Study Abroad Budget Estimate and contact the SUNY Plattsburgh Global Education Office for more information on program costs.

Upon return to his/her home campus, the awardee is expected to promote the Bond program to prospective study abroad students during the spring 2014 semester. This may include tabling at study abroad fairs, giving classroom testimonials, speaking to interested students, and providing content for blogs, Facebook, etc.

How to apply:

1. Submit a completed study abroad application to our office by April 1, 2013. Your “Statement of Overseas Study” (part of SUNY application form) should specifically address your individual academic merit and financial need.
2. Submit the Bond University Scholarship application along with your Study Abroad Application by April 1, 2013.

Scholarship recipients will be notified on or after May 1, 2013
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Name: ____________________________________________ Date ________

Please initial the following:

_____ I have completed a study abroad application.

_____ I have read and understand the Bond University Scholarship application instructions.

_____ I give permission for the Global Education Office to access my academic and financial records.

_____ Please attach your 500 word essay on the following topic:

“If you are selected to receive this scholarship to Bond University, how will you encourage and inspire other students to pursue study abroad in Australia upon your return?”

Office use only:
Date: ____________ Staff: ______
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