

## Newman Family Scholarship for International Studies Application Form



Deadline for Submission for 2024 Award: Monday, March 4 2024

The Newman Family Scholarship for International Studies has been established to benefit selfidentified women International Studies majors who strive to promote understanding of different cultures in the service of the greater good.

Lynne Newman is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin (BA '67). Her Spanish major prepared her for a full life that has included travel all over the world. Exposure to a variety of cultures has increased her awareness of the need to promote understanding of different cultures. She believes that this understanding can lead to solving some of our global challenges including reducing armed conflict and promoting literacy and family planning for women. She and her husband Jim established the Newman Family Scholarship to benefit self-identified women students majoring in International Studies within the College of Letters & Science.

Self-identified women students with Junior standing (at least 54 cumulative credits) who are pursuing the International Studies major at the University of Wisconsin-Madison and who have maintained a GPA of 3.5 or higher in the major, are eligible to apply for the award. A faculty selection committee will choose one or more recipients based on eligibility and the excellence of the responses.

To apply: Complete this form and save it as a single pdf that also contains your <u>resume and a recent</u> unofficial transcript that shows your coursework and GPA in the major. Email this as a SINGLE PDF DOCUMENT to <u>ismadvisor@ismajor.wisc.edu</u> by Monday, March 4 2024.

Nominee's Name:
UW ID Number:
UW Email Address:

Please list a faculty member whom the selection committee can contact for additional information. This does not include TA's or Academic Advisors. Please be sure to confirm that the faculty member is comfortable acting as a reference.

Faculty Name: Faculty Email:

In 2 pages (1200 words maximum), please reflect on how your training in International Studies has prepared you to think about a particular global challenge. More specifically, how has your experience in the International Studies Major (through coursework and other experiences such as study abroad, internships, student leadership, or volunteering) led you to approach a contemporary problem in a different way than had you not chosen to major in International Studies?

We recommend that you copy and paste the above prompt, then compose and save your responses elsewhere before sending it as a single PDF.