



A Selected List of Fellowship,  
Scholarship, Grant, and Other  
Training Opportunities for  
African Women Students and  
Scholars

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Dear Colleague,

The Institute for Education of Women in Africa and the Diaspora (IEWAD) is pleased to send you this copy of *A Selected List of Fellowships, Scholarships, Grants, and Other Training Opportunities for African Women Students and Scholars*. This is our 3<sup>rd</sup> year of compiling this information and despite medical and other issues which threatened to keep us from working; we persisted and are honored to bring you this edition.

Please note that some of the deadlines have passed, but, providing that funding will be available, the program will most likely be offered again next year. We try to publish this resource document in a timely fashion, but, that is not always possible.

We would greatly appreciate it if you could send us information about programs that are not listed here so that we can incorporate them in the next year's edition. We also welcome other suggestions that you feel would make this a truly user-friendly document.

We have saved this as a "pdf" document, but, if you would prefer, we can send it to you as a Microsoft Word document (last year several colleagues had difficulty opening a "pdf" document).

We found that this year there was a significant overall decrease in the number of opportunities available, but, on the other hand, we did find a number of very interesting and new opportunities specific to African scholars (e.g., the Five College African Scholars Program, Education and African Modernities: The Development of African Universities, or the African Women Public Service Fellowship).

As always, we wish you the very best in your scholarly endeavors.

Sincerely yours,

*Susan Frazier-Kouassi, Ph.D.*  
Executive Secretary of IEWAD

## **What is IEWAD?**

The Institute for Education of Women in Africa and the Diaspora (IEWAD) was created by a group of African and American women in response to the recognition of the disadvantaged status that continues to dominate the lives of girls and women in Africa, in large part due to the denial of the right to education.

IEWAD asserts that education, be it formal or informal, promises to solve many of the problems that girls and women face in many African countries. Consistent with this assertion, IEWAD is committed to improving the well-being of girls and women in Africa via educational research, service, and advocacy.

IEWAD is a non-governmental organization with an international focus for the promotion of the education of girls and women in Africa and the Diaspora with its secretariat based in Abidjan. It is officially registered in Côte d'Ivoire and the State of Michigan.

IEWAD has as its overall objective to contribute to the well-being of girls and women in Africa and the Diaspora via educational means. More specifically, the objectives are to enhance the intellectual, cultural, social, physical, and economic well-being of girls and women in Africa and the Diaspora via the promotion of their education and training.

This scholarship and training resource book for African Women scholars and students is one of IEWAD's recent activities to promote the exchange of information by all means necessary to women (and men) throughout the African continent and the Diaspora regarding the myriad of opportunities for study and training that exist in the United States and other countries.

In addition to the resource book, IEWAD engages in the following activities: organization of seminars and workshops for girls and women; conducting projects, studies, and applied research related to educational concerns of women; Abidjan Scholarship Fund for scholarships to secondary school female students at Lycée Moderne d'Abobo (Abidjan); publication of a biannual newsletter informative of activities, events, and resource information related to the promotion of the education of girls and women in Africa and the Diaspora; collaboration with women's cooperatives and collectives in Africa to promote their economic self-sufficiency; and creation of networks with other women's organizations in Africa and the African Diaspora among others.

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## **AAUW Educational Foundation Fellowships and Grants: International Fellowships**

Applications available: Aug. 1-Nov. 15, 2002  
Application postmark deadline: Dec. 16, 2002  
Fellowship year: July 1, 2003-June 30, 2004

International Fellowships are awarded for full-time study or research to women who are not U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Both graduate and postgraduate study at accredited institutions is supported.\* The Foundation will award 58 fellowships for the 2003-04 academic year. Six of these awards are available to members of International Federation of University Women affiliate organizations. These fellowship recipients may study in any country other than their own. The Foundation also awards several annual Home Country Project Grants (\$5,000 to \$7,000 each) to women who received AAUW Educational Foundation International Fellowships between 1999 and 2003. These grants support community-based projects designed to improve the lives of women and girls in the fellow's home country. To be eligible for an International Fellowship, you must meet the following requirements: You must be a citizen in a country other than the United States, or you must hold a nonimmigrant visa if you reside in the United States. You must complete an academic degree equivalent to a bachelor's degree from a U.S. college or university by the time of application and no later than Dec. 31, 2002. You must intend to devote yourself full time to your proposed academic plan during the fellowship year. You must intend to return to your home country to pursue a professional career. You must be proficient in English. Unless you can verify that your native language is English or that you received your undergraduate degree from, or will have completed one semester of full-time study in your discipline at a university in the United States by Jan. 31, 2003, you must submit a recent score (no older than October 2000) on the TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language). Transcripts must be submitted by Jan. 31, 2003, for verification. The minimum acceptable score is 550 for the paper-based TOEFL and 213 for the computer-based test. Test scores must reach the Foundation no later than April 1, 2003.

You must have applied by Dec. 16, 2002 to an accredited institution of study for the period of the fellowship year and must indicate the name of that institution in the International Fellowship application.

Website: <http://www.aauw.org/3000/fdnfelgra/internat.html>

## **Africa-America Institute: Advanced Training for Leadership and Skills Project (ATLAS)**

Since 1990, ATLAS has provided undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate fellowships for highly qualified Africans to undertake academic programs at American universities. With principal funding provided by USAID, AAI administers the ATLAS Project in collaboration with the Council of Graduate Schools (CGS). The CGS Executive Committee of Deans plays a major role in the screening and selection of candidates and obtaining tuition scholarships from its member

institutions. The emphasis of ATLAS is on preparing Fellows to make positive changes in their sponsoring organizations in Africa in order to further African development.

