INTEGRATED LIBERAL STUDIES, CERTIFICATE

RESOURCES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

ILS offers multiple scholarship and award opportunities for declared certificate students. These are awarded every Spring at the end of the year banquet.

MEIKLEJOHN TRAVEL AWARD

UP TO $1500

Named for Alexander Meiklejohn, founder of the University of Wisconsin Experimental College (1927–32), the forerunner to the ILS program, this prize is intended to help support an ILS student in a university-sponsored or an independent program of education-centered travel or study abroad, taking place during the summer or academic year (or in the United States if the destination is remote from the student’s home or the campus).

POOLEY PRIZE

UP TO $2,000 EACH (BASED ON AVAILABLE FUNDS)

Named for Professor Robert Pooley, the first chair of the Integrated Liberal Studies program (1948), this prize is:

• given annually to one outstanding male ILS student and one outstanding female ILS student
• on the basis of academic achievement (GPA of at least 3.0 for the 3 preceding semesters),
• evidence of good character,
• student leadership in the ILS program, including involvement in extracurricular activities, and
• available for travel purposes relating to their ILS courses.

RUTH KNATZ AWARD

UP TO $5,000 (BASED ON AVAILABLE FUNDS)

Named for Ruth Knatz Gross Wisnewsky and given by her husband, Edward Wisnewsky, this prize will be given only to a truly outstanding student who:

• is majoring in at least one humanities discipline (including history and history of science, but not social science or science); this means you may be double-majoring in one non-humanities major, but the other must be a humanities major
• gives promise of making a valuable contribution to the humanities
• has done exemplary work in 15 ILS credits (6 credits above 250)
• has achieved junior or senior standing,
• will be travelling with the purpose of strengthening their ILS course and academic purpose, and
• has signed up for the certificate and plans to complete the ILS certificate program.