

WSU College of Business in partnership with the Department of Foreign Languages and Cultures Presents:

## BUSINESS AND FOREIGN LANGUAGE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM SPONSORED BY BOEING

### ***What is it?***

An opportunity for business majors to gain proficiency in a foreign language by combining course work with an intensive immersion experience in the foreign language of their choice. After gaining foreign language proficiency recipients are eligible for a summer internship with the Boeing Company.

### ***How does it work?***

Business majors interested in gaining foreign language proficiency apply for financial support under the program. Expenses for a foreign language immersion program, exclusive of travel, are covered by a stipend from the Business and Foreign Language Fellowship Program.

Exact amounts of financial support will vary, but have been up to \$18,000. Final amount of support will be at the discretion of the Director of International Initiatives of the College of Business, and will depend on the strength and length of the program, the language involved, and available funds.

### ***Who can apply?***

Any certified business major may apply. Students intending to certify a major in the College of Business may also apply upon presentation of a statement of intention and documentation of their progress toward meeting certification requirements.

All foreign languages are eligible. Students who will have completed 4 semesters of foreign language courses by the time of the award will receive preference. Students considering languages not taught at WSU will be considered on a case by case basis.

### ***How do I apply?***

Awards will be made for summer, semester, and year-long programs. Applications are available at the College of Business Dean's Office Todd 570 year round during normal business hours. Applications for 2009 and 2009-2010 terms of study will be accepted until November 7, 2008. Awards for summer, spring, fall semester and year-long programs will be made by December 1. Students considering study in 2010 are encouraged to apply in this round since funding for later awards has as yet not been determined.

### ***What about the Internship?***

Recipients will be considered for an internship at Boeing after completing their language training. While the program intends that the internship will be in an area that will utilize the acquired foreign language skills, Boeing does not guarantee such a placement. All award recipients will receive an opportunity for a Boeing internship within the parameter of Boeing's internship selection and placement procedures.

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