



The American Consulate General in Jerusalem Announces CIEE Access Scholarships for 2019 Summer Work & Travel (SWT)

The Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE) Work & Travel USA program provides university students the opportunity to experience the American way of life in a unique and exciting way during their university summer break. As a CIEE participant, students are able to work for up to four months and then, if they like, take up to 30 days to travel to the places they've always dreamed of.

While in the United States, participants work at non-skilled seasonal jobs, such as waiting tables in a restaurant, working in a shop as a cashier, operating rides or serving food in an amusement park, or working in a hotel or resort. Jobs range in locations across the United States, from U.S. National Parks, mountain and beach resorts and popular amusement and theme park areas. Participants with advanced-level English will have a wider variety of positions that they will be eligible to interview for, while participants with intermediate-level English will have a limited number of positions that they will be eligible for.

CIEE Access Scholarships include:

- CIEE Work & Travel USA program fee
- Job placement fee
- Travel insurance
- Required SEVIS U.S. immigration fee
- U.S. visa application fee
- Round trip transportation costs to their employment site
- Settling in allowance to cover travel incidentals and expenses before the first paycheck

Candidate Criteria:

In order to be eligible for the SWT program students at a minimum must:

- Be between 18 and 30 years old
- Be registered as a full-time student at a university or other institution of post-secondary education. The degree/diploma course in which students are registered must be at least two years in duration. Students in post-graduate courses that are less than two years (i.e. masters courses), are also eligible.
- Be able to successfully interact in an English-speaking environment, have sufficient English proficiency to navigate daily life, read and comprehend materials, and know how to obtain assistance when necessary
- Demonstrate an interest in engaging with U.S. culture and communities

CIEE is seeking candidates that are eager to develop their roles as global citizens for the Access Scholarship Program.



Application Deadline and Inquiries:

CIEE Access Scholarship Nomination Form:

- Each candidates must complete [CIEE Access Scholarship Nomination form online](#)..
- To be considered for the scholarship, each candidate must fully complete and submit the [online nomination form](#) including required attachments (passport scan and resume/CV) and signature.

Please submit your application no later than **December 24, 2018**.

Jerusalem and West Bank Applicants: Please contact Jerusalemexchanges@state.gov with any questions, or call 02-622-7188 for more information.

Gaza Applicants: Please send any questions to GazaExchanges@gmail.com