

**ANNOUNCEMENT  
OF SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDIES IN GREECE  
FOR THE MODERN GREEK LANGUAGE AND CULTURE**

**(17th Programme, 2008-2009)**

The State Scholarships Foundation (I.K.Y.) announces that it will offer up to sixty (60) scholarships to foreigners (or foreign nationals of Greek descent) from Asia, Africa, North and South America, Oceania and Europe in order to attend courses and seminars of the Modern Greek Language and Culture.

***REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY***

Applicants must:

1. Be nationals of Asia, Africa, North and South America, Oceania and Europe.
2. Hold a graduate degree from a foreign University in Humanities (Archaeology, Educational Studies, Ethnology, Folklore, History, Linguistics, Literature, Philology, Philosophy, Psychology, Theatrology, Theology, Sociology, Translation).
3. Not exceed fifty (50) years of age (date of birth not before 1958).
4. Have basic knowledge of the Greek language.

***DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED***

Applicants meeting the above requirements until the submission deadline should submit through the Greek Diplomatic Authorities the following documents:

1. An application form with one recent photograph.
2. A curriculum vitae.
3. A birth certificate.
4. A health certificate by a state hospital.
5. University Diplomas - Degrees.
6. Official certificates indicating the knowledge of Greek or English.
7. A certificate of previous employment, if there is any.
8. Two letters of recommendation.
9. A copy of the passport.

All the above - mentioned documents must be written or translated into Greek or English or French. In addition documents numbered 3, 4, 5, 6 and 9 must be officially validated by the Greek Diplomatic Authorities (The Greek Embassy or Consulate).

Applicants must submit only validated photocopies of the required documents and not originals because the submitted documents will not be returned. Incomplete, inaccurate or illegible application dossiers lead to disqualification from consideration.

Applicants who are or have been scholarship holders of I.K.Y. will be excluded from the programme.

Applications by undergraduates who have not yet obtained their University degree will not be considered.

### **SUBMISSION DATE**

The submission deadline is May 30, 2008.

Applicants will be informed of the results through the Greek Diplomatic Authorities after July 2008.

### **DURATION OF THE SCHOLARSHIP**

The duration of the scholarship is eight months (8 months) and the scholarship is offered only for the attendance of courses and seminars of the Modern Greek Language and Culture in a Greek University.

The courses start on the 1<sup>st</sup> of October 2008 and finish on the 31<sup>st</sup> of May 2009.

At the completion of the programme of studies the Greek University offers a special certificate of attendance.

### **FINANCIAL PROVISIONS**

The scholarship provides:

- a. Free feeding and accommodation.
- b. Tuition fees and other running costs.
- c. Free medical care in case of emergency.
- d. A monthly allowance of 150,00 euros (net amount of money) for personal expenses.
- e. 200,00 euros for initial expenses.

### **OBLIGATIONS OF THE SCHOLARS**

Scholarship holders must attend regularly the courses and must participate in all the activities of the programme of studies.

They must also submit to I.K.Y. a declaration (validated by the Greek Diplomatic Authorities) that they commit themselves to return to their native countries and work there for at least five years; otherwise, they must pay back the total amount of the scholarship. The Greek Diplomatic Authorities are responsible for ensuring that the scholarship holders do, in fact return and stay in their native countries.

Athens, March 19, 2008.

**THE APPLICATION  
AND THE NECESSARY SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS  
ARE SUBMITTED TO THE GREEK DIPLOMATIC AUTHORITIES (EMBASSY OR CONSULATE)**

*YOU ARE KINDLY REQUESTED TO KEEP A COPY*

**APPLICATION FOR A SCHOLARSHIP FOR ATTENDANCE OF  
GREEK LANGUAGE AND CULTURE  
(17th PROGRAMME, ACADEMIC YEAR 2008-2009)**

Inaccurate incomplete, inadequate or illegible filling of the form may lead to disqualification from consideration. Applications not accompanied with the necessary supporting documents  
- see relevant announcement - will not be examined.

PERSONAL DATA:

- 1. Family name .....
- 2. First name .....
- 3. Father's name .....
- 4. Mother's name .....
- 5. Present occupation .....
- 6. Place of birth .....
- 7. Date of birth .....
- 8. a. Nationality ..... b. Citizenship .....
- 9. a. Passport number .....b. Date of issue .....
- 10. Sex:        male                       female
- 11. Married or single .....
- 12. Postal address .....
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- (Please write down the postal address of your permanent residence, i.e. state of province, town, street and number, postal code, telephone number, fax)*
- 13. Obtained degrees(graduate/postgraduate titles)-Educational Institutions .....
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- 14. Type and class of degrees (exp. Honours, Pass, etc.) .....
- .....
- Mother tongue .....
- Other language(s) (excellent-good-fair) .....
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15. Have you ever obtained other scholarships for studies in Greece by I.K.Y. or another institution; (If so, specify the institution, the programme and the duration of the scholarship) .....

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**Attached here to:**

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| 1. A recent photograph attached on the application form                 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Curriculum vitae   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Birth Certificate  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Health certificate by a state hospital                               | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Certified copy of University Diplomas - Degrees                      | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. Official certificates indicating the knowledge of Greek or English   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. Certificate (or affirmation) of previous employment, if there is any | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 8. Two letters of recommendation  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. A copy of the passport   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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Signature

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Place and date

**Note :** All the above-mentioned documents must be written or translated into Greek or English or French. Furthermore, documents numbered 3, 4, 5, 6 and 9 should be officially validated by the Greek Diplomatic Authorities.

*SCHOLARSHIPS PROGRAMME*  
*FOR MODERN GREEK LANGUAGE AND CULTURE*  
**OFFERED TO FOREIGNERS**  
**(ACADEMIC YEAR 2008-2009)**

***PERSONAL DATA FOR COMPUTER USE***

(Using Latin alphabet in capital letters)

Family Name : .....

First Name : .....

Father's Name : .....

Citizenship : .....

Nationality : .....

Date of Birth : .....

Sex : Male  Female

Passport Number : .....

Date of issue : .....

Postal Address : .....

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Field of Studies : .....

Graduate Title : .....

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Remarks (to be completed from I.K.Y.)

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Date : .....

Signature : .....