## **China Studies Scholarship for Study Abroad**

Apply in Fall (deadline November 1) for study abroad the following Spring semester

Apply in Spring (deadline March 15) for study abroad the following Summer or Fall semester

The Department of Asian Studies offers the China Studies Study Abroad Scholarship, which provides partial financial support for students planning to study in the People's Republic of China or Taiwan during the summer session or anytime during the academic year. The scholarship amount varies each year, depending on the budget and number of scholarships awarded. The amount is not intended to cover the full cost of a program, so students should pursue additional sources of funding.

**Eligibility**: Students must have completed at least one year of Chinese at UT Austin by the end of the semester in which they apply. The competition is based on academic achievement, financial need, and merit of the proposed study abroad program. Undergraduate students must enroll in a language or other organized program. Graduate students conducting research may propose other projects abroad if their faculty advisor agrees to supervise their work.

## **Application Instructions:**

To apply, please fill out the following survey with all the required information, save the document along with all relevant attachments <u>as a single PDF</u>, and send to <u>ANS.Honors@austin.utexas.edu</u>

Before you start, prepare information on your study abroad plans, as well as your UT Academic Summary, available for free here:

https://utdirect.utexas.edu/apps/student/academic\_summary/summary/

1. Please type your full name, email address, and EID below:

2. Please attach your UT Academic Summary. If you are new to UT with no UT GPA, please upload transcripts from your previous institution/s.
3.Please arrange for one letter of reference <u>from a Chinese language instructor</u> to be sent separately to <u>ANS.Honors@austin.utexas.edu</u> , making sure that your letter writer is aware of the relevant deadline. In addition, please type the name and email address of your letter writer here:
4.Please provide the following information about the program you plan to attend: name of program and institution, address/telephone, program dates, total hours of instruction, and level of language study.
5.Please indicate the semester/s (Spring, Summer, Fall) and year of your study or research plan
6. Please attach a Statement of Purpose containing clear and compelling reasons for the proposed program (500 words maximum)
7.If you plan on pursuing any other coursework or research (e.g. graduate research), please attach a detailed description of your plans (500 words max).

Please submit a PDF version of this completed form, along with the relevant attachments, <u>as a single PDF</u> to <u>ANS.Honors@austin.utexas.edu</u>. By submitting this application, you confirm your understanding that reward recipients will be required to write a thank-you letter.