



2017 VISDOM RESOR ENDOWMENT APPLICATION

The Visdom Resor Endowment was established in February 2015. The endowment was created from the crux of a conversation during a meeting with a young lady named Saige Allison. This meeting humbly and passionately brought Saige to inquire upon investors for a mission trip and experience that she would be embarking on within this fall. She asked multiple sources to help cover the full funding that the opportunity required. Her passion, faith, and continued support for A.Bevy brought us to the idea of fulfilling her request through the creation of the Visdom Resor Endowment and the presentation of it to Ms. Allison as our first recipient in 2015.

The Visdom Resor Endowment is currently a \$500 award to a collegiate student who is embarking upon a location "change" through studying abroad, an internship, mission trip, an opportunity of any kind that will place them in an atmosphere that is not of familiarity. The name "visdom resor" is Swedish for "wisdom trip" paying recognition to the location "change" that also evoked Bryant Kirk White to create A.Bevy while studying abroad in Jonkoping, Sweden.

This year there will be 1 (one) Visdom Resor recipient. The award will be presented to the selected recipient at A.Bevy Collegiate Group's annual Impress Your Self Scholarship Mixer. The 2017 Visdom Endowment will be a monetary award of \$500.00.

A student interested in the Visdom Resor Endowment must fit the following criteria:

- Be a student who is enrolled full-time at a collegiate or technical institution.
- Will be doing an internship, studying abroad, mission trip, or any other experience in a new and unfamiliar atmosphere
- Have application and all required material requested in the application properly turned in by **April 14, 2017**. A.Bevy's Board of Directors will read the applications and the winning applications will be chosen by vote through majority agreement.
- The recipient of the Visdom Resor Endowment is expected to attend Impress Your Self 2017. Check www.abevy.org for event information. Applicants who fully complete application and turn in all necessary materials receive complimentary entry into the event.



VISDOM RESOR ENDOWMENT

Name _____

Address _____ City, State & Zip _____

Phone (____)-____-____

Email Address: _____

School: _____

Class Standing: Sophomore Junior Senior

Major _____ Minor _____

Type of Experience: Mission Internship Study Abroad Other _____

Location of Trip: _____

Time Duration of Trip: _____

What will you be doing, what do you plan to gain from it, & why: (one sentence)

The following must be turned in along with application:

-2 Recommendation Letters: 1 from a teacher/educator, community leader or officer of organization you hold membership in, and 1 from a peer.

-Copy of college transcript (there is no required minimum GPA)

- Proof of participation in upcoming internship, study abroad trip, or travel

Short Essay:

In 300 to 500 words typed, succinctly address one of the following statements or questions and attach it to application:

1. The A. in "A.Bevy" stands for Anabasis: a march from the coast into the interior as that of Cyrus the Younger against Artaxerxes II as described by Xenophon in his historical work also entitled "Anabasis". How do your life, goals, and interests reflect your personal quest from "the outer to the inner" and how can your experience abroad be used to benefit your world beyond your immediate placement.
2. The definition for "Bevy" is a group of birds - specifically quails whom are migratory game birds. Give a synopsis of your life using experiences in which you've traveled in comparison to that of a "bevy", and how those experiences helped you see the world differently.
3. Why travel?

Application & other required information should be turned in by **April 14, 2017**.

Application can be scanned or emailed to scholarship@abevy.org or mailed to:

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