



STUDY ABROAD IN PRAGUE
ENGAGED WRITER SCHOLARSHIP
2008 APPLICATION

General Information

Each spring semester, Naropa University awards two scholarships of \$1,500 each for particularly talented writing students who want to study in Prague. Students must be accepted into the Prague program in order to receive monies. Visiting and Naropa students may apply. We consider the academic and artistic qualifications of candidates as first indicators, followed by financial need.

Application Deadline for Both the Scholarship and the Program: October 20

Scholarship Instructions

In order to be considered for a scholarship from Naropa University's Office of International Education, you must submit the following items by October 20.

- 1. Scholarship Application (this form, signed.)
- 2. Scholarship Essay (500 words maximum. See questions below.)
- 3. One creative writing sample (poetry or prose)
- 4. Financial Needs Assessment Form, completed by your home institution's financial aid office. You are responsible for making sure the proper form is returned to Naropa University by October 20.

Name: _____

Home Institution: _____ Social Security number: _____

I've been accepted into Naropa's Prague Program: ___ Yes ___ No ___ Pending

Please answer all three questions on a separate piece of paper in typewritten form (500 words max.)

- 1. Please describe your role as an active and engaged writer in your community. Include any publications or activities with which you have been involved.
- 2. In general, how do you see the role of creative writers contributing to social change initiatives?
- 3. How do you see yourself participating as a writer in Prague?

Consent

I consent to have information from this scholarship application used in reports to donors and/or in other published materials describing Naropa University and its program

Signature: _____ Date: _____



STUDY ABROAD IN PRAGUE FINANCIAL NEEDS ASSESSMENT FORM

To Be Completed by the Student:

Dear Financial Aid Officer:

I am applying for a scholarship from Naropa University to study abroad in Prague for Spring Semester 20__ term. This form is required for my scholarship application. I authorize you to release the following information. Please return to Naropa University immediately at the address or fax found below.

Prague Study Abroad Program: The Writer As Witness

Program Fee: _____ (includes 15 semester credits, room and board, visa costs and local transport)

Print Name: _____ Student Signature: _____

Please note: If you do NOT receive financial aid from your home college and would like to apply for this scholarship, please complete a Free Application for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA), which is available from your home university's financial aid office, and send it directly with this form to Naropa University.

To Be Completed by the Financial Aid Officer:

This form is for use only by Naropa University's Office of International and Intercultural scholarship committee. It will not be sent to our billing office, and it is not a consortium agreement. If data for the term indicated above is not available, please indicate which term you are using to complete this form. If your institution does not administer aid for study abroad with Naropa University, please complete only number 8 below. Thank you for your time and support with your student's application.

Please indicate the amounts to be provided for FA/SP 20__ term:

- Federal Stafford Loan (circle expected grade level 1 2 3 4) 1. _____
- Federal Pell Grant 2. _____
- Federal SEOG 3. _____
- Federal Perkins Loan 4. _____
- State Grant 5. _____

Amount of institutional financial aid to be provided (Do not include 1-5.) 6. _____

Amount of other aid available for this study abroad term
Please specify _____ 7. _____

Expected family contribution (EFC) for spring term: 8. _____

Total resources available (lines 1-9) 9. _____

Financial Aid Officer Name and Title: _____

Signature: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Please return by post or fax to:
Naropa University, Financial Aid Office, 2130 Arapahoe Ave. Boulder, CO 80302
Phone: (303) 546-3534; Fax: (303) 546-3536; finaid@naropa.edu