



# **SUSI – U.S. Summer Institute for Student Leaders**

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STUDY OF THE U.S. INSTITUTES (SUSI) FOR STUDENT LEADERS WILL TAKE PLACE AT VARIOUS COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, AND ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES OVER THE COURSE OF FOUR WEEKS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE SUMMER SEASON EVERY YEAR. EACH INSTITUTE INCLUDES A FOUR-WEEK ACADEMIC RESIDENCY COMPONENT AND A ONE WEEK INTEGRATED STUDY TOUR TO ANOTHER REGION OF THE UNITED STATES.

# INSTITUTE THEMES

## SUSI STUDENT LEADERS

### THE INSTITUTE ON CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

HOSTED BY MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY, WILL PROVIDE PARTICIPANTS WITH AN OVERVIEW OF HOW CITIZENS HAVE SHAPED U.S. HISTORY, GOVERNMENT, AND SOCIETY. THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM WILL DEFINE CIVIC ENGAGEMENT; EXAMINE ITS DEVELOPMENT IN THE UNITED STATES; AND EXPLORE TOPICS SUCH AS CITIZENSHIP, COMMUNITY BUILDING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, GRASSROOTS ACTIVISM, POLITICAL LEADERSHIP, AND VOLUNTEERISM.

## CANDIDATE DESCRIPTION AND QUALIFICATIONS

- CANDIDATES MUST DEMONSTRATE ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY
- BE BETWEEN 18 AND 25 YEARS OF AGE
- HAVE AT LEAST ONE SEMESTER LEFT OF STUDIES IN THEIR BACHELOR'S DEGREE
- HAVE A SUSTAINED HIGH LEVEL OF ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT
- HAVE LITTLE OR NO PRIOR STUDY OR TRAVEL EXPERIENCE IN THE U.S. OR ELSEWHERE OUTSIDE OF THEIR HOME COUNTRY
- BE WILLING TO FULLY PARTICIPATE IN THE INTENSIVE ACADEMIC PROGRAM, COMMUNITY SERVICE, AND EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL
- BE MATURE, RESPONSIBLE, INDEPENDENT, TOLERANT, AND INQUISITIVE
- CANDIDATES CAN BE INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES OR FROM DISADVANTAGED GROUPS

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS NOVEMBER 20, 2022

SUSI PROGRAMS ARE FULLY FUNDED BY U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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