

GLOBAL LEARNING COMMITTEE

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Date Submitted: 2/18/19 Date Needed: ASAP Amount Requested: \$300
Event/Project Name: Wishing Chair Foundation Fundraising Event

The International Education Fund for Excellence provides funding for;

- Supplementing study away/study abroad experiences for students, faculty and staff who demonstrate financial need
- Hosting visiting international scholars and speakers
- Supporting professional development related to cultural competency and international curriculum
- Promoting global learning efforts and activities across the college
- Fostering other activities related to global education

Clearly state what funds will be used for. Please include how your requested amount relates to one or more of the funding categories listed above. Please be specific.

I will be traveling to Washington D.C. to attend a dinner at the Irish Embassy in support of The Wishing Chair Foundation, a newly formed organization that is raising money to help support community college students who wish to attend the Institute for Study Abroad, Ireland. Niamh Hamill, the Institute's director, invited me to attend with English Instructor Sue Mach and share the experience I had traveling and learning with CCC faculty, students, and community members. This trip fits three of the outcomes of the International Education Fund for Excellence. First, I will be promoting the formation of needed funding for community college students who might not otherwise have the opportunity to travel. Second, I will discuss the impact that my trip had on me, how it connected me not only with my past, but also to current social and political events in Ireland. Also, I developed lasting friendships, both within my community and abroad. Finally, enabling students to fund their international travel will most certainly foster a global mindset among students and encourage other learning and community activities related to global education.

Describe any other funding sources you will be using to support this activity.

I have received \$200 from the Communication Department and \$300 from the English Department

ADDITIONAL DETAILS:

- I understand that I may be required to submit a budget.
- I also understand that if funds are granted, I may be required to present a summary of the experience before the Global Learning Committee.
- Please attach any supporting documentation that will help the committee in making our decision

Signature:  Date: 2/18/19

Please submit completed application to Ida Flippo at iflippo@clackamas.edu or Harmony West 315 as soon as possible. For questions please call 503.594.3363. Approval may take up to two weeks.

TO BE COMPLETED BY Global Learning Committee

Date Received : _____

Date Reviewed: _____

Awarded: YES NO

Amount Awarded _____ DATE _____