# REQUEST TO STUDY IN CHINA OR TAIWAN

## Student Information

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## Proposed Study

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<th>Check 1, 2, 3 or 4.</th>
<th>1. Clinical Elective in China or Taiwan (MD students only)</th>
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<td>2. Traditional Chinese Medicine summer course at Zhejiang Univ. <strong>Application deadline Feb 28.</strong></td>
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<td>3. Independent research</td>
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<td>4. Introduction to Chinese Medicine, Cross Culture and Bioethics summer course at NCKU, Taiwan. <strong>Application deadline Feb 28.</strong></td>
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**Destination institution or city/country:**

**Dates of stay:**

**Length of stay:**

## Describe the experience

Attach a description of the international experience and its expected impact on your overall educational plans and professional development. Clearly identify the goals (600 word max).

## Request for travel funding

I request travel funding for *(insert length of stay)*

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## Approval of plans

I have discussed my plans with Dean Juli Ip (China)

I have discussed my plans with Dr. James Sung (Taiwan)

More information on summer programs at Zhejiang University and NCKU and dates of programs at [http://brown.edu/academics/medical/plme/current-students/enrichment-activities/international-health-scholarship](http://brown.edu/academics/medical/plme/current-students/enrichment-activities/international-health-scholarship)

Submit to: Hilary_Sweigart@Brown.edu, Arnold Lab 222, 401-863-9790

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REQUEST FOR FUNDING

Application deadline for travel funding for the summer courses at Zhejiang and NCKU is **February 28**. Decisions on acceptance to these programs and travel funding will be offered within two weeks of deadline. More information on summer programs at Zhejiang University and NCKU and dates of programs at [http://brown.edu/academics/medical/plme/current-students/enrichment-activities/international-health-scholarship](http://brown.edu/academics/medical/plme/current-students/enrichment-activities/international-health-scholarship). At the time of “accepting funding,” students will be asked to sign a “commitment” to this opportunity and can no longer “shop” around.

Applications for funding for clinical electives or research are done on a rolling basis.

**Criteria:**

1. Applicant must be a PLME undergraduate or medical student in good academic standing.
2. Applicant must have discussed the project/travel with Dean Julianne Ip or Dr. Sung.
3. Student may **NOT** have funds from another Brown source (e.g., Deans Scholar, Carpenter, Foreign Studies Fellowship or Med Senate).
4. The experience proposed should be related to the student’s overall academic plan and professional development. The funds may **NOT** be used for undergraduate study abroad for credit (i.e., semester abroad through Office of International Programs).
5. Minimum duration of the experience is usually 4 weeks (exception is 2-week Chinese med course at NCKU).
6. Typical awards are $1000 per 4-week experience with a maximum award of $1500 paid as a travel reimbursement upon return to campus.

**Application:**

Applications should be submitted electronically to Hilary_Sweigart@Brown.edu. They should include:

- The completed coversheet.
- A description of the planned international experience and its expected impact on the student’s overall educational plans and professional development. Clearly identify the goals. (600 word max)

**Travel Reimbursement Requirement:**

Before travel reimbursement is released, each awardee must submit a one-page report including the following information:

a) How did the student identify or develop the experience?

b) How was the overall experience and did it fulfill the goals the student set out for themselves?

c) Would the student recommend this experience to other PLME/medical students and why?