Website: <http://www.aionline.org/whatAtlas.html>

### **Africa-American Institute: Claude Ake Memorial Award Program**

In 2001 the first Claude Ake Scholarships were inaugurated. Funded by the Ford Foundation, the Claude Ake Memorial Awards Program seeks to encourage young and mid-career African scholars and activists to develop research-based project ideas directed at addressing some of Africa's most pressing challenges. The award is intended for Africans, working either on the continent, or in the U.S., who are engaged in knowledge-based and reality-informed problem solving, in the tradition of Claude Ake, an activist for democracy, a visionary and a scholar of global standing.

Website: <http://www.aionline.org/whatClaudeAke.html>

### **Africa-American Institute: International Fellowships Program**

The Ford Foundation International Fellowships Program provides opportunities for advanced study to exceptional individuals who will use this education to become leaders in their respective fields, furthering development in their own countries and greater economic and social justice worldwide. Fellows are drawn from diverse backgrounds, and IFP actively seeks candidates from social groups and communities that lack systematic access to higher education. This \$280 million ten year program through 2010 is a global activity that provides support for up to three years of formal graduate-level study leading to a masters or doctoral degree. IFP fellows may choose to study in any academic discipline related to the Ford Foundation's three grant-making areas: asset building and community development; education, media, arts and culture; and peace and justice.

The International Fellowships Program was launched in November 2000 with US\$280 million from the Ford Foundation, the largest single grant in the Ford Foundation's history. Some 3,500 Fellows will be selected over the program's life of ten years. Three hundred of these will be allocated to Southern Africa.

The International Fellowships Program secretariat in New York coordinates work with the program's international partners worldwide.

One of the program's distinctive strengths is its' partnerships with experienced regional, national and international organizations, which understand local realities and use innovative recruitment and selection procedures to reach target groups. These organizations work closely with the Ford Foundation in their countries, seeing the International Fellowships Program as central to the Ford Foundation's program of work.

Participating Countries: Asia (China, India, Vietnam); Brazil; East Africa (Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda); Indonesia; Latin America (Chile, Guatemala, Mexico, Peru); North Africa and the Middle East (Egypt, Palestine); Philippines; Russia; Southern Africa (Mozambique, South Africa); West Africa (Ghana, Nigeria, Senegal)

Website: <http://www.aaionline.org/whatIFP.html>

### **Africa-American Institute: Rural Social Sciences Scholarship Fund**

Initiated in 1998 and funded by the Ford Foundation, this project seeks to strengthen Mozambique's national and local rural development agencies through study programs in southern Africa, Europe and Brazil. The project provides assistance to young Mozambican professionals whose careers could benefit from masters' and doctoral level training, as well as undergraduate scholarship funding for those who are considered to have only medium level schooling. Candidates have a commitment to the application of social science principles to rural development policy and practice. These are often individuals who are doing stellar work professionally, whose performance and opportunities would be significantly enhanced by additional education.

Website: <http://www.aaionline.org/whatRuralSSS.html>

### **African Academy of Sciences: Capacity Building in Forestry Research**

CBFR is a competitive grants awarding scheme for young and senior African scientists. It is affiliated with forestry research institutions for Africa. Since the programmes inception in 1991 with funding from Sida-SAREC, it has given over 100 research grants. Other activities include the fostering of research capacity retention and application of research findings. CBFR is currently in its third phase, which ends in the year 2000. The programme is currently starting a Network that will facilitate dissemination of research derived knowledge and the sharing of research information among scientist globally, but with a focus on Africa. Grants valued at US\$5,000 to 15,000 are awarded annually to successful applicants. Deadlines for receipt of applications are 1st February and 31st July each year. For details, please contact: Iba Kone or Alice A. Kaudia CBFR, AAS at [aas@africaonline.co.ke](mailto:aas@africaonline.co.ke)

Website: <http://www.oneworld.org/aas/cbfr.htm>

### **African Academy of Sciences: Mobilization and Strengthening of the African Scientific Community**

Under this programme AAS provides two awards for science and technology development. Apart from recognizing excellence, stimulating research, and creating awareness scientists benefit from awards for excellent and relevant contributions. AAS awards the following prizes:

### *AAS/Novartis Prize*

The AAS started this prize in 1991. It is a major award for entrepreneurship in Agricultural Biosciences. The AAS attaches a great importance to Agriculture in the African continent.

### *Thomas R. Odhiambo Prize*

This is an award in Basic and Applied Sciences in Africa aimed at young scientists.

*Network of African Scientific Organizations (NASO)*. Through NASO the AAS is networking with various scientific bodies in Africa such as National Academies, National Councils for Science and Technology, professional organizations etc. This networking enhances the mobilization of the African Scientific Community throughout the continent.

For further information on Academy Awards, please contact: The Secretary General The African Academy of Sciences (AAS) at: [aas@africaonline.co.ke](mailto:aas@africaonline.co.ke) or P. O. Box 14798 Nairobi, Kenya

Website: <http://www.oneworld.org/aas/msasc.htm>

### **African Gender Institute: Short-Term Associateships for Work on Gender Equity and Social Transformation**

The African Gender Institute (AGI) was established in 1996 with the aim of developing theoretical and practical understandings of gender and its importance in the process of social transformation in Africa. The AGI facilitates links between intellectuals, policymakers and practitioners working towards the attainment of gender equity in Africa, and achieves this through academic teaching, research work and applied project work. The AGI has received funding from Rockefeller Foundation to continue its highly successful Associates Programme into 2002. The aim of the programme is for a limited number of African women, who are middle to senior level scholars, from across the continent to be offered the opportunity to be based at the University of Cape Town. Each associate will be afforded the time and space to reflect on their experiences and use the library and other facilities in order to complete a writing project of their own choice and design, within the broad framework of gender equity and social transformation.

Application Form: <http://www.uct.ac.za/org/agi/assoc/form.htm>

Contact: Brenda Martin, African Gender Institute, University of Cape Town, P Bag Rondebosch, Cape Town 7701. South Africa.

