



## PAN AMERICAN ROUND TABLES OF TEXAS

### 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 Tables, 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:
  - a. 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.
  - b. 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 2016 semester.
- 5) The Scholarship Committee Chairman must receive the completed application form, letter(s) of recommendation and an official cumulative transcript by **January 31, 2017**. Application must be mailed to: Scholarship Committee Chairman 1701 W. Smith Edinburg, TX 78541. No material may be faxed or e-mailed because it must be suitable for photocopying.

#### 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 might 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.