

# California State University **Northridge**

## California State University Foundation *The Robert Barbera Endowment in Italian Studies* *AY 2014-2015*

A yearly fellowship of approximately \$ 2,000.00 from the Robert Barbera Endowment for Italian Studies is being offered to full time CSUN undergraduate students with a declared Italian Minor or Major in Languages and Cultures with an option Italian, and who are currently enrolled in Italian section courses.

The fellowship award is intended to fund:

- Italian study abroad programs\* recognized and sanctioned by CSUN
- Internship with Italian Firms and/or Institutions
- Activities promoting Italian language and culture at CSUN and in the community
- Standard Fellowship\*\*

\* Students must show proof of attendance in these programs.

\*\* Students must be enrolled in Italian courses the semester immediately following the awarding of the fellowship.

To apply, please submit the following to the MCLL main office, Sierra Tower 405/407:

- Proof of completion of/current enrollment in four courses in Italian at time of application. These courses may be CSUN offerings as well as courses completed at other institutions. The four courses may include the CSUN course that the student is currently enrolled in
- Italian Studies Scholarship Application (download from [www.csun.edu/mcll](http://www.csun.edu/mcll))
- Statement of purpose: a one page typed, double-spaced essay indicating why the applicant considers the study of Italian language and culture important
- Two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from a CSUN Italian Studies faculty
- Degree Progress Report
- Additional transcripts as needed

**APPLICATION DEADLINE IS March 28, 2014**