Email: [bmartin@humanities.uct.ac.za](mailto:bmartin@humanities.uct.ac.za)

Fax: (27 21) 685 2142 Ph: (27 21) 650 2970/1

Website: <http://www.uct.ac.za/org/agi/assoc/intro.htm>

## **African Women Leaders in Agriculture and the Environment Fellowship Program**

AWLAE, an acronym for African Women Leaders in Agriculture and the Environment, is a program of Winrock International. The program operates in both East and West Africa. AWLAE is a leadership program. It prepares women professionals in agriculture and the environment for leadership positions, thus enabling them to contribute in the formulation of policies that the women's concern into account. These policies are expected to impact positively on the efforts of rural women, who are the natural resource managers and food producers.

The AWLAE program takes various forms. It awards fellowships at masters and doctoral levels, creates enabling environments within institutions enhances capacities for program sustainability. AWLAE is also involved in mentoring activities for undergraduate, secondary and primary school girl students. The AWLAE program offers Fellowships to Masters and PHD students in Environmental and Agriculture related areas. The main goal of this program is to provide educational opportunities especially to women, to equip and prepare them for effective leadership within Agriculture and the Environment. After the fellowship is complete, feedback from the fellows helps the program analyze the value of the fellowships to individuals and incorporate suggestions.

Website: <http://www.winrock.org/eastafrica/Awlae/fellowship.htm>

## **African Women Public Service Fellowship**

The Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service at New York University has announced, as part of their international initiative, the creation of the African Women Public Service Fellowship. The fellowship was established to expand the opportunity for African women to prepare for public service in the home countries. Funded by The Oprah Winfrey Foundation, the fellowship offers African women to study in the seven-month Masters of Science in Management Program in International Public Service Organizations. The fellowship awards for these programs will support tuition, housing, travel to and from the United States, and a small stipend to cover books and miscellaneous expenses. Candidates should indicate their interest in the fellowship by outlining in their personal statement how they will use the masters degree to strengthen their public policy and public services in their own country or internationally. In addition, candidates should clearly identify themselves as African Women Fellowships applicants by writing "Fellowship Applicant" on the front page of the application form. The deadline is October 1, 2002. For more information, contact: Katherine Johnson, Program Administrator, Office of International Programs, 269 Mercer St. Room 205, Tel: 212-998-7411, Fax: 212-995-4165, [katherine.johnson@nyu.edu](mailto:katherine.johnson@nyu.edu).

## **African Youth in a Global Age**

*Please note that the deadline for this competition has passed, proposals received after the deadline will not be received.*

The Social Science Research Council (SSRC) and the American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS), in partnership with South Africa's National Research Foundation (NRF) and the Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA), is pleased to announce this year's program for research and training on African Youth in a Global Age. The theme for this year is *African Youth, Civil Society and the NGO Sector*. The SSRC is inviting applications from junior researchers, whether academics, practitioners, or independent researchers. This fellowship includes support for field research and participation in pre- and post-field work workshops.

Approximately eight research fellowships will be awarded this year. Funding for this year's program is provided by the Open Society Initiative for Southern Africa and the NRF.

### *Synopsis*

There is growing awareness among scholars and policy-makers that young Africans are the key to the continent's ability to achieve its long-promised renaissance. It is a truism that in all societies young people are "the future," but conditions in Africa make this truism especially relevant. Demographic research reveals that African countries have extraordinarily high percentages of their populations between the ages of 15-25, many with little access to education, health or employment. Many are also vulnerable to reproductive health challenges (especially HIV/AIDS). As a result, many youth have to fend for themselves, their families, and communities.

The lives and futures of young people in Africa - their problems, their activism, their sense of citizenship (and powerlessness), their education, health, employment and socialization prospects, have increasingly drawn the attention of governments, secular and religious non-governmental organizations (NGO's) and international organizations working in the areas of advocacy and service provision. With greater frequency, these organizations target youth as clients or participants in their activities. Sometimes this comes under the guise of broader programs or interventions in sectors such as health or human rights, while elsewhere programs or organizations specifically devoted to youth have emerged. Research relevant to this theme would thus focus on the activities of a range of organizations and civil associations - both international institutions that have established local offices in the region and/or locally established NGO's, many of whom have financial support from (or other kinds of linkages to) transnational organizations.

Such organizations address a range of issues, including: children and youth rights and advocacy; demobilization of child soldiers; education at primary and secondary levels, as well as non-formal education; health, including reproductive health, AIDS prevention and orphan care; vocational training, entrepreneurship and sustainable

livelihoods; and youth mobilization for social service provision and political change. While research related to the intersection of youth with NGO's and civil society in general is eligible for fellowship consideration, we especially seek projects that examine the connections between organizations and their broader socio-political, economic and cultural contexts as well as projects whose results will constructively and critically engage with the activities and strategies of organizations that have an impact on youth.

The program does not seek to impose a rigid definition on youth, since demographic, legal and cultural definitions may differ. Proposals should specify what definition they are using and justify why that is appropriate, given the purpose of their research. To the extent possible, proposals should also address the theoretical and practical implications of the research.

Fellows will attend a five-day orientation workshop prior to research (in September 2002), receive a research grant of up to \$10,000 USD for their field research, and attend a final workshop at the conclusion of their fieldwork.

African researchers based in the region that hold at least a Masters degree and who are no more than five years beyond a Ph.D. are eligible for this program. Although the principal purpose of the program is to support junior researchers and practitioners based in African institutions, a smaller number of fellowships will be available to Ph.D. candidates based in other regions who seek field research funding for their dissertations.

Applications are due no later than **Tuesday April 2nd, 2002**. Fellows will be notified in July 2002.

