

Upper Midwest Rebuild Scholarship

Application Instructions for the 2020/2021 Academic Year

Introduction

Individuals applying for a scholarship for study in Denmark during the 2020/2021 academic year must submit an application and supplemental information as described below by the deadline. The successful recipient(s) will be notified by email and U.S. mail. The scholarship award is based on the following:

- Eligible candidates: U.S. citizen or permanent resident of Danish background/extraction or an individual who has demonstrated a strong interest and commitment to Denmark and matters related to Denmark and the Danes (i.e. History, education, architecture, art, language, holidays, etc.).
- Enrollment in an undergraduate program at a university/college in Denmark for a minimum of one semester/trimester during the fall of 2020, spring of 2021, or both. Summer programs do **not** qualify.
- Criteria:
 - Leadership, Service and Community Involvement
 - Interest and Commitment to Denmark and Danish Related Matters
 - Academic Performance and Achievements

Application Checklist

The following documentation must be **received** by the appropriate deadline. If any of the items are missing and/or received after the deadline the application will NOT be considered.

- Completed Application and Personal Essay by email (combine into **one** Word or pdf file) saved in the following format: Last name_First name_Application. Do not include a resume!
- Official or unofficial academic transcript, including a current class registration list, by email.
Note: Award recipients will be required to submit an official transcript.
- Two letters of recommendation (1 page max) describing your skills/achievements in the areas of leadership, service, involvement, etc. The letters should be in Word or PDF format and emailed from a professional/business email (not personal) to applications@umrsc.org by the deadline stated below with the following in the subject line: LOR for "List name of applicant".
 - #1: From an academic professor/faculty member (TA's do not qualify).
 - #2: From a Manager/Supervisor of an organization or company with whom you have worked or volunteered.

Application Deadlines

Students studying in Denmark the Fall/Winter of 2020: **April 20, 2020**

Students studying in Denmark in the Winter/Spring of 2021: **October 19, 2020**

Interviews

Online interviews via www.gotomeeting.com will be conducted with the top-ranking applicants, by invitation, in May or June 2020 and November of 2020.

Contact Information

If you have any questions, please send an email to: applications@umrsc.org