

Margaret E. Lavezzo Memorial Italy Travel Scholarship

Scholarship for \$ 2,500 for 2017-2018 Academic Year



Criteria and Student eligibility

- Minor in Italian** (completion of at least one upper division minor course)
- Eligible class levels: Sophomore, Junior and Senior**
- Mimimum GPA of 2.0 or higher (Good Standing)**
- Financial need will be considered but is not required**
- Full-time enrollment required when student applies**
- The scholarship is intended for students traveling to Italy for educational purposes**
- The scholarship is one-time and not renewable**

Essay and a Literary Translation: Please include a brief essay and a literary translation. 1. The essay should be in Italian and should state your educational intentions and goal for travel. It should be one page type written and double spaced. 2. Literary Translation from Dante, Petrarch, Leopardi, Renaissance *poetesse*, or a major modern or a contemporary Italian poet. Ten line minimum. The original text as well as original translation should be given. Any translations taken from the internet or previously published will render the applicant unsuitable.

Deadline: March 9, 2018 All material should be turned in to:
carleb@csus.edu via e-mail as PDF file or Microsoft Word.





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APPLICATION**

Name: _____

Student ID _____ Sophomore ___ Junior ___ Senior _____

Major _____ Minor _____

Current GPA _____

Courses taken for Italian Minor

This application requires you to complete the following **two** steps:

- A. Please write a brief essay of 500 words **in Italian** stating why you wish to travel to Italy and what you wish to accomplish there.
- B. Then complete **a literary translation** of a classic Italian poem, from the pre-Dantesque poets to Leopardi, the Renaissance poets or *poetesse*, Pascoli, Carducci, and/ or D'Annunzio. Modern poets such as Ungaretti, Montale, Gatto, Amelia Rosselli or Antonia Pozzi may also be translated. The poem translated should be at least 10 lines long and should not exceed 21 lines in length. Turn in the original Italian and your translation.

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