# Amado Foundation Scholarship for the

# ASU Israel Counter-Terrorism Study Abroad Program

**Criteria:**

1. Must be a registered ASU student (minimum sophomore; continuing enrollment as an ASU student in Fall 2022) with GPA at least 2.5.
2. Must complete Counter-Terrorism Study Abroad Application on the ASU Studio Abroad website: <https://studyabroad.asu.edu/index.cfm?FuseAction=Programs.ViewProgram&Program_ID=2860>
3. Must be returning for enrollment for Fall 2022 (those graduating before Fall 2022 are ineligible).
4. Only students in **CONFIRMED** status by confirmation deadline will be eligible for scholarship disbursement. Those who withdraw their application are no longer eligible for the scholarship.

**Application Procedure:**

* Copy of unofficial current college/university transcript
* Two letters of recommendation (ideally one academic and the other from an employer or community service supervisor)
* Scholarship Application with detailed responses to listed questions (see next page)
* Resume

**About this scholarship:**

This scholarship is funded through the Amado Foundation to enhance encourage students’ efforts in studying the complex dynamics of counter-terrorism in Israel. This is a need-based/merit-based scholarship to assist in paying the program fee, although the student will be responsible for paying all other costs associated with the program, including airfare, additional meals, and remaining program fees. ***Scholarship funding is disbursed per Financial Aid distribution dates, so students may not receive funding until just before or during travel dates; program fee payment deadlines may be adjusted to allow students to make payments without incurring any late charges***.

**INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED**

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED (by mail or email) BY FEBRUARY 15, 2022**

Award recipients will be notified by March 1, 2022

**RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO:**

Dr. Rebecca Loftus, ASU School of Criminology and Criminal Justice,

411 North Central Avenue, Suite 600 (Mail Code 4420), Phoenix, AZ 85004

Or via email: loftus@asu.edu

**For questions or more information, send your inquiry to:** loftus@asu.edu

# Amado Foundation Scholarship Application

# ASU Israel Counter-Terrorism Study Abroad Program

Name:

Mailing Address:

City, State, Zip:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

**On a separate paper, please provide detailed responses to the following questions:**

1. Provide a personal statement giving information about yourself and your academic journey. Describe any challenges you’ve encountered and how you’ve overcome these challenges.
2. Explain in detail how participation in the ASU Israel Counter-Terrorism Study Abroad Program will enhance your future prospects, including plans for future employment, education, etc. This should describe your interest in counter-terrorism studies and how it links to your future plans.
3. Discuss your understanding of the Arab-Israeli conflict, including major concerns and considerations that need to be addressed. Optional: what are your suggestions for resolution?
4. Describe your financial status and how you plan to fund the remaining amount of the program fee and other expenses for the program.

Responses should be detailed to provide as much information as possible to the scholarship committee. Carefully put-together, in-depth submissions have a significantly increased chance of receiving an award.

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_