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Spring 2014 Global Scholars class with Professor Stanley Lombardo

Global Scholars

The Global Scholars Program at the University of Kansas is designed to recognize and encourage its most academically talented and motivated undergraduate students who have demonstrated an interest in global studies and are selected in a competitive process. The program provides cohorts of students with opportunities to develop their intellectual capabilities and interests to the fullest and better prepares them for careers, further study and leadership roles in today's complex international arena.

Fifteen scholars will be chosen from the pool. The Global Scholars Program runs in the same semester as the University Scholars Program coordinated by the Honors Program. Students are invited to apply to one but not both of these programs. **The application deadline is Thursday, September 25. The mandatory interviews are tentatively scheduled for Sunday, October 19.**

Students selected as Global Scholars:

- Enroll in an interdisciplinary honors seminar during the spring semester of their sophomore year.

Global Scholars Seminar 2015: COMMUNITY in a GLOBAL CONTEXT

Instructor: Dena Register, associate professor, music therapy

Class location: Nunemaker, Wednesday, 3:00 p.m -5:40 p.m.

This seminar will consider the significance that the desire for finding or creating community has on all aspects of our lives. Regardless of an individual's academic discipline or professional orientation, there is a desire to connect with others that is often disrupted by one's vulnerabilities. Using various theoretical frameworks, students will explore the ideas of community and connection specific to their interests as well as implications in their own cultural context and a global context.

- Are matched with a distinguished faculty mentor based on their academic interests. Although the exact nature of the relationship is left to each scholar and mentor, its purpose is to foster intellectual growth.
- Receive a scholarship of \$1,000 toward a KU-approved Study Abroad program, providing their grade point averages are maintained at an appropriate level of 3.0.
- Present a research project in a Global Scholars Symposium their senior year.

Eligibility

- Applicants to the program should be outstanding students who are beginning their second year of college. Global Scholars are chosen based on an application and an interview. Students with a 3.75 cumulative GPA are invited to apply. Students with a strong record but a slightly lower GPA may also submit an application.

Application Process

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For more information, please contact Michelle Ward at 785-864-7178 or mmward@ku.edu.

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University of Kansas Homecoming 2014



The University of Kansas celebrated its 102nd Homecoming, "Roll with the 'Hawks,'" Sept. 21-27, 2014.

Watch the video to see highlights from some of the week's activities, and from Friday's Homecoming Parade and pep rally featuring our Grand Marshal and KU Alumnus, Rob Riggie. Rock Chalk!



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KU International Events

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| Oct 15 | Latin American Film Festival
Kickoff: "Tambien la lluvia (Even the Rain)."
05:30 pm |
| Oct 16 | China Town Hall: China and the U.S; China and Africa
06:00 pm |
| Oct 16 | Turkish Film: Uch Maymun (Three Monkeys)
07:00 pm |

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