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Quick Facts

- The Winthrop Global Ambassador Scholarship is available for out-of-state students and includes a half-tuition scholarship, renewable for four years, and \$1,000 toward a life-changing, study abroad experience.
- This latest scholarship complements a five-year Global Learning Initiative that Winthrop debuted in 2011.
- The Global Ambassador Scholarship will bring students to Winthrop from a variety of areas around the country and allow the students to access Winthrop's high quality programs, one of President Jayne Marie (Jamie) Comstock's goals for the university.

ROCK HILL, S.C. — A newly established **Global Ambassador Scholarship** at Winthrop University will allow recipients to grow their leadership skills and provide opportunities to engage with global issues.

The Winthrop Global Ambassador Scholarship is available for out-of-state students and includes a **half-tuition scholarship**, renewable for four years, and \$1,000 toward a life-changing, **study abroad** experience.

"This scholarship is a good fit for students who have an interest in international service, the arts, education, or business; who welcome the challenge and opportunity of studying abroad; and who are excited to participate in a **highly individualized study experience**," said Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs **Debra Boyd**. "An added benefit is that we know employers value a global perspective when hiring. College graduates with international experiences top applicant pools in many fields."

This latest scholarship complements a five-year **Global Learning Initiative** that Winthrop debuted in 2011. The initiative infuses global components into required courses for freshmen, and it strives to improve students' learning in three areas: global knowledge, global attitudes, and global engagement. The Global Ambassador Scholarship will bring students to Winthrop from a variety of areas around the country and allow the students to access Winthrop's high quality programs, one of **President Jayne Marie (Jamie) Comstock's** goals for the university. The program will provide recipients the opportunity to **expand their global understanding** and will give them a solid foundation to **make a difference in the world**.

To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must qualify as an out-of-state student; meet admission standards for the university and academic standards for the scholarship; and be interested in leadership roles and a customizable education program. All majors are welcome. Applications are due by **Feb. 14, 2014**. Recipients will be notified the week of March 3, 2014.

To apply, students should [complete the scholarship application](#).

For more information, contact the Office of Admissions at 800/WINTHROP, 803/323-2191 or e-mail admissions@winthrop.edu.

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