Applications should include a research agenda (not more than 10 pages long), 2 letters of reference (required), one letter of support from an NGO (optional), graduate level academic transcripts, a detailed budget, a one-page summary of your research agenda, and comprehensive curriculum vitae. Please consult our website at [www.ssrc.org](http://www.ssrc.org), or contact us for more information prior to submitting an application. Applications should be mailed to the address below. All questions should be directed to [africa@ssrc.org](mailto:africa@ssrc.org), or to Funmi Vogt at 212-377-2700 ext. 452.

Applications will be accepted in English, French, and Portuguese. However, workshops will be conducted in English. All applicants must be conversant in English.

**Send complete applications to:**

Social Science Research Council  
Africa Program  
810 7th Avenue; 31st Floor  
New York, NY 10019  
Tel: 212-377-2700 ext. 452

Fax: 212-377-2727  
Email: [africa@ssrc.org](mailto:africa@ssrc.org)

**Applicants from South Africa:**

The Manager  
Socio-Political Impact of Globalization: The Challenge for  
South Africa  
National Research Foundation, P.O.Box 2600  
Pretoria, 0001.

[Application Form](#)  
[Proposal Guidelines](#)

**Aga Khan Foundation International Scholarship Programme**

The Aga Khan Foundation provides a limited number of scholarships each year for postgraduate studies to outstanding students from developing countries who have no other means of financing their studies. Scholarships are awarded on a 50% grant: 50% loan basis through a competitive application process once a year in June. The Foundation gives priority to requests for Master's level courses but is also willing to consider applications for PhD programmes, when doctoral degrees are necessary for the career objectives of the student. Requests will also be considered for travel and study awards for PhD students doing their research in Third World countries on topics judged to be of interest to the Aga Khan Development Network. Applications for short-term courses are not considered; neither are applications from students who have already started their course of study.

For application procedures: <http://www.akdn.org/akfisp/HTML/index.html#app>

Website: <http://www.akdn.org/akfisp/HTML/index.html>

**AGROPOLIS - International Graduate Research Awards Programme in Urban Agriculture**

In countries throughout the developing world, millions of men and women are now farming in cities. They are growing crops on unused land by the roadsides, raising animals in abandoned buildings and recycling organic wastes into compost. The potential benefits of urban agriculture are considerable. For example, it can help to improve local food supplies, generate income for the farmers, and put marginal land to productive use.

However, there are also many obstacles to be overcome. The majority of urban farmers are very poor, and must function without the support of government policies or the aid of technology. This means that some methods used by urban farmers can be hazardous to human health, economically less lucrative and socially inequitable. The AGROPOLIS program has been established to help address these issues.

AGROPOLIS is an awards program that supports innovative masters and doctoral level research. It aims to add to the body of knowledge of urban and peri-urban agriculture, and thereby to support interventions that address critical areas in the industry.

The program supports graduate-level field research that is designed and implemented in collaboration with non-academic partners. As the end-users of the research, these international, national, or local partners will be actively engaged in sectors of development in which urban agriculture can make a contribution. These partners could include, for example, community-based organizations, NGOs, city councils and departments, national governments, bilateral and multilateral development agencies and so on.

AGROPOLIS offers students the opportunity to have their graduate research make a meaningful impact on development. Non-academic actors involved in international development can benefit from the programme by gaining new information pertinent to their work from well-trained and supervised researchers.

The award will cover justifiable field research expenses to a maximum of Cdn \$20,000 per year. Award tenure corresponds to the period of field research, normally no less than 3 months and no more than 12 months.

Up to 14 awards will be granted annually, with at least 5 awards supporting field research at the master's level.

Successful applicants will form partnerships with international experts and institutions, and will be closely monitored by the program while in the field. Selected results will be published by AGROPOLIS.

An international selection committee will review proposals and select successful candidates. The committee will be composed of experts representing a variety of fields and regions of the world.

AGROPOLIS is a component of the Global Initiative of the Support Group on Urban Agriculture (SGUA), which is sponsored by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), the United Nations Development Programme Agency (UNDP), the Netherlands Development Agency (NEDA) and IDRC.

AGROPOLIS is currently funded and managed by IDRC on behalf of the SGUA. IDRC will report annually on the program to the SGUA's Steering Committee.

Fully documented applications must be received before January 31, 2003.

Awards will be announced before May 30, 2003.

Eligibility Criteria:

### *Citizenship*

AGROPOLIS is intended primarily for researchers from developing countries, including those studying in a developed country and returning to the south after their studies. At least two-thirds of all awards will be granted to applicants who have citizenship or permanent resident status in a developing country. Up to a third of all awards may be granted to citizens or permanent residents of a developed country (currently only Canada).

### *Academic status*

The research must be for a master's or a doctoral thesis. Researchers must be registered at a university--in the South or the North--that has training and supervisory expertise in the field of urban agriculture or fields relevant to urban agriculture.

### *Affiliation*

Applicants must be affiliated with an institution of higher learning in the region where the field research will take place, and must be supervised in the field by a qualified expert. Applicants must also be affiliated, or working in collaboration with, at least one international, national or local (regional or municipal) institution or organization that intends to use the research results for specific ends or technological interventions, but that is working in partnership with one of these entities.

### *Eligible Disciplinary Fields*

Because research on urban agriculture is cross-disciplinary and cross-sectoral, AGROPOLIS will assign priority to candidates whose academic training is concentrated in one disciplinary field, but which also exposes the candidate to other relevant disciplines. This academic training should exhibit a balance between agriculture and urban-oriented subjects.

The following are eligible disciplinary fields: Agricultural Extension, Agronomy, Aquaculture, Animal Health and Production, Architecture Communications and Information Sciences, Economics and Financing Environmental Studies and Environmental Impact Assessment, Food Marketing, Forestry, Gender Analysis, Geography, Health and Nutrition Horticulture, Sociology, Urban Planning, Waste and Water Engineering, and Public Policy and Analysis.

