

2017 Recipients

• *Travel & Education Scholarship*



2017 *Travel & Education Scholarship* recipient, **Polina Walsh** to attend Camp Norwich University, in Northfield, Vermont



2017 *Travel & Education Scholarship* recipient, **Rosanna Morel** to attend The Experiment in International Living's High School Summer Program in Spain: *Regional Cultures*



2017 *Travel & Education Scholarship* recipient, **Gilleyanne Davis-Oakes** to attend Bold Earth's program in Costa Rica: *Costa Rica Active*



2017 *Travel & Education Scholarship* recipient, **Jordan Radley** to attend a summer program at the National Academy for Future Scientists and Technologists in Lowell, Massachusetts

2017 Recipient

• *EIL Partnership Scholarship*



2017 *EIL Partnership Scholarship* recipient, **Keaton Lear** to attend The Experiment in International Living's High School Summer Program in Spain: *Language and Cultural Traditions*.

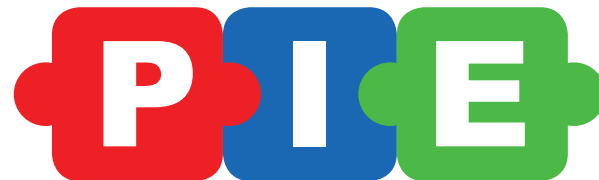
PIE's Scholarship Committee

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The PIE Scholarship Committee designs the structure of each of PIE's Scholarship programs. Members are involved in the evaluation process for applicants to the *Travel & Education Scholarship* and the *EIL Partnership Scholarship*.

For more information about these and other PIE Scholarships, please visit:
www.PartnersInIslandEducation.org



2017 Update

PIE's Scholarships for High School Education & Travel

- *Travel & Education Scholarship*
- *EIL Partnership Scholarship*



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What is PIE's

• *Travel & Education Scholarship?*

Established in 2012 through a generous donation by a summer family, PIE's *Travel & Education Scholarships* are awarded annually to current high school students who seek to attend travel programs and/or educational programs in the U.S. or abroad. Each *Travel & Education Scholarship* is a one-time award of varying amounts up to \$2,500, and is awarded to multiple high school students each year. PIE's Scholarship Committee evaluates applicants for the *Travel & Education Scholarship* using a scoring rubric to fairly and consistently evaluate all applicants.

Application Criteria

- Educational benefit of program/travel plan
- Quality/appropriateness of program/travel plan
- Student's transcript and academic record
- School and community activities
- Recommendations
- Student's resume
- Financial need

Scholarship Deadlines and Decisions

Spring/Summer/Fall educational/travel programs

Application Deadline: January 15

Scholarship Decision: by January 30

Summer/Fall/Winter educational/travel programs

Application Deadline: May 15

Scholarship Decision: by May 30

What is PIE's

• *EIL Partnership Scholarship?*

PIE is excited to announce a new scholarship! Beginning in 2017, one Vinalhaven high school student each year who has already been accepted into *The Experiment in International Living's High School Summer Abroad Program* will be awarded an *EIL Partnership Scholarship* of \$5,000 (\$2,500 of which is contributed by PIE, and \$2,500 by The Experiment).

The Experiment in International Living's High School Summer Abroad Program

This program offers students the opportunity to engage in foreign exchange for 3–5 weeks in Africa, the Americas, Asia, Europe, or the Pacific, while learning the language and traditions of their host country. During their time abroad students gain a deeper understanding of a chosen subject, including the arts, community service, cooking, ecology, language study, photography, and theater, while actively participating in hands-on learning every step of the way. These experiences provide uniquely enriching, once-in-a-lifetime educational opportunities for all participants.

Application Process

Candidates for the *EIL Partnership Scholarship* begin the process by applying to *The Experiment in International Living's High School Summer Abroad Program*. Applications are available at: www.experiment.org.

One Vinalhaven student who has been accepted by *The Experiment's High School Summer Abroad Program* will be awarded the *EIL Partnership Scholarship*, based on consideration of the student's:

- Transcript and academic record
- School and community activities
- Recommendations
- Resume

Past Recipients of PIE's Scholarships for High School Education & Travel

• *Travel & Education Scholarship*

- 2015/16 **Andrea Shane**
International Volunteer Headquarters
- 2015/16 **Emily Baird**
Worldwide Opportunities on Organic Farms
- 2014/15 **Ashley Davis-Oakes**
Downeast School of Massage
- 2014/15 **Keaton Lear,**
People to People Ambassador Program
- 2014/15 **Hannah Noyes**
The Traveling School
- 2014/15 **Dreyenn Osgood**
Maine Summer Youth Music
- 2014/15 **Lily Warren**
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- 2013/14 **Trevor Farrelly**
Envision: Engineering and Technology
- 2013/14 **MaKenzie Young**
National Youth Leadership Forum
- 2013/14 **Zoey Warren**
People to People Ambassador Program
- 2012/13 **Abby Harris**
People to People Ambassador Program
- 2012/13 **Alex Day**
Ocean Classroom HS Semester at Sea Program

• *EIL Partnership Scholarship*

- 2017 **Keaton Lear**
Spain: Language and Cultural Traditions