

# National and Global Scholarships Advising

*Staff and Faculty Monthly Newsletter*

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*Emily Gemmill '22, 2021 Goldwater Nominee*

## Five OSU STEM students nominated to continue in national Goldwater competition

The Barry Goldwater Scholarship seeks to identify and support college sophomores and juniors who show exceptional promise of becoming research leaders in natural sciences, mathematics, and engineering fields. The award provides up to \$7,500 per year for a maximum of two years for undergraduate tuition and related expenses. In January, a committee of OSU faculty members nominated 5 students, out of a pool of 14 applicants, to continue in the national Goldwater competition. **Strong candidates for the Goldwater:**

- *Aspire to attain a PhD and be a career researcher*
- *Have a record of strong research experiences*
- *Have strong relationships with three research mentors, ideally professors and P.I.s*

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# Gilman Deadline Approaching!

The Gilman International Scholarship is an award of \$5,000 to defray costs of study abroad for undergraduate, Pell Grant recipient students. Refer students to us who have an interest in study abroad, especially non-western destinations.

- **When is the deadline?** March 2nd, 2021



## Myth Busters!

**Myth:** The Gilman Scholarship can only be used for study abroad programs, not international internships.

**Fact:** Study abroad, internship programs, and virtual international programs are eligible for Gilman.

**Myth:** Virtual programs are not eligible for the Gilman Scholarship.

**Fact:** Virtual international programs are eligible!

**Myth:** I'm not going to study or intern abroad this semester, so I'll wait until the next cycle to apply for Gilman.

**Fact:** The March 2021 deadline application encompasses Summer '21, Fall '21, Academic Year '21-'22, and Spring '22.

**Myth:** The Gilman Scholarship is so competitive, students are unlikely to receive it.

**Fact:** Approximately 1 in 4 Gilman applicants are selected! Historically about 1 in 3 OSU students have been selected.



Jane Vinesky '22, 2020 Gilman Scholar

## What You Can Do

- Refer students, especially freshman and sophomore, to us. It is **never too early** for students to start thinking about their futures.
  - You do not have to have a specific scholarship in mind to refer students to us. We are interested in talking with any student that is a **change-maker, leader, or innovator**, regardless of their major.
- Professional Development Opportunities:
  - Serve on one of OSU's internal review committees for Fulbright, Goldwater, etc. Reach out to LeAnn Adam if interested.
  - Serve as a reviewer for Gilman applications
- Repost our content on Instagram