### *Eligible Areas of Research*

AGROPOLIS will support graduate research that focuses on how to remove constraints and enhance the potential for urban and peri-urban agriculture in developing countries.

The following are the eligible research areas for the AGROPOLIS programme: Urban Agriculture Theory and Practice, Urban Food Security, Public Health and Nutrition, Urban Land Management, Urban Waste Management, Service Provision, Urban Agriculture and Gender Analysis, Production Systems, Rural-Urban Interactions, and Public Policy.

To find out more information about the AGROPOLIS programme, please contact:

#### AGROPOLIS

International Graduate Research Awards in Urban Agriculture  
International Development Research Centre (IDRC)  
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AGROPOLIS@idrc.ca

#### How to Apply

Click on the documents below to download the application procedures information and the application form.

[Application procedures](#)

[Application Form](#)

#### **Alden B. Dow Creativity Center Fellowship**

Now entering its 24th year, The Alden B. Dow Creativity Center offers four fellowships each summer to individuals in any field or profession who wish to pursue an innovative project or creative idea. The Creativity Center welcomes applications from all disciplines and areas of interest including the arts, sciences and humanities. The applicant's Project idea should be new and innovative and have the potential for impact in its field. While there are no specific applicant requirements related to age or academic experience, the program structure requires the maturity to work independently and live co-operatively. Because of INS visa regulations, we are not able to accept proposals from outside the United States. We are working to remedy this situation. The ten-week residency is on the Midland campus of Northwood University from Mid-June to Mid-August. Awards include: travel to and from Midland, Michigan for the residency, and up to \$500 per fellow. Fellows are encouraged to drive in order to have a car for the summer. Shipping expenses, not to exceed \$100 per fellow, may be assumed by the Center. Private Living Quarters/Studios are large, air-conditioned, 2 bedroom furnished apartments in a wooded environment. Each apartment has a fully equipped kitchen. Laundry facilities are available on campus. Board is provided through a \$175 per week allowance, paid every 2 weeks. Weekday lunches are generally provided. Stipend of \$750.00 is provided to each Fellow to be used at his or her discretion, and may be applied to project materials or travel during the summer. Note: Fellowship awards are considered taxable income and must be reported to the IRS.

#### Application Procedures and Deadline

Deadline for applying is December 31. The application should include:

- A \$10.00 (U.S.) non-refundable application fee. Make check or money order payable to Northwood University.
- A cover page including your name, address, phone numbers, fax number and e-mail address plus a *brief* summary (30 words or less) of your project idea.

- A simple, basic statement of your Project Idea including specific accomplishable goals for your residency, typed on *no more than two 8-1/2" x 11" pages*. Clarity of expression is essential. Please label both pages with your name, address, phone numbers and e-mail address.
- A personal resume and three references with contact information.
- Appropriate support materials such as writing samples, slides, tapes, etc. that will aid in the evaluation of the project. Please include an SASE if you wish materials to be returned.

Mail to: Northwood University, Alden B. Dow Creativity Center, 4000 Whiting Drive, Midland, Michigan 48640-2398. Applicants will be notified immediately that their applications have been received. The Creativity Center Board makes selection of Fellows with recommendations by evaluators (professionals in the proposed fields) and Center Administration. All applicants are given careful consideration with major weight placed on the inherent quality and uniqueness of the individual's Project Idea. Project Ideas remain the property of the applicant and are held in confidence. All applicants are notified concerning the disposition of their Project Ideas. Individuals whose projects are under serious consideration for awards are notified. Notification of awards takes place at the beginning of April. Recipients are asked to confirm immediately.

For additional information, please contact:

Northwood University

Alden B. Dow Creativity Center

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Midland, MI 48640-2398

989-837-4478 phone

989-847-4468 fax

creativity@northwood.edu

Application Deadline: December 31.

Please include a \$10.00 (US.) check or money order payable to Northwood University.

Website: <http://www.northwood.edu/abd/>

### **Alfred Friendly Press Fellowships**

Alfred Friendly set three primary objectives for the fellowship program:

1. Enable Fellows to gain a practical understanding of the function and significance of the free press in American society.
2. Provide Fellows with experience in reporting, writing, and editing that will enhance future professional performance.
3. Foster continuing ties between free press institutions and journalists in the United States and their counterparts in other countries.

The Alfred Friendly Press Fellowship is a private, non-profit organization. Support for AFPF comes entirely from contributions by host publications, private organizations and individuals, and the Alfred Friendly Foundation. AFPF receives no

government funding or direction. Each year the Alfred Friendly Press Fellowship (AFPF) awards approximately 10 six-month fellowships to print journalists from developing and transitional countries with an emerging free press. The program is designed to give Fellows an in-depth, practical introduction to the U.S print media. AFPF places each fellow at a single news organization where he or she functions as a staff reporter, covering primarily local news and features. A Fellow will typically work on the publication's city desk but may rotate among other desk- arts, business, features, sports, etc. – thereby providing a fellowship with breadth as well as depth. The program begins in June with a two-week Orientation Seminar in Washington D.C. This seminar introduces Fellows to U.S. journalistic practices and prepares them for living and working in the United States. Fellows also gather for Midterm and Final Seminars to compare their experiences, evaluate their fellowships and discuss their impressions of the U.S. media. The fellowship covers all cost of program-related international and domestic U.S travel, and provides a monthly stipend to cover a Fellow's basic living expenses. Applications are available from the AFPF office through January 1 (completed applications must be received at the AFPF office on or February 1). For detailed instructions and application materials, please mail, fax or e-mail the following form to:

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Website: <http://www.pressfellowships.org/>

