The purpose of the Sharyn Zunz Scholarship Fund is to provide meritorious scholarship support to undergraduate and graduate students majoring in Social Work and participating in an international or domestic academic study and travel program through the University of New Hampshire. Recipients must demonstrate financial need and be in good academic standing.

Dr. Zunz believes that travel is a means of widening one’s perspectives through firsthand exposure to people and cultural institutions beyond the traveler’s usual experience. She established this scholarship to enable graduate and undergraduate social work students to participate in educationally sponsored travel with the goal of expanding their appreciation for the diversity of human experiences.

Priority for this scholarship will be given to students participating in courses sponsored by the UNH Department of Social Work.

Please answer the following questions in essay format:

1. In no more than 2 pages, briefly describe your travel plan and explain how you plan to integrate this travel experience into your professional development.

2. In ½ page, describe any prior relevant travel experience (international or domestic), including locations you visited. If you have other relevant information to share with the scholarship committee, please do so in this section.
Student Name______________________________  Student ID________________

Date of application____________

School Address:________________________________________________________________

Primary Email Address:________________________________________________________________

Telephone Number:________________________________________________________________

Current Year in School:  Junior  Senior_____  MSW Student_____  

Eligibility Criteria

Be in good academic standing with a minimum GPA of 2.5*. Yes_____  No_____  
Undergraduates must have completed a minimum of 32 credit hours and graduate students, a minimum of 9 credit hours to be eligible.

Be in good standing with the UNH Office of Conduct and Mediation (undergraduates) or with the Student Conduct System (graduate students)*  Yes_____  No_____  

Verified financial need through the UNH Financial Aid Office*?  Yes_____  No_____  

*Please note that according to UNH policy, students with a current disciplinary record, in poor academic standing and/or without financial need verified through the UNH Financial Aid Office are not eligible to receive this award.

Department of Social Work Faculty Advisor______________________________

Briefly describe your plan for travel below in 1-2 sentences, including applicable course number:

Return this application as an email attachment or in paper format to Emilie Cilley at emilie.cilley@unh.edu NO LATER than September 24, 2018.