

George J. Mitchell Scholarship

Purpose	The Mitchell Scholarship, named to honor the former U.S. Senator's pivotal contribution to the Northern Ireland peace process, is designed to introduce and connect generations of future American leaders to the island of Ireland, while recognizing and fostering intellectual achievement, leadership, and a commitment to public service and community.
Award	Will pay for one year of postgraduate study in any discipline at any university on the island of Ireland. 12 Scholars are chosen per year.
Amount	Tuition, housing, an international travel stipend as well as transportation costs at the beginning and conclusion of the program
Eligibility	Must be a citizen of the US and be between the ages of 18 but not yet 30 on Oct 1 of the year of application.
Campus Deadline	Sept 1 st
Deadline	Early October each year, but due to the number of recommendations you need you should start this process early.
Application	Online only, includes a 1000 word personal statement. you must identify <u>5</u> recommenders and if you are still a full-time student at USI you must also have an institutional endorsement.
USI Contact	Dr. Ken Walsh, walsh@usi.edu, 461-5253, SC2263.
Other	http://www.us-irelandalliance.org/