

PAN AMERICAN ROUND TABLES OF TEXAS FLORENCE TERRY GRISWOLD SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

DATE: Fall 2023

TO: Campus Administrators for International Education and Directors of Financial Aid RE: Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship to be awarded for the 2024-2025 Academic Year

Your office may photocopy the enclosed four items as needed. This information is also available online at www.partt.org/scholarship.

- 1. Guidelines for FTG Scholarship I
- 2. Guidelines for FTG Scholarship II
- 3. Application Forms for 2023-2024 Awards
- 4. Poster with FTG Scholarship Information

Please bring these scholarships to the attention of eligible female graduate students or faculty members at your college/university. These scholarships are not restricted to any one academic field. Application for, or award of, another scholarship does not disqualify a candidate. Scholarship II does not require enrollment in a college/university during the time spent in the foreign country.

The Chairman of the FTG Scholarship Committee must receive the application postmarked no later than <u>January 31, 2024</u>. No faxes will be accepted. Official cumulative transcripts through Fall 2023 must be attached.

We are strongly committed to fulfilling the vision of our founder Florence Terry Griswold that knowledge leads to understanding and friendship amongst the people in the Western Hemisphere when scholarship, like ours, are given.

We would appreciate receiving any corrections in names and addresses of appropriate contact personnel at your institution. Those corrections can be emailed to Ana Peña Flores at anapflores@sbcglobal.net. Please receive our anticipated thanks for your assistance in coordinating the effort to locate candidates on your campus.

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Pan American Round Tables of Texas Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship for Female Graduate Students and Faculty From Texas or a Pan American Country

Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship I: \$ 2,500 (one award)

For a woman who is a citizen of a Pan American country (other than the United States) and is pursuing a graduate degree at a state-sponsored college or university in Texas. *More than \$ 2,500 may be awarded in years when funds are available.*

Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship II: \$ 2,000 (one award)

For a woman who is a native U.S. citizen and a legal Texas resident, is classified as a graduate student or a college faculty member engaged in specialized study of the languages or cultures of a Pan American country, will study or do research in a Pan American country (other than the United States). More than \$ 2,000 may be awarded in years when funds are available.

Application Deadline: January 31, 2024

For additional information go online to www.partt.org/scholarships or contact your campus Financial Aid Officer, Study Abroad Advisor or International Student Advisor.



Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship II

The Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship II is awarded annually by the Pan American Round Tables of Texas. This Scholarship, named in honor of the founder of the Pan American Round Table, assists a female student or faculty member from Texas in pursuing her studies in another Pan American country.

Applicant Qualifications

An applicant must be a female who is a native citizen of the United States of America and a legal resident of the state of Texas. She must be the holder of a bachelor's or equivalent degree or a college professor engaged in specialized study of any of the languages or cultures of the Pan American countries. She must demonstrate her ability to put the results of her study in a Pan American country to use upon her return to Texas.

Application Requirements

- 1) Completed application form.
- 2) Letter of recommendation:
 - o If the candidate is a college professor, a letter of recommendation from the dean of the graduate school or head of the academic department in which the applicant has been or is currently enrolled or employed.
 - o If the candidate is a graduate student, letters of recommendation from two professors in her field of study, which comment on her ability as a student and desirability as a candidate for this scholarship.
- 3) Written statement by the applicant describing her plans for utilization of her study experience in a Pan American country.
- 4) A graduate student applicant must submit an official cumulative transcript through Fall 2023 semester.
- 5) The Scholarship Committee Chairman must receive the completed application form, letter(s) of recommendation and an official cumulative transcript by January 31, 2024. Submissions may not be faxed or emailed as it must be suitable for photocopying.

 Application must be mailed to:

PARTT Scholarship Committee Chairman 501 Sesame Lane Laredo, TX 78045

Terms of Scholarship

- 1) The Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship II is a grant of at least \$ 2,000 for study or research in a Pan American country (other than the United States), payable directly to the scholarship recipient upon receipt of substantiated proof of her plans for foreign study. The grant is usually \$2,000, but in some years it may be greater if funds are available.
- 2) Once selected, the recipient may be asked to complete a personal interview with a representative of the Pan American Round Table in the recipient's region.
- 3) The recipient is responsible for reporting her experiences and the results of her study to the Pan American Round Tables of Texas Scholarship Committee upon her return.
- 4) Pan American Round Tables of Texas is not responsible for the personal affairs of the scholarship recipient to the extent of providing holiday or vacation accommodations or job arrangements.



Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship II Application for Academic Year 2024-2025

Complete Scholarship requirements are available online at www.partt.org/scholarship

APPLICANT INFORMATION	(Please type or print; use additional paper if necessary)
Name:	Country of citizenship:
	State/Zip Code:
Telephone:	Cell:
Email Address:	
Academic Institution:	
Current Academic Classificat	ion: (i.e. MA Candidate, Ph.D. Candidate, Professor):
Grade Point Average:	
Honors (include date of recei	pt):
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	ort:

Include a statement of your plans for use of your study experience in a Pan American country.

Mail the completed application along with all supporting documents to the address below, postmarked NO later than **January 31, 2024.**

PARTT Scholarship Committee Chairman 501 Sesame Lane Laredo, Texas 78045



Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship I

The **Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship I** is awarded annually by the Pan American Round Tables of Texas. This Scholarship, named in honor of the founder of the Pan American Round Table, assists a female student from one of the Pan American countries (other than the United States) in pursuing her studies in the state of Texas.

Applicant Qualifications

An applicant must be a female student who is a native citizen of one of the Pan American countries (other than the United States) defined as those countries that comprise the Organization of American States (OAS)/Pan American Union. She must hold a bachelor's or equivalent degree, and be furthering her work on a master's or equivalent degree at a state-supported college or university in Texas. Preference will be given to an applicant who will return to her native country and put her U.S. studies and training to use after completion of her graduate degree.

Application Requirements

- 1) Completed application form.
- 2) Two letters of recommendation, one from the student's academic advisor and one from another professor at the state-supported institution in which she is currently enrolled. The letters should describe the applicant's academic ability, potential for success in her chosen field, and desirability as a candidate for the scholarship.
- 3) An official cumulative transcript through Fall 2023 semester.
- 4) The Scholarship Committee Chairman must receive the completed application form, two letters of recommendation, and an official cumulative transcript postmarked no later than **January 31, 2024.** Submissions **may not** be faxed or e-mailed as they must be suitable for photocopying. Application must be mailed to:

PARTT Scholarship Committee Chairman 501 Sesame Lane Laredo, TX 78045

Terms of Scholarship

- 1) The **Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship I** is a grant of at least **\$2,500** for one year of study at a state-supported Texas university, paid in installments of one-half per semester, or one-third per trimester, depending upon the calendar at the academic institution of the recipient. *The grant is usually \$2,000, but in some years it may be greater if funds are available.*
- 2) At the beginning of each term (semester or trimester), the appropriate sum due the recipient will be deposited with the proper school authority; who, acting as the trustee for Pan American Round Tables of Texas, will pay the scholarship recipient.
- 3) If the recipient fails to enroll in any term of the year for which the scholarship was granted, the sum of money held in trust by the school shall be returned to Pan American Round Tables of Texas.
- 4) The recipient is responsible for maintaining a 3.0 (i.e., "B") average, and sending verification of each term's grades to the Pan American Round Tables of Texas Scholarship Committee Chairman.
- 5) Pan American Round Tables of Texas is not responsible for the personal affairs of the scholarship recipient to the extent of providing holiday or vacation accommodations or job arrangements.
- 6) The scholarship recipient will be asked to provide a photo for use in the Pan American Round Tables of Texas publication. *Panamericana Texana*.



Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship I Application for Academic Year 2024-2025

Complete Scholarship requirements are available online at www.partt.org/scholarship

APPLICANT INFORMATION	(Please type or print; use additional paper if necessary)
Name:	Country of citizenship:
	State/Zip Code:
Telephone:	Cell:
Email Address:	
	ion: (i.e. MA Candidate, Ph.D. Candidate, Professor):
Grade Point Average:	
Honors (include date of recei	pt):
Campus/ Community Activitie	es:

Employment/Financial Suppo	ort:

Include a statement of your plans for use of your study experience in a Pan American country.

Mail the completed application along with all supporting documents to the address below, postmarked NO later than **January 31, 2024.**

PARTT Scholarship Committee Chairman 501 Sesame Lane Laredo, Texas 78045