

# **GLOBAL BRIDGES AWARDS**

### Eligibility Requirements For

## **GLOBAL BRIDGES SCHOLARS (GBS) STUDENTS**

#### Up to \$2,500 in Fellowship Grants for GBS Students

#### Start Your Quest!

The <u>Global Bridges Awards</u> are exclusive for students (including graduates) of GBS who select <u>option 2</u> as part of the <u>Global Bridges Scholars</u> program.

In cooperation with Global Bridges and our educational partners, these awards are given in four grants over the duration of 48 credits of enrollment in your chosen degree with a partner institution.<sup>1</sup>

#### Grant I: \$625

• Students who qualify for the first "Global Bridges Award" of \$625 must be **1**) enrolled in the non-academic Hartwell Fellowship Program and **2**) enrolled with a cooperating accredited partner into a degree program and **3**) successfully complete 12 or more college credits (typically four courses) in the chosen degree program.

#### Grant II: \$625

• Students who qualify for the second "Global Bridges Award" of \$625 must be 1) enrolled in the non-academic Hartwell Fellowship Program and 2) enrolled with a cooperating accredited partner into a degree program and 3) successfully complete 12 or more additional college credits (typically four courses) in the chosen program.

#### Grant III: \$625

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> HQ does not administer any aspect of participation in Title IV programs. Degrees are offered wholly by accredited institutions. HQ enrollment is optional and not required to earn an academic degree from partner institutions.

• Students who qualify for the third "Global Bridges Award" of \$625 must be **1**) enrolled in the non-academic Hartwell Fellowship Program and **2**) enrolled with a cooperating accredited partner into a degree program and **3**) successfully complete 12 or more additional college credits (typically four courses) in the chosen program.

#### Grant IV: \$625

• Students who qualify for the fourth "Global Bridges Award" of \$625 must be 1) enrolled in the non-academic Hartwell Fellowship Program and 2) enrolled with a cooperating accredited partner into a degree program and 3) successfully complete 12 or more additional college credits (typically four courses) in the chosen program.

Students must apply for these grants in writing by <u>contacting HQ</u> to express their intent to begin the "Global Bridges Awards" program. Once all conditions above and below are met for each grant, students must provide notice of eligibility in writing by <u>contacting HQ</u> to give the appropriate permission for us to confirm with the accredited partner that conditions have been met.

• Eligible GBS students may elect to have these awards applied to fellowship program costs and other nonprofit (tax-deductible) endeavors that are approved in writing by HQ.

Students who qualify for these awards for the Global Bridges Scholars program have three (3) years to use them on their non-academic missions or ministry costs (or other approved nonprofit fellowship program endeavors) from the date they qualify for their initial award.

#### Please note the following:

- o GBS students who choose option 1 can participate in the Hartwell Scholar Awards.
- GBS students who choose option 2 can participate in the <u>Global Bridges Awards</u> and help make <u>Adopt A Scholar</u> awards possible for others.
- o GBS award programs are listed on the <u>Global Bridges Grants</u> page.
- HQ awards and scholarship programs may not be "stacked" or combined unless noted otherwise.
- Former GBS students who are eligible may participate in the <u>Global Bridges Awards</u> even if they have previously received concurrent course discounts from HQ for high schoolers.
- Dismissal from Global Bridges, the Beacon Fellowship Program, or HQ results in immediate disqualification for any HQ grant. Students must be in good standing to qualify for awards.
- No HQ grant, scholarship, or award pays for any aspect of or participation in Title IV programs. Grants are intended for ministry-related (non-academic) fellowship programs only.
- Awards for non-academic enrollment will continue based on academic credits successfully completed and will not "reset" by switching degrees.
- For students taking less than 12 college credits per semester with an accredited partner, scholarship amounts for non-academic enrollment will be prorated.
- Grants from these awards are given directly to nonprofit (tax-deductible) entities for nonacademic student endeavors approved by HQ as part of the fellowship program.
- HQ does not administer any aspect of participation in Title IV programs. Degrees associated with this fellowship program are offered wholly by accredited institutions. Hartwell

Fellowship Program enrollment is optional and not required to earn an academic degree from partner institutions.

0 HQ tuition, fees, and scholarship awards are subject to change without notice.

## Start Your Quest with the Initial Steps Below

Step 1: Explore <u>Global Bridges Scholars</u> to see how we can help with your educational journey.

Step 2: Learn more about this and other Global Bridges Grants.

Step 3: <u>Contact us</u> with any questions you might have.

**Step 4:** Apply to <u>Hartwell Quest</u> and let us know you want to participate in the <u>Global Bridges</u> <u>Scholars</u> program.