### **Alpha Delta Kappa International Teacher Education Program**

In 1961 Alpha Delta Kappa, International Honorary Sorority for Women Educators, unanimously adopted the concept for the International Teacher Education program as its International altruistic program — a program designed, at that time, to bring women students to the United States for their final year in teacher training. In 1963, the first three Alpha Delta Kappa -International Teacher Education students arrived from Switzerland, Germany, and Argentina. Each student received a \$1,000 scholarship. Through the years, Alpha Delta Kappa has increased the size of its scholarships, and today each recipient receives a \$10,000 scholarship. Students currently in our program may apply for an additional year. To date, Alpha Delta Kappa has sponsored over 200 students from more than 40 countries. Funded by the nearly 1,800 Alpha Delta Kappa chapters, the purpose of this scholarship program is: *To promote better worldwide understanding through the field of education; and to focus attention on the precepts, which are the foundation of Alpha Delta Kappa. Program.*

The goals of the International Teacher Education Program provide foreign students the following opportunities:

- To study in American universities and colleges
- To learn about our philosophy of education, methods, and materials of instruction
- To observe democracy in action

- To share their experiences with people both in the United States and abroad.

Each Alpha Delta Kappa - International Teacher Education student will receive the scholarship in installments at designated intervals at the college/university she will attend. (This grant is not adequate to cover all expenses.) Each student shall submit to the chairman of the International Teacher Education Board a written statement outlining how each installment will be used. Housing arrangements are the responsibility of the student. Each student is encouraged to live in college/university housing. Each student will have Alpha Delta Kappa co-sponsors who live near her university. The co-sponsors will introduce the student to Alpha Delta Kappa, provide a family relationship, and assist with adjustments. Each student is encouraged to file a report with the Alpha Delta Kappa - International Teacher Education Board for a period of two years following completion of her studies. Alpha Delta Kappa International Headquarters must receive completed applications on or before January 1.

Website: <http://www.alphadeltakappa.org/public/index.htm>

### **Amelia Earhart Fellowship Awards: Zonta International**

**Deadline:** November 15, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Anticipated deadline. The record will be updated when new program information becomes available.

**Amount:** \$6,000

**Amount Note:** The scholarship award of U.S. \$6,000 may be used for tuition, books and fees, or living expenses.

**Eligibility:** Women of any nationality are eligible. To apply for the fellowship, applicants must meet the following minimum requirements:

- Have completed a bachelor's degree in a qualifying area of science or engineering closely related to advanced studies in aerospace-related science or aerospace-related engineering
- Demonstrate a superior academic record with evidence of potential at a recognized university or college as verified by transcripts, recommendations, and acceptance or verification by an institution of higher education with accredited courses in aerospace-related studies
- Provide evidence of a well-defined research program in aerospace-related science or aerospace-related engineering as described in the application essay, research and publications; Clearly demonstrate the relationship of the research to aerospace and furnish verification of the research program through at least one of the referees providing the recommendation required with the application
- By the time the fellowship grant is awarded, have completed one year of aerospace-related graduate studies at a well-recognized institution of higher education

**Requirements:** Graduate Student Women

**Abstract:** The Zonta International Amelia Earhart Fellowship Awards were established in 1938 in honor of Amelia Earhart, famed pilot and member of Zonta International. The awards are granted annually to women pursuing graduate degrees in aerospace-related sciences and aerospace-related engineering.

The award may be used at any university or college offering accredited graduate courses and degrees in aerospace studies.

**Contact Address:**

Zonta International Foundation  
557 West Randolph Street  
Chicago, IL 60661-2206  
Tel: (312) 930-5848  
Fax: (312) 930-0951  
Email: [Zontafdn@Zonta.org](mailto:Zontafdn@Zonta.org)

Website:

[http://www.zonta.org/Our\\_Programs/Amelia\\_Earhart\\_Program/amelia\\_earhart\\_program.html](http://www.zonta.org/Our_Programs/Amelia_Earhart_Program/amelia_earhart_program.html)

**American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences Foundation Fellowships**

The Association annually awards both national and international fellowships to support graduate and post-secondary study in family and consumer sciences. The fellowships are awarded to individuals who have exhibited the potential to make contributions to the family and consumer sciences profession. Criteria used to select fellowship recipients include: Proposed research problem or area and its significance to the public well-being and the advancement of family and consumer sciences; professional contributions to family and consumer sciences; scholarship and special aptitudes for advanced study and research; and educational and/or professional experiences. For the fellowship program, the Association is encouraging graduate study in the areas of textiles and clothing, nutrition, institutional management/food service systems administration, consumer studies, cooperative extension, and family and consumer sciences communication, education, and administration. There are however other fellowships that do not specify a subject area within family and consumer sciences. Graduate students studying in any area of family and consumer sciences are encouraged to apply for an AAFCS fellowship.

*Please consult current year award, fellowship and grant allocations to determine availability.*

Application must be made using official AAFCS application forms (online or print versions.) The postmark deadline for submission of applications is February 1st.

You can send the file electronically to [staff@aafcs.org](mailto:staff@aafcs.org), by fax to (703) 706-4663, or send five (5) collated and stapled copies of the completed nomination materials, typed or printed in black ink by US Mail to the AAFCS Headquarters, Attn: Awards

Program, 1555 King Street, Alexandria, VA 22314. The non-refundable application fee must accompany each request for application forms. This can be done via our [online application](#), or by sending a check or money order which should be made payable to AAFCS. The application fee is \$40 dollars. Applicants must present clearly defined plans for full-time graduate or undergraduate study for the academic year as specified by the applicant's university. Further, if selected to receive a fellowship, verification of enrollment and program of study for the academic years must be provided by the college/university before the fellowship monies will be remitted. If selected to receive a fellowship, the award will be disbursed in installments. If enrolled in a semester program, one-half of the funds will be distributed at the beginning of the first semester of the academic year, after completing and submitting verification of enrollment and program of study forms by the recipient's college/university. The remainder of the funds will be distributed at the beginning of the second semester of the academic year, after the completion and submission of verification of enrollment and program of study forms by the recipients' college/university. If enrolled in a quarter program, one-third of the fellowship award will be disbursed at the beginning of each quarter of the academic year upon completion and submission of verification of enrollment and program of study forms by recipient's college/university.

