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Alliance

AID THROUGH TRADE

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HONG KONG BAPTIST UNIVERSITY



The Kearny Alliance

We are a US 501 (c) 3 non-profit organization whose mission is Aid through Trade. These Scholarships are offered through Kearny Alliance Asia.

The Kearny Alliance focuses on four interlinked programmatic areas, namely: Livelihood development and Job creation through exports; Trade-related education and skills training, and; Trade policy research.

We support Scholars from China, Myanmar, Cambodia and Vietnam who study business and journalism in Hong Kong, and mainland China Scholars studying for their MBAs at Thunderbird School of Global Management in the USA. We also offer stipend support for Scholars studying in the Philippines and Thailand.

APSC Applicants

Important note

If you have already applied for a scholarship through APSC, please do not reapply. The APSC team will advise us in confidence of suitable candidates for Kearny Alliance scholarships.

Kearny Alliance postgraduate scholarships announcement

Hong Kong MA International Journalism

Philippines MS Development Communication

Call for applicants – up to 4 full scholarships available

The Kearny Alliance is encouraging bright motivated individuals with an interest in international trade to apply for our comprehensive scholarship, skills training and career development program.

Purpose

To provide quality education and comprehensive career development opportunities for postgraduate study in fields related to trade, communication and development in Asia for scholars with proven academic and professional track records who have the desire to make a positive impact on people's lives.

Schools & Programs of study

Successful students will study at internationally recognized universities in Hong Kong or the Philippines. Courses typically take one to two years to complete. Scholars must complete the course within specified timeframe on a full time basis.

MA International Journalism
(1 year)

Hong Kong Baptist University
<http://net3.hkbu.edu.hk/~maijs/eng>

MS Development Communication
(2 years)

University of the Philippines – Los Banos
<http://www.uplb.edu.ph/index.php/development-communication>

Eligibility

Applicants must be citizens of Myanmar, Cambodia, Vietnam or Lao PDR. They must have a good first degree in a relevant subject, a high standard of English and be able to meet all academic, entrance and other requirements of the universities concerned.

Stipend support

Kearny Alliance offers full stipend support. The following costs will be covered at a basic level:

- Academic tuition and mandatory fees for the duration of the course, including examination costs.
- A monthly stipend for room and board, and living expenses sufficient for a single student.
- Basic medical insurance for the duration of study.
- Support for educational supplies and materials.
- Transport for the student to travel one time from their home to the campus and to return at the end of the program.
- All costs related to securing and maintaining a student visa for the duration of study.

Scholar undertaking

One of our goals is to give Scholars a solid career foundation in a trade-related field to help develop marketable skills and contribute to our mission of Aid through Trade. To that end, Scholars are required to sign a binding Memorandum of Understanding, cosigned by a family member, that requires the Scholar to undertake – if a posting is offered – an internship and work for a period of two years upon graduation with either Global Sources (<http://www.globalsources.com> NASDAQ: GSOL) or the Kearny Alliance. Work will be in a role and geographic location paid at local market rates.

Should Scholar decline employment offer, the full amount of the Scholarship must be repaid. To date, more than 95% of Scholars have been placed and have successfully fulfilled or are fulfilling their undertakings.

Application materials required

1. Cover letter stating program and school applied for, and objective.
2. Resume stating work experience and education achievement.
3. One academic and one professional letter of reference.
4. Copies of transcripts, and any official English language exams results (eg: TOEFL or IELTS).
5. Scanned copy of your passport photo page (if available). Do not include visa pages.

Application deadline

Applications must be received by December 30, 2011.

For Philippine programs email aboome@kearnyalliance.org

For Hong Kong program email elaineru@hkbu.edu.hk

Further information

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