



## APPLICATION FORM

The Young Transatlantic Initiative / Initiative junger Transatlantiker is proud to present the Study Trip „Go West! – Bravely Into The Transatlantic Future!“ from September 3rd until September 17th, 2016 to the United States West Coast.

The Organization is a politically independent, non-profit organization committed to improve German-American relations and to strengthen transatlantic understanding. It connects more than 450 members in 7 countries and is to renew the transatlantic Partnership on both sides of the Atlantic.

To apply, send us the completed application form for participating in the Study Trip „Go West! – Bravely Into The Transatlantic Future“ from September 3rd until September 17th, 2016 to

**[studytrip@junge-transatlantiker.de](mailto:studytrip@junge-transatlantiker.de)**.

This address also serves as your contact in case of any further questions regarding the Study Trip. Only completed forms will be processed.

If your application has been successfully selected, you will receive a confirmation, including the payment details and further instructions. Please note that YTI membership is required in order to participate in this event. YTI membership can be applied for after the confirmation of your participation in the Study Trip, in case you are not a member yet.

**Deadline for Applications: May 8, 2016 (23.59 CET)**



## Personal Data

Surname(s):	First name(s):
Date of birth:	Gender: Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> No answer <input type="checkbox"/>
Nationality:	
Passport number:	Date of expiry:
Visa required for the United States: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, have you been to the US before?:	
Home address (street, house no.):	
City, zip code:	
Country:	
Mobile phone:	Home phone:
E-mail address:	
Academic status: Student <input type="checkbox"/> B.A. student <input type="checkbox"/> M.A. student <input type="checkbox"/> PhD Candidate / Post-Doc <input type="checkbox"/> Professional <input type="checkbox"/>	
Subject(s) of studies:	University / School (name, city, country):



Level of English language proficiency (according to European reference scale):  B1 <input type="checkbox"/> B2 <input type="checkbox"/> C1 <input type="checkbox"/> C2 <input type="checkbox"/> Native Language <input type="checkbox"/>	
Drivers License and comfortable to drive in the US:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> issuing country:
Member of the Young Transatlantic Initiative: (No requirement for application).	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Please answer the following questions.

**Question 1: (ca. 100 words)**

Who are you and what is your connection to the USA ?

**Question 2: (ca. 100 words)**

What are, in your opinion, currently the most relevant issues on the transatlantic agenda?



**Question 3: (ca.150 words)**

Please make a comment how the US and Europe can learn from each other.



## Agreement (THIS SECTION MUST BE SIGNED AND DATED)

### 1. Costs

- 1.1. I agree to pay the participation fee of approx. 830 EUR. Breakfasts, lunches and dinners are generally not included. General living expenses, Flights to the United States of America, Health Insurance and visa are not included.
- 1.2. We recommend a personal budget of \$40-\$50 per day for food, drink and other activities not included in the study trip program.
- 1.3. I furthermore understand that if I cancel my participation in the program I will not be entitled to a refund of any money since no other person participates instead of me.

### 2. Passport and Visa

- 2.1. I understand that it is my responsibility to obtain a passport prior to my departure or to ensure my passport is valid for the duration of the Program and additional six months.
- 2.2. I understand that it is my responsibility to obtain the appropriate visa for the duration of the Program.

### 3. Health and Safety

- 3.1. I understand that it is my responsibility to obtain sufficient medical and travel insurance to cover me for the duration of the program.

### 4. YTI Membership

- 4.1. YTI membership is required in order to participate in this event.
- 4.2. I apply YTI membership after the confirmation of my participation in the Study Trip, in case I am not a member yet.

I, (full name) \_\_\_\_\_ agree to accept the above conditions and apply to the Young Transatlantic Initiative Study Trip 2016.

Signature: *X* \_\_\_\_\_

Date:     /     / 2016