**Scholarship Application**

**Semester in Detroit Program**

Due: **5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 30, 2013**

Send to: **Zakiyah Sayyed (zigga@umich.edu)**

**Semester in Detroit Program Information:**

The Semester in Detroit (SiD) Program enables U-M undergraduates to engage in sustained and reciprocal relationships with communities in Detroit. Through a semester-long residence in the city, rigorous academic study, and a community-based internship, SiD students become involved in the life, challenges, and promise of this important American city. Students can earn a minor in Urban Studies by completing the SiD program plus one additional required course. For information about applying to participate in the SiD program, please follow this link: http://www.lsa.umich.edu/sid/apply/prospectiveumstudents.

**Scholarship Information for DAAS Majors and Minors:**

If you are a DAAS major or minor and you are applying to participate in the Semester in Detroit Program during the Winter of 2014, you may be eligible to apply for a **$1,000 scholarship** sponsored by the Department of Afroamerican and African Studies and the Semester in Detroit program. The scholarship will help the recipient to pay for meals and housing on Wayne State’s campus. (SiD participants pay normal UM tuition rates.)

**Scholarship Eligibility Criteria:**

**You are eligible to apply for the $1,000 scholarship if you meet the following criteria:**

* you are a DAAS concentrator or a DAAS minor
* you are in your sophomore, junior, or senior year
* you have at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA
* you want to learn more about Detroit by becoming involved with community organizations or initiatives

**Scholarship Application Process:**

By **5:00 p.m**. on **Friday, Oct. 30, please send an email to Zakiyah Sayyed (**[**zigga@umich.edu**](mailto:zigga@umich.edu)**) that includes all of the following information:**

1. Name
2. Current academic standing (sophomore, junior, or senior)
3. Major
4. Minor (if applicable)
5. Current G.P.A.
6. Two paragraphs in which you explain what you hope to gain from participating in the SiD program. How will participating in the program help you to achieve your academic, personal, and/or professional goals?

DAAS will contact you about the status of your scholarship application by Friday, Nov. 20.

Please note: The final deadline for applying to the SiD program is Friday, Oct. 25.