Please submit the Cultural Sharing Hours Attestation Form each fall and spring semester, to verify that you have completed a minimum of 10 hours of cultural sharing per semester. This form can be submitted at any time during the semester after completing your hours; however, the form must be submitted no later than the last day of final examinations each term. The link to the form is located in the right-hand column of the main ACSS Scholarship page (on the International Student and Study Abroad Services website), under the “Submitting Hours” section. *Failure to submit this form each semester will result in loss of the scholarship award.*

EXAMPLES OF QUALIFIED ACSS HOURS:

- Give a presentation about your culture (per event) - 1 hour
- Table advertising/selling tickets (per day/session) - 1 hour
- Write approved article in an organization newsletter - 1 hour
- Teaching/attending world language lessons (per day/session) - 2 hours
- Airport Pick-up volunteer (per semester) - 2 hours
- Homecoming Parade volunteer (fall term) - 2 hours
- Participate in a Soccer/Cricket/Sport Tournament (per event) - 2 hours
- Participate in a food or cultural festival/activity (per event) - 2 hours
- Volunteer activity with Volunteer Network/local organization - 2 hours
- Volunteer activity with a local organization or NDSU department - 2 hours
- Participate in the Speakers’ Fair (spring term) - 3 hours
- Sandbagging/volunteering with flood protection (spring term) - 5 hours
- Kujenga or Harambee (per event) - 5 hours
- Officer in an official NDSU organization (per semester) - 10 hours
- I-CORE Member (per semester) - 10 hours
- Equity and Diversity Ambassador (per semester) - 10 hours
- Global Outreach (GO) Ambassador (per semester) - 10 hours

WHAT DOES NOT COUNT?

- Any service for which you are paid or otherwise compensated.

**DEADLINES** (for submission of Cultural Sharing Hours Attestation Form)

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RESOURCES FOR FINDING CULTURAL SHARING AND VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

- [NDSU International Student & Study Abroad Services](#), Memorial Union 116
- [NDSU Volunteer Network](#), Memorial Union 120
- [NDSU Campus Calendar](#)

IMPORTANT NOTICES

Cultural sharing hours are not awarded for membership in organizations. If you are graduating, you still need to complete 10 hours during the semester you graduate in order to keep the scholarship on your account. Because it is a privilege to receive a scholarship from a university, the Office of International Student & Study Abroad Services must ensure that the students who receive the scholarship meet certain requirements in order to remain eligible and that the recipients are good representatives of the NDSU student community. Students who lose the scholarship for any violation of scholarship requirements are not eligible to receive the scholarship again. Unfortunately, no appeals are possible.

If you have any questions about the scholarship requirements or cultural sharing hours, please contact your [International Student Advisor](#) directly. They would be happy to explain this information to you or suggest cultural sharing hour activities.