

AEF Fund for the Arts and Italian Culture Scholarship Opportunities

The AEF FUND FOR THE ARTS AND ITALIAN CULTURE provides Study Abroad scholarship opportunities for a total amount of €100.000 for 2020. The scholarship for any individual student is € 2,000 for the Spring 2020 semester (15 weeks) and is a merit-based award.

"DANTE ALIGHIERI SCHOLARSHIP" **4 SCHOLARSHIPS OF €2000 EACH FOR THE AEF ITALIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE STUDIES PROGRAM / SPRING 2020**

The Dante Alighieri Scholarship is dedicated to the Florentine poet, who first formalized the modern Italian language.

We offer this scholarship to a deserving AEF student who exhibits:

- A Major or a Minor in Italian Language and Culture. Students in a 4-credits Italian Class without Major or Minor in Italian may also be considered;
- An understanding of the importance of studying Italian in Italy;
- A strong personal essay and recommendation from a professor or academic advisor.

APPLICATION PROCESS AND DEADLINES:

■ Applicants must write to Victoria Padron victoria.padron@aefirenze.it to receive the Audition / Scholarship form

■ Complete applications (form, letters, materials) must be sent via wetransfer to:
Victoria Padron victoria.padron@aefirenze.it
and **Antonio Vanni** antonio.vanni@aefirenze.it
by August 31st. Subject line of the file transfer should include full name, home university and the program the student is enrolling for.

■ **Notice of admission will be communicated by September 15th.**

CRITERIA OF SCHOLARSHIP:

AEF Scholarships are merit-based.

Application materials:

- Audition / Scholarship form
- Reference letter(s) of (minimum 1, maximum 3)
- Discipline specific materials: Level A1 Completion at the moment of departure.

For further information about the application process and deadlines, please contact
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