



## UNIVERSITY OF ST. THOMAS

# The Pecten Scholarship Application

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**Classification:** \_\_\_\_\_ **UST ID#** \_\_\_\_\_ **UST-GPA** \_\_\_\_\_

This scholarship was established to assist students pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree in International Studies at the University of St. Thomas.

For 2017-2018, there are three scholarships of approximately \$5,000 each.

To be eligible, a student must be:

1. Full-time, undergraduate student.
2. Major in international studies or international development.
3. Junior standing and completed at least one academic semester at UST.
4. In good academic standing with a GPA of at least 3.0.

### Application Process

1. On a separate sheet of paper, write a 600 - 700 word personal statement that describes why you have chosen to pursue a degree related to international studies and affairs; what your future plans are in association with your degree; and why receiving this scholarship would be important to you.
2. Two recommendations are required. These may be from a UST professor, staff member, and/or employer who can speak to your academic interests and performance, contributions to the life of the University, and our future plans in international or cross-cultural affairs.

There is no form for this recommendation. Simply ask your professor to write a letter of reference and submit to Dr. Hans Stockton in the Center for International Studies, reference to the The Pecten Scholarship.

3. If you are a recipient of a UST Scholarship of 50% or greater, you are not eligible for this scholarship.

**I agree that the above information is correct and true.**

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**Signature**

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**Date**

**DEADLINE: March 1, 2017. You will be notified by March 15, 2017**

**Please deliver your application and paper submission to Diana Speaks in Tiller Hall:**

By Mail:

Diana Speaks – Office Manager  
Center for International Studies  
University of St. Thomas  
3800 Montrose Blvd.  
Houston, TX 77006

Or in person

Tiller Hall  
4121 Yoakum  
Houston, TX 77006

**Please do not email or fax your application**