



## **FLBCS International Student Scholarships**

### **AFLC Development Department Giving Opportunity for FLBCS\***

*The Free Lutheran Bible College and Seminary exists to establish students in the eternal and inerrant Word of God for a life of faith in Jesus Christ and faithful service in His Kingdom.*

#### **Institutional Objectives:**

Our objectives are that graduates of the Free Lutheran Seminary and Bible College will:

- Demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of Scripture, subscribing to its inspiration, infallibility, and inerrancy without reservation, confessing its authority and demonstrating the ability to accurately interpret it.
- Grow in spiritual maturity informed by the Law and motivated and empowered by the Gospel.
- Understand the function of the local congregation and the place of the individual believer in its fellowship and ministry as guided by the AFLC Fundamental Principles.
- Participate in making disciples of all nations, especially through involvement in the local congregation.

Throughout the history of the Bible College and seminary, students from around the world have come to the FLBCS campus to study the Word of God. Our goal with international students is to provide Biblical and theological training they need to be grounded in the Word of God and equipped to go back to their home country to serve Christ in their careers and home congregations. Many international students come from areas where a solid Bible training is not accessible. The Bible College and seminary serve a great purpose in providing an international experience while helping them build a foundation on God's Word during their time of study.

God has blessed our campus with international students from Eritrea, Ecuador, Brazil, Mexico, Latvia, Slovakia, Russia, Norway, the Czech Republic, Liberia, Tanzania, Uganda, China, and Mongolia.

Many of our international students need financial help as they study at FLBC or FLS. International student scholarships are administered by the financial aid committee. These funds are directed mainly toward help with tuition costs. It is expected that other costs would be paid by the student through the assistance of a "sponsor" (a family member or friends) as well as part-time employment on the campus as available.

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**You can have a part in helping other students like these to have the opportunity to study God's Word at FLBCS.**

Approximate costs for one year:

FLBC – Tuition, fees, books \$13,700.00

FLS – Tuition, fees, books \$13,680.00

**Would you prayerfully consider investing in a student to study God's eternal Word?**



Miriam Klusová



Victoria Dávalos

*Something God's been teaching me ever since I started considering studying at FLBC is to fully rely on him. Not only to trust in his faithfulness in my spiritual life but also when it comes to my physical needs. God works in miraculous ways and I think it's beautiful that he uses his people to help others. FLBC has been an incredible blessing and I would never have been able to come if it wasn't for my generous scholarships. I'm praying to grow and be a blessing to others in a similar way. - Miriam Klusová*

*Being an international student involves many things. One of them is the economic and financial aspect. I think many times people do not realize that a scholarship is not only financial aid, but it provides an opportunity to learn and grow personally and professionally. The scholarships that have been awarded to me have made a definite difference between being able to go to Free Lutheran Bible College or not. Having scholarships has opened doors for me to be focused on Jesus, classes and the community around me. - Victoria Dávalos*

*Very often I look back at my time at FLS. It was time when we were diligently studying the Word of God, we were experiencing spiritual unity when we were praying on our knees before classes started, and we were sharing our lives as a classmates and friends. I benefited from this greatly. Michal Klus, Trinec, Czech Republic*

