

ECHO ABROAD: Footsteps in Rwanda

Dickson Scholarships for Global Study

In this age of globalization, it is vital that young people expand their knowledge, heighten their sensitivity, and broaden their awareness of critical world issues so that they develop into compassionate adults. Travel and hands-on experiences have the capacity to transform students in a way that transcends classroom learning; only by “doing” can young people fully appreciate the challenges that face them as future leaders.

This unique travel and leadership initiative offers ten high school students and three nursing students the exceptional opportunity to travel to Rwanda, which serves as a striking example both of the consequences of indifference and the power of individual initiative in service to humanity.

Through an extensive application and interview process, diverse students from across our region have been chosen to participate. Each student demonstrates eager curiosity, a passion for justice, and an innate sense of responsibility for humankind. Their experience with *ECHO ABROAD: Footsteps in Rwanda* will further develop these traits, making these students better equipped to take their place in the world as respectful adults dedicated to compassionate and ethical action.

Millenium Level (full scholarship) **\$10,000**

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- Table for 10 at the Award Dinner in the Patron Circle
- Ten complimentary tickets to the Patrons’ Reception
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- Recognition in all printed materials & on Echo website



Century Level (half scholarship) **\$5,000**

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