

# Tufts

## *Programs in the French Alps* | 2009 SCHOLARSHIP FORM

### **PURPOSE AND ELIGIBILITY**

Scholarships of \$500–\$2000 are awarded each summer based on academic merit and financial need. Factors taken into consideration for scholarship awards include G.P.A., civic-mindedness, travel experience, the scholarship essay and the scholarship interview. Scholarships are available only to current Tufts University students and to qualified high school students applying to the Tufts Summit Program. Priority for the MacJannet and Simches Scholarships is given to those Tufts University students with at least a 3.0 cumulative G.P.A. who receive financial aid. Scholarship applicants must submit a completed registration form and the \$65 registration fee. MacJannet Scholarship applicants will be asked to come in for an interview as part of the decision process.

### **MACJANNET SCHOLARSHIPS**

The MacJannet Scholarships are awarded annually to promote international understanding through summer study abroad. These scholarships are named in honor of Donald and Charlotte MacJannet, the Tufts alumnus and his wife who made the Tufts Summer Programs in the French Alps possible by donating the building and grounds which now comprise Tufts' campus in the Talloires. Students awarded MacJannet Scholarships are required to work several hours per week during the Tufts in Talloires program by assisting with program administration or with community-service projects.

### **SEYMOUR SIMCHES SCHOLARSHIP**

The Simches Scholarship is named after Professor Seymour Simches, the first director of the Talloires Program, and is awarded to a Tufts student who displays a strong desire to improve his/her French by participating in the Tufts in Annecy program.

### **KAUFMAN SCHOLARSHIP**

The Kaufman scholarships are awarded annually to deserving young students chosen to participate in the Tufts Summit Program in Talloires. These scholarships are named in honor of Richard and Elaine Kaufman (J46), who created an endowed fund to support and promote international understanding by encouraging American students to study at the Tufts European Center and live with French families.

### **OTHER FORMS OF FINANCIAL AID**

Eligible students may receive federal financial aid when participating in approved study abroad programs. Summer Programs in the French Alps qualify because credit is awarded directly by Tufts University. Those federal aid programs that students may use include the Pell Grant, Perkins Loan and Family Loans (unsubsidized Stafford, subsidized Stafford, and PLUS). For more information, consult your college financial aid officer.

Please review the scholarship information on the previous page before completing this application. Return with a completed Summer Programs in the French Alps registration form, a completed housing form, and the \$65 registration fee. Incomplete scholarship applications will not be considered.

Last Name

First Name

For the following section, please type or print legibly your responses on a separate sheet of paper.

1. List any scholarships and/or amounts and sources of financial aid you are currently receiving (if any).
2. Briefly describe any scholastic distinctions or honors you have been awarded.
3. Indicate from which sources (i.e., wages from work prior to departure, parents, savings, etc.) you will obtain the balance of the fees, including the necessary spending money for books and day-to-day expenses while participating in the program.
4. List cocurricular and/or community activities you are currently involved in. Include specific events and/or accomplishments (such as musical instruments played, varsity letters earned, etc.).
5. List work experience (or attach resumé) and/or summer programs you have previously attended.
6. Please explain any unusual or specific circumstances you feel may be relevant to your scholarship request.
7. Please attach a brief statement describing your educational and career objectives and explain how the program to which you are applying will help you attain those goals. The 500–1,000 word statement should be typed.

8. For *Tufts Summit* applicants only: In addition to the other items, please have your parents enclose a photocopy of their most current tax form and a brief explanation of financial circumstances with this form.

**Note: Tufts students applying for the MacJannet or Simches Scholarships will be invited for a short interview to complete the application process.**

For which scholarship(s) are you applying?

- MacJannet Scholarship (*Tufts in Talloires*)
- Simches Scholarship (*Tufts in Annecy*)
- Kaufman Scholarship (*Tufts Summit*)

Scholarship applications are due by February 2 for *Tufts in Talloires*, by March 13 for *Tufts Summit*, and by April 3 for *Tufts in Annecy*. Scholarship applicants will be notified of awards before respective program deposit deadlines.

#### RETURN TO:

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