

# **“The Loxley Purse”**

## **United Kingdom Study Scholarship**

Application for undergraduate students planning a semester or short-term study in England, Scotland, Northern Ireland or Wales

**FALL TERM DEADLINE** for submission of application and all materials: **March 15<sup>th</sup>**  
**SPRING TERM DEADLINE** for submission of application and all materials: **October 15<sup>th</sup>**

The Ohio Chapter of the British American Chamber of Commerce (BACC) is one of over 30 such Chapters in the USA, whose main purpose is to promote closer cooperation between the United Kingdom and the USA, particularly in the areas of trade and investment. The BACC has established The BACC Foundation, Inc., also, known as ***The Loxley Purse***, which is offering a \$2,500 scholarship to a selected Kent State University undergraduate student wishing to participate in a semester-long accredited study-abroad program in the UK. Kent State is providing a \$1,000 partial match for a total purse of **\$3,500**.

A selection board will interview selected applicants on to-be-determined dates in the Office of Global Education (Van Campen Hall), and the scholarship recipient will be announced shortly following the interview period. The award may be applied to program fees, travel, or living expenses for the study abroad program. Scholarship recipient selection will be based on academic performance, credentials, background, and convincing arguments of the benefits of the study-abroad experience. Special attention will be given to demonstrated maturity and confidence. The awardee will be asked to present his or her experiences at an event organized by the BACC.

### **Application Requirements**

1. Personal Information (see following page).
2. Official transcript of all completed college course work. GPA of 3.0 or more is required.
3. An essay discussing your credentials for this award, not to exceed two (2) pages in length (utilizing a legible font and size-not less than 11 point). Your essay must include the following:
  - a. How this experience in the UK will complement your studies here;
  - b. What you hope to learn about another culture;
  - c. How you envision sharing what you learn with others when your return; and
  - d. Include any other information you feel is pertinent.
4. Submit your essay in **two methods**:
  - a. Printed on 8 ½ by 11 inch paper and sent via regular U.S. Mail to Mr. Nick Vasiloff, Office of Global Education, 625 Loop Road, Van Campen Hall 106, Kent State University, Kent, Ohio 44242;
  - b. Word attachment sent via e-mail to [edabroad@kent.edu](mailto:edabroad@kent.edu).

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### **Personal Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ Anticipated date of graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Study-Abroad Program (& location) you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Program: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost of Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly state how this scholarship will affect your ability to participate in the study abroad program in which you plan to attend (attach additional pages, not more than two, if needed).

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If awarded the scholarship I agree to share the benefits of my study-abroad experience through a presentation to be given at a BACC event and through an article to be circulated in BACC and/or KSU Office of Global Education promotional materials. Further, I agree to assist the BACC at a fundraising event within twenty four months of the award.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_