



# IPDS Travel Support Request

Return completed application and essay to: **Tamara Horstman-Riphahn**  
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For Buffalo State students seeking funding from their department and/or school unit to assist with travel expenses related to participation in an IPDS program. Complete application and submit to the School of Education Office of the Dean. The SOE will forward each request to the appropriate department chair and school dean to seek funding on behalf of the applicant. Funds received are provided as a reimbursement after travel is complete.

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Provide details about yourself and your status at Buffalo State

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Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
First Name

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Banner ID

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Undergraduate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Graduate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Major Department

## EXPERIENCE

Provide details about the experience into which you have been accepted or intend to apply.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Program Title/Location

\_\_\_\_\_  
Month(s)/Year of Travel

\_\_\_\_\_  
Program Leader(s)

Are you seeking funding support from other sources for this experience?

YES

NO

*If YES indicate: Funder / Funding Office*

*Amount Anticipated*

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Have you participated in any other IPDS or international programs at Buffalo State?

YES

NO

*If YES indicate: Program*

*Year of Travel*

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## ESSAY

Attach a statement that responds to the following prompts (2 pages maximum).

Describe how the IPDS experience relates to your course of study and/or your intellectual development. In particular, how it will build on previous experiences (e.g. study away, campus activities, volunteer/service learning, language development) and how it will improve your respect for and appreciation of cultures and communities. Describe your financial need/circumstances which impact your ability to participate, how this scholarship will assist you, and how you plan to supplement with other scholarships, loans, work, etc. Provide any other information you feel is relevant for the committee to know.