# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

The Benson Hotel Scholarship for PSU Students Whose Focus of Study on China-Related Areas or Who are Currently Studying Chinese Language at PSU

Return completed application directly to: Attention:

**The Benson Hotel Scholarship for China Area and Chinese Language Studies**
Confucius Institute, OIA-CI, Portland State University, P.O. Box 751, Portland, OR 97207-0751
OR
632 SW Hall Street, Room 306 (East Hall), Portland State University, Portland, Oregon 97201

The Benson Hotel Scholarship is to support PSU students whose focus of study and research is China or China area studies or who study Chinese language at PSU

**APPLICANT:**

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**TWO REFERENCES (should be an academic adviser and/or professor.)**

Please ask your referees to send a letter of recommendation directly to the address at the top of this form.

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Scholarship Application - Instructions

Benson Hotel Scholarship for China Area and Chinese Language Studies

Scholarship Award Criteria:

i) Name: The Benson Hotel Scholarship for China Area and Chinese Language Studies

ii) Purpose: Support PSU students whose focus of study is China-related areas and Chinese Language studies

iii) Amount: Amount: $1,000 for each qualified student

iv) Criteria for Scholarship Recipients:
   1. Field of study: All disciplines
   2. Class level: Undergraduate or graduate level
   3. Financial need: Will be considered but might not be the main factor
   4. Academic record/GPA: 3.0 and above
   5. Number of Awards: 2 per year

v) Selection Process: Selection Committee: Mel Gurtov, Pat Wetzel, Meiru Liu, Ron Gladney

Scholarships shall be awarded on a competitive basis among qualified applicants enrolled and with good academic standing at Portland State University ("PSU") and in accordance with PSU’s general scholarship selection guidelines and processes.

Application Process:

Please submit the following application documents:

- Application form
- Statement of purpose (1-2 page essay of why you are applying for this scholarship & how your area of study will contribute to your future activities)
- Unofficial transcript from PSU (Banweb printout OK)
- 2 letters of recommendation from professors or academic advisors

Deadline:
March 1st, 2013 (The scholarship will be awarded for Fall Term, 2013)

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