

SPEND 2012 WISELY – APPLY FOR A \$2012 SCHOLARSHIP & GoGlobal!

**The Office of Global Programs
is proud to announce that it will award one merit based scholarship in the
amount of \$2,012
for Short-Term Spring Break UG Programs**

**Open to all undergraduate students registered for one of the following 3-credit
BMGT courses held in March, 2012:**

**BMGT 469C: Doing Business in Costa Rica: Social Entrepreneurship
Approaches to Sustainability, Ecotourism, and Globalization**

or

**BMGT 469D: United Arab Emirates (UAE) Global Immersion
Experience**

Deadline for essay submission is Sunday, January 29, 2012 at 5:00 pm

Undergraduate Criteria:

- Must be accepted full-time into the 1) Robert H. Smith School of Business; 2) be enrolled in Quest, or 3) be a College Park Scholar in the Business, Society and Economy (BSE) program.
- Must be in good academic standing with UMD and with the Office of Global Programs.
- Must be registered for a short term program during Spring Break, 2012 being offered by Smith's Office of Global Programs.

To Apply:

Below are two questions. Answer them in one essay and follow the guidelines below. Deadline for submission via email to OGP@RHSmith.umd.edu is Sunday, January 29th at 5:00 pm.

“What do you expect to learn from this study abroad experience? When you are in an interview with a potential employer and you are asked by him/her why you chose this opportunity to study abroad, what will you say?”

Guidelines:

- Limit one essay per student. Clearly print your name, UID and your study abroad program.
- Attach your essay to an email and submit to the Office of Global Programs (“OGP”) at OGP@RHSmith.umd.edu by 5:00 pm on Sunday, January 29th at 5:00 pm.
- Essays should be submitted in English at a maximum of 1,500 words (preferably in a Microsoft Word document) and typed and double-spaced. Essays exceeding this length or handwritten may not be considered. OGP is not responsible for late or incomplete entries. An email acknowledging receipt of essay will be sent to student.
- By entering, the student warrants that he or she has complied with the University of Maryland's Code of Academic Integrity and Code of Student Conduct.
- The scholarship is not transferable to any other student, but may, with approval from OGP, be deferred, if necessary. If not applied to another program during 2012, the scholarship is forfeited.

Review Process:

The Scholarship Winner for the Spring Break 2012 programs will be announced on Friday, February 3, 2012 at 12:00 pm (noon). All essays will be reviewed blindly by a panel of faculty and staff from the Smith School of Business. Priority will be given to students who have never travelled abroad with a UMD program or who have never transferred in any credits from a foreign university. Students should register for the March 2012 course of his/her choosing and then apply for the scholarship. If not selected to receive the scholarship and student needs to withdraw from the course, no fees will be imposed.

Awardees of \$2,012 are not eligible to also receive the Provost's \$750 Scholarship. Students understand there are IRS/tax implications attached to any award given and are responsible for determining his/her continued eligibility for needs-based scholarships if awarded this scholarship. Acceptance of the scholarship constitutes permission for OGP to use the student's name and/or likeness, biographical information, essay, and other materials submitted for advertising and promotional purposes without additional compensation, unless prohibited by law.

Questions? Contact Smith's Office of Global Programs, 2410 Van Munching Hall, 301-405-0200 or OGP@RHSMITH.UMD.EDU.

The Office of Global Programs hopes to announce several more \$2012 Scholarships for our Summer 2012 Programs. Details to be announced soon.

