

**Brad and Karen Radulovacki
Travel and Language Study Grants
Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures
2023-2024**



The Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures is pleased to announce a call for applications for the Brad and Karen Radulovacki Travel and Study Grant to support study of Russian or other Slavic language, literature or culture. Northwestern undergraduate and graduate students are eligible for the grant.

Grants are available to students who seek additional language study during the summer or are participating in a study abroad program focusing on language, literature or culture during the regular academic year. Requests for other travel funding – conferences, research, special projects, etc. – may also be considered, but preference is given to language study or study/research in a Slavic language.

COVID and the Russian invasion of Ukraine exemption: We hope that travel to multiple destinations will be possible in Summer 2024. If not, we would also sponsor language programs located in the United States or online language courses. However, this is a travel grant, and, if possible, study on site is preferred.

Please consider travel to the destination that is the subject of your research/language study, but do include possible alternatives, should the pandemic and/or the war prevent you from travel to your preferred destination. Having alternative itineraries, however, is not a requirement.

Questions? Please contact Prof. Martina Kerlova at: m-kerlova@northwestern.edu. Students with no previous travel experience are highly encouraged to apply. Successful applicants should have a cumulative GPA higher than 3.0 at the undergraduate level and higher than 3.5 at the graduate level.

Please submit your application **by February 12, 2024**.

To apply for a grant, please complete and submit this form to the Slavic Department:

Date: _____

Name: _____

Email: _____

Undergraduate Graduate

Major and Minor: _____

Graduate program: _____

Year at Northwestern: _____

Describe your program, including, if possible, name, location, dates, & cost (100 words or less):

Alternative use of your grant if travel restrictions take place (if you have any, not a condition):

NOTE: In addition to the information above, before a grant can be awarded, we will need:

- Proof of acceptance into this program or conference.
- An estimated budget, showing total costs (airfare, fees, living expenses, etc.). Please indicate what funds you have already and any other anticipated sources of support.
- A copy of your unofficial transcript

Submission deadline:

Please submit a combined pdf of your application to:

Prof. Martina Kerlova m-kerlova@northwestern.edu by **Monday, February 12, 2024**.

The awardees will be contacted by the end of March.