*AAFCS Development International Fellowship*

Fellowship of \$3,500 presented to international students pursuing studies in family and consumer sciences in the United States.

*Ethel L. Parker International Fellowship*

Fellowships of \$5,000 presented to international students pursuing a graduate degree in family and consumer sciences at a college or university in the United States.

*Helen Strow International Fellowship*

(Undergraduate International Student)

Fellowship of \$3,500 presented to an international student who is working to complete an undergraduate degree in family and consumer sciences in the U.S.

*D. Elizabeth Williams International Fellowship*

(Undergraduate International Student)

Fellowship of \$3,500 presented to an international student who desires to study family and consumer sciences in the United States, preferably at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro.

Website: <http://www.aafcs.org/fellowships/brochure.html>

**American Social Health Association (ASHA) Research Fund**

The ASHA Research Fund The ASHA Research Fund (ARF) is the nation's only privately funded post-doctoral research training program for scientific investigators in the field of sexually transmitted diseases. Since the establishment of the program in 1975, ASHA has awarded a total of 52 fellowships, supporting one to

two fellows per year. ASHA's investment in STD research now totals over \$2.5 million. While this is a small amount of money for scientific research, the influence of the ASHA Research Fund has been significant. Many of the leading STD researchers in the country have sponsored ASHA research fellows or begun their careers under the auspices of the program, and several fellows have already gone on to mentor other new investigators. Because STD research was largely neglected in the past, ASHA fellows have rapidly achieved a number of significant scientific and medical breakthroughs. The stipend for a two-year ASHA Research Fund fellowship is approximately \$35,500 during the first year and \$36,000 during the second year.

Request for applications for the 2004 - 2006 cycle will be announced during summer 2003.

Website: <http://www.ashastd.org/programs/arf.html>

### **Andrew W. Mellon/Vera Institute of Justice Postdoctoral Fellowship on Race, Crime, and Justice**

Applications will be available September 1 for The Andrew W. Mellon/Vera Institute of Justice Postdoctoral Fellowship on Race, Crime, and Justice. The fellowship encourages new scholars of diverse backgrounds to work and publish in this important field. One fellowship will be awarded each year for the next three years. Fellows will receive a competitive stipend and research allowance to pursue a scholarly project of their own design. Fellows will be in residence at the Vera Institute in New York for two years. Applicants must have completed a Ph.D. within seven years of applying for the fellowship.

Download information and application at [www.vera.org](http://www.vera.org) or contact:

Eileen Sullivan  
Director of Research  
Vera Institute of Justice  
377 Broadway  
New York, NY 10013

Application Deadline: January, annually

Website: [www.vera.org](http://www.vera.org)

### **Association for Women in Science Internships**

The Association for Women in Science (AWIS) National Office has paid internships available year-round, each lasting 2-4 months. Interns generally work closely with a staff member who could be the Executive Director, the Financial Manager, the Membership Manager, or the Publications Manager. In the past, interns have acted as the AWIS liaison to the National Coalition for Women and Girls in Education, attended hearings and followed judicial decisions, composed AWIS press releases, worked on public relations, set up cataloging systems for AWIS resources, written

for the bimonthly AWIS Magazine, assisted with membership activities, worked on grants, fulfilled information requests, and much more! We try to tailor your educational and work-related needs to the goals of the organization. We hope that our interns can aid us in our mission to achieve equity and full participation for women in science and technology. AWIS interns are a vital part of the National Office operations. Our interns are invaluable to the organization, and we strive to make your experiences with AWIS equally valuable to your own career/ leadership development. To apply, please send your resume and cover letter to AWIS stating the time of year for which you are applying, and the particular interest you have in applying to our organization.

We are always looking for interns to help us achieve our goals. Please feel free to contact Kathy Ruby at (202)-326-8940 with any questions. If you would like to help financially support an AWIS Intern, please contact the AWIS national office.

Website: <http://www.awis.org/internships.html>

### **B.C. Research Institute for Children's and Women's Health: Postdoctoral Fellowships**

These trainee awards support candidates of exceptional merit who hold MD or PhD degrees and will be engaged in research training related to children and women's health at the Research Institute. Level of support is based upon Medical Research Council guidelines for fellowship awards. Candidates who meet eligibility requirements are required to devote a minimum of 80 per cent of their time to research, working under the guidance of an established investigator. Appointments are normally for two years, subject to a performance review after the second year. The award includes an allowance of \$1500 to supervisors for the purchase of supplies and materials required by the fellow.

*Bertram Hoffmeister Fellowships* are given in honor of Major General Bertram Meryl Hoffmeister, O.C., C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., E.D., who served for many years as a member of the board of directors of B.C.'s Children's Hospital. As the founding chairman of the Hospital's Research Division, Mr Hoffmeister played a critical role in the development of research, notably as a leader in raising funds for, planning and building a research centre that opened in 1985 as the laboratory-base for studies of child health problems.

*Mining for Miracles Post Doctoral Research Fellowships* honor the mining community of British Columbia. This group of mining companies, industry suppliers and the Contractors and Consultants Association consistently raise in excess of \$400,000 annually for clinical and research programs at B.C.'s Children's Hospital. They established an Institute fellowship in 1995 and within five years raised \$500,000 to endow the award in perpetuity.

