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FOSTER CUNNINGHAM FUND

The Cunningham Fund was established in memory of Foster S. Cunningham, AB '54, MBA '55, who passed away unexpectedly in 1978. The fund provides financial support for international study trips.

The Foster Cunningham Fund is intended to encourage students to participate in official (for credit) study trips offered by the business school. The amount to each selected student will vary based on the available funds. It is usually between USD1,000 and USD1,500. Please note that this fund cannot be combined with any other funding for the trek. The fund is based on merit and financial need. Each Fellow may receive fund for only one official trek during their MBA program.

To apply for the Foster Cunningham Fund, please submit all required information using the application link that will be provided on the website when the application period is announced to EMC^2 Fellows. Applications are evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Confirmation that you are an EMC^2 Fellow
- An explanation of how the study trip relates to your academic and career goals
- A statement describing your financial need, including a list of grants, awards, fellowships, or loans you have already received at Johnson or expect to receive
- Your academic performance and your EMC^2 fellowship performance

Please submit your application through the provided link and contact us with any questions at contactemc2@business.cornell.edu.

You will receive a response within two weeks after submitting your application. Because funding is limited, not all applicants will receive support.

If you are awarded funding for your study trip, you will be required to submit:

1. A 600-to-800-word blog describing your experience on the study trip
2. Photos taken during the trip
3. The acceptance of the award implies you give permission to share in social media your pictures/videos
4. Detailed receipts, including descriptions of the purchases, up to the amount awarded
    1. Only economy class tickets are reimbursed

All funds will be distributed as reimbursements after all required materials have been submitted.