Alternative Spring Break Travel Stipend

The purpose of the Alternative Spring Break Travel Stipend is to provide financial assistance for up to 10 students participating in Alternative Spring Break.

**Eligibility:** Online or onsite, part-time or full-time MLIS or CAS students who participate in Alternative Spring Break. Students have to volunteer at a location at least 50 miles from their homes and the stipend can only be used to pay for travel, mileage or housing during Alternative Spring Break. Students must volunteer 30 hours at the repository where they are placed in order to be reimbursed. Students pay any upfront costs and will be reimbursed up to $300.

We will consider need as well as your brief responses and placement in the program. Students who have not received previous SOIS awards or scholarships will be considered first.

**Requirement:** Students who are awarded the travel stipend are required to submit a 3-5 page report of their experience during Alternative Spring Break.

**Due on November 1 - email to:** sois-archivesinfo@uwm.edu

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**What program are you in? (MLIS, CAS, coordinated degree, etc.)**

**Have you taken any Archival Studies courses? If so, which ones:**

- [ ] 650: Introduction to Modern Archives Administration
- [ ] 655: Information and Records Management
- [ ] 656: Electronic Document and Records Management
- [ ] 735: The Academic Library
- [ ] 750: Arrangement and Description in Archives
- [ ] 752: Archival Outreach: Programs and Services
- [ ] 753: Preserving Information Media
- [ ] 759: Fieldwork in Archives and Manuscripts
- [ ] 832: Government Information Sources and Services
- [ ] 850: Seminar in Modern Archives Administration
- [ ] 861: Seminar in Intellectual Freedom
- [ ] 862: Legal Issues for Library and Information Managers
- [ ] 891: Technology Issues in Archives
- [ ] 891: Appraisal and Collection Development for Archives and Manuscripts

**Where is the repository where you would like to be placed for Alternative Spring Break?**
What are your reasons for participating in Alternative Spring Break?

Would you be able to participate in Alternative Spring Break without the travel stipend?