

2020 Application instructions for one \$2000 Coccia Foundation Scholarship and two \$1000 Elda & Joseph Coccia, Jr., Sponsored Scholarships.

Who can apply?

Any Rutgers undergraduate student planning to study abroad in Italy or pursue interest in the field of Italian Studies. Preference given to Majors and Minors of Rutgers Italian Dept.

What's first?

Access the applications: <https://italian.rutgers.edu/news-events/scholarships>

Next?

Write a personal statement in which you outline how receiving a scholarship from Coccia Foundation would assist in your Italian studies or career path after you graduate. Include details of how the scholarship will be utilized. Email personal statement no later than March 10th to: slama@rutgers.edu. Type Coccia in the subject line. Your personal statement will be reviewed by faculty and if needed, you'll be given advice on how to improve it. From there, make the improvements and send it back.

Next?

Ask for a faculty recommendation be emailed directly to: elisacoccia@cocciaFoundation.org

Then,

Gather Resume, Headshot, Current transcript and Application send via one email with the subject line: Coccia or drop off at the Italian Administrative Office, 15 Seminary Place, Room 5105 no later than March 25, 2020. This will be put together with your approved personal statement.

Now What?

Coccia Foundation will receive and review your application. Scholarship recipients will be contacted no later than April 15, 2020.

Questions?

Sheri La Macchia

Call 848-932-5004

Email: slama@rutgers.edu



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2020 COCCIA FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Applicant Name: _____

University / College: _____

Applicant's Major: _____ Minor: _____

Award Type: Study Abroad in Italy _____ Scholarship for Italian Studies _____

Please sign below if this student is an *active* member of the Italian club on campus:

AMICI Club President's Signature: _____

Faculty Advisor Signature: _____

THE FOLLOWING MUST BE ATTACHED OR THE APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED:

(Please use this checklist to ensure the following are included prior to mailing in one envelope)

Personal Statement ____ Resume ____ Headshot ____ Current Transcript ____

Only Faculty Recommendation emailed directly to elisacoccia@cocciafoundation.org _____

Payment Information

To be completed by Faculty Advisor

Due to 501 © 3 restrictions, check must be made payable to the University/College only (no exceptions).

Name of Payee - University/College Foundation: _____

Address of the University/College Foundation: _____

To whom letter should be addressed: _____

Contact information with any questions: _____

Tax I.D. # of University/College: _____

Student I.D. # _____

MAIL TO: COCCIA FOUNDATION, 23 LESWING AVENUE, SADDLE BROOK, N.J. 07663
ATTENTION: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

FIRM DEADLINE – Application MUST BE RECEIVED BY April 1, 2020
Recipients will be contacted on or before April 15, 2020



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