BOREN SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDY ABROAD CAMPUS APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS CAMPUS SUBMISSION DEADLINE: 20 NOVEMBER 2009

If you have an interest in studying abroad as a sophomore or junior, consider the **Boren Scholarship** program! Application details are available at http://www.borenawards.org/boren_scholarship

To be eligible for the Boren Scholarship, you must:

- Be a US citizen
- Study abroad in a non-western country. You may not study in Western Europe, Canada, Australia or New Zealand.

Scholarships are available for:

- The full academic year (2 semesters)
- A semester (either fall or spring)
- A combination of semester(s) and summer programs
- Summer programs of 8 weeks or longer* (*NB: This option is only available for students majoring in mathematics, engineering or the sciences.*)

The Boren Scholarship is designed to promote study abroad in the countries of Africa, Asia, Central & Eastern Europe, Eurasia, Latin American, and the Middle East. Countries of Western Europe, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand are excluded.

Applicants should identify how their study abroad program, as well as their future academic and career goals, will contribute to U.S. national security, broadly defined. The Boren Scholarship draws on a broad definition of national security, recognizing that the scope of national security has expanded to include not only the traditional concerns of protecting and promoting the US's well-being, but also the challenges of global society, including sustainable development, environmental degradation, global disease and hunger, population growth and migration, and economic competitiveness.

In addition to the above, **the scholarship is available for the study of less commonly taught languages**, including but not limited to Arabic, Chinese, Korean, Portuguese, Russian, and Swahili. (Note: If you wish to study in a Latin/South American country, you need to have advanced knowledge of Spanish at the time of award acceptance.)

To Apply:

- Step 1: Make an appointment to meet with Dr. Jordan (<u>jordanm@lafayette.edu</u>) and/or Dean Goldberg (goldbeja@lafayette.edu)
- Step 2: Submit a copy of your proposed application by the campus submission deadline of 20 November 2009. Submit applications electronically as email attachments to both Dr. Jordan and Dean Goldberg.

In order to learn more about study abroad opportunities at Lafayette College, please contact Dr. Jordan (jordanm@lafayette.edu) or visit http://ww2.lafayette.edu/~studyabroad