Adventure Learning Grant Information Sheet

The Adventure Learning Grant is a $20,000 stipend awarded annually to 3 Fairhaven students so that they may travel abroad to enrich their education with intellectual risk, challenge, and adventure. The purpose of the Adventure Learning Grant is to challenge students’ perspectives, enrich their education, expose them to intellectual risk, and help embody challenge and adventure as integral to a Fairhaven education.

**NOTE ON COVID19:** These are unique times. We are planning to continue with the ALG recruitment and selection process in the 2020/2021 academic year despite our inability to know whether international travel will be allowed for the next round of ALG awardees. We ask that you think about the uncertainty of our future travel options when preparing and applying - in case this level of uncertainty precludes you applying.

**Eligibility:**

Applicants must have completed at least two quarters at Fairhaven, must have their concentration filed or major declared prior to departure, and must be committed to returning to Fairhaven for three quarters following the 10 month period of the Adventure Learning Grant.

**Selection Criteria:**

- Creativity and ingenuity of proposed project
- Likelihood that proposed experience will challenge student's perspectives
- Extent to which culture(s) the student will experience differs from that of the United States
- Student's commitment to integrating the Adventure Learning experience into the Fairhaven community
- Probability that student will make full use of opportunities provided by the Adventure Learning Grant
- Student's awareness of the importance of learning respectfully from the people and culture(s) visited

**Important Dates:**

- **January 5, 2021** Applications due
- **January 6-10, 2021** Proposals read by Committee
- **January 10, 2021** Announce finalists
- **January 13 & 14, 2021** Interview Finalists
- **January 15, 2021** Grant recipients announced

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