

# Travel Fellowship Application

Department of Classics, University of Pittsburgh

Classics majors in both tracks with a GPA (in the major) of 3.75 or above may apply for grants up to \$2500 to offset the cost of study abroad or travel related to their work in Classics. Preference will be given by seniority to students who have completed appropriate coursework in the department and who are applying for matching funds for a relevant program to which they have been accepted. Grant recipients may apply in successive years or for multiple grants in the same year up to the \$2500 maximum. Applications due November 1 and March 1.

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ PeopleSoft ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Address 2: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a Classics Major?  Yes, Classical Language Track  Yes, Classical Civilization Track  No

Have you been accepted into an official study abroad program or conference?  Yes  No

Are you a US Citizen?  Yes  No

Do you have a passport?  Yes  No

Successful applicants may be asked to reflect on their experience abroad in some form (e.g., an oral presentation to students or a written travel report for the departmental website/newsletter). Do you agree to share your experiences in one of these ways, if asked?  Yes  No

## TRANSCRIPT

Applicants must submit an unofficial copy of their University of Pittsburgh transcript. (Transfer students should also include transcript(s) from their previous institution(s).)

## PERSONAL STATEMENT

Applicants must submit a statement of 300-500 words that describes their proposed travel and how it would complement their work in Classics at Pitt and further their long-term educational and professional goals.

## PROPOSED BUDGET

Applicants must submit a one-page itemized budget detailing the total cost of their chosen program of study or travel and indicating how their requested funds (up to \$2500) would be spent.

## FACULTY SPONSOR

Each applicant must obtain a sponsor from among the Classics faculty, who may be asked to advocate for the student during the fellowship selection process. No formal letter is required.

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## SUBMISSION

Submit completed application by email to the Undergraduate Advisor (Mark Possanza, [possanza@pitt.edu](mailto:possanza@pitt.edu)) by November 1 or March 1.