*The Research Institute/Canadian Genetic Diseases Network Postdoctoral Fellowship* (CGDN) was established in 1998 as a joint initiative for support of fellows training in the laboratories of CGDN senior investigators on site at Children's & Women's Health Centre of British Columbia. In special cases such funding may be awarded

for training in laboratories of senior CGDN investigators on the UBC main campus or at other UBC teaching hospitals.

For additional information and/or applications: **Forms** or contact the Research Institute Research Support Services Manager for further information.

(604) 875-2448, or [arintoul@cw.bc.ca](mailto:arintoul@cw.bc.ca)

Website: <http://www.bcricwh.bc.ca/awards.html>

### **Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs: Fellowships in Science and International Affairs**

The Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs (BCSIA) is the hub of the John F. Kennedy School of Government's research, teaching, and training in international security affairs, environmental and natural resource issues, and science and technology policy. The Center's mission is to provide leadership in advancing policy-relevant knowledge about the most important challenges of international security and other critical issues where science, technology, and international affairs intersect. The heart of BCSIA is its resident research staff: Harvard faculty members, scholars, public-policy practitioners, and each year a new, multinational, and interdisciplinary group of research fellows.

The Center offers both predoctoral and advanced research fellowships for one year, with a possibility for renewal. Applications for research fellowships are welcome from recent recipients of the Ph.D. or equivalent degree, university faculty members, and employees of government, military, international, humanitarian, and private research institutions who have appropriate professional experience. Applicants for predoctoral fellowships must have passed general examinations prior to appointment. BCSIA seeks applications from political scientists, lawyers, economists, those in the natural sciences, and others of diverse disciplinary backgrounds. BCSIA also encourages applications from women, minorities, and citizens of all countries.

Fellows are expected to devote some portion of their time to collaborative endeavors, as arranged by the appropriate program or project director. Research fellows are also expected to complete a book, monograph, or other significant publication during their period of residence. Predoctoral research fellows are expected to contribute to the Center's research activities, as well as work on - and ideally complete - their doctoral dissertations.

BCSIA research fellows are selected by the Center's major research programs and projects. Fellowship applicants must indicate the program or project to which they are applying in accordance with the research interests described below. BCSIA offers fellowships in five program areas: the International Security Program (ISP); the Environment and Natural Resources Program (ENRP); the Science, Technology, and Public Policy Program (STPP); the World Peace Foundation Program on Intrastate Conflict, Conflict Prevention, and Conflict Resolution (WPF); and the Caspian Studies Program (CSP). Additional fellowships are offered in special

projects described in the next section.

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

### International Security Program (ISP)

Program Director: Steven E. Miller · Faculty Chair: Stephen M. Walt

U.S. defense and foreign policy; Russian security policy; nuclear proliferation; managing nuclear technology and materials; the political economy of the Russian nuclear complex; chemical and biological weapons proliferation, control, and countermeasures; terrorism; regional security, especially the Russian periphery, Asia, and the Middle East; internal and ethnic conflict; transatlantic relations; democracy and democratization as a factor in international politics. BCSIA also co-sponsors, with the Shorenstein Center for Press and Politics, a fellowship for journalists specializing in defense and foreign affairs.

### Domestic Preparedness for Terrorism

Principal Investigator: Arnold Howitt

Terrorism (nuclear, biological, and chemical weapons and conventional explosives); disaster management and preparedness; epidemiology; military assistance to civilian authorities; intelligence sharing with law enforcement; counterterrorism technologies; and federal-state-local management issues, particularly as regards disaster relief.

### Science, Technology, and Public Policy (STPP) Program

Program Director and Faculty Chair: John Holdren

National and comparative science and technology policies and policy formation mechanisms; science and technology policy for competitiveness, sustainability, and security; social determinants of, and social impacts of, scientific and technological change.

### Managing the Atom Project

Executive Director: Jim Walsh

Addressing the risks posed by nuclear weapons and weapons-usable materials; assessing the future of civilian nuclear power; and strengthening democratic management of both through improved access to information, broader public participation, and more effective regulation and oversight.

### Energy Technology Innovation Project (ETIP)

Director: Vicki Norberg-Bohm

Patterns and processes of energy research, development, demonstration and deployment in the United States and around the world, policies and institutions for closing the gap between national and international energy R&D strategies and those needed to meet the challenge of climate change; analysis of effectiveness of

collaborative and partnership approaches for meeting U.S. energy-related environmental goals.

Science and Technology for Sustainability  
Director: William C. Clark

An international collaboration of scholars, practitioners and program managers working to increase the contribution of scientific research and technological innovation for sustainability science, vulnerability assessment, and decision-support activities.

WPF Program on Intrastate Conflict, Conflict Prevention, and Conflict Resolution (WPF)  
Program Director: Robert I. Rotberg

All aspects of conflict within states; ethnic/religious/linguistic conflict; peacekeeping and peace building; conflict prevention in general; conflict resolution, especially in divided states; all aspects of state failure and the prevention of state failure. The WPF Program has current and continuing particular concerns with Burma, Cyprus, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Haiti, Sri Lanka, the Sudan, Zimbabwe, and other vulnerable states.

Caspian Studies Program  
Research Director: Brenda Shaffer

Fellows with the Caspian Studies Program will focus on political and social trends in the states of the Caspian region; US political, economic and security strategy toward the region or impact of energy developments in region on regional economic development and global energy trends. Fellows' work will seek to inform the dialogue among policymakers, scholars and practitioners to focus the debate in ways that produce effective policy toward and for the region.

#### STIPEND INFORMATION

BCSIA offers ten-month stipends of \$34,000 to postdoctoral research fellows and \$20,000 to predoctoral research fellows, with health insurance. Only a limited number of fellowships are available, so interested candidates are encouraged to apply for other sources of funding. All applicants should indicate clearly whether they are seeking full or partial funding from BCSIA, and indicate other potential funding sources. Non-stipendiary appointments are also offered. Please note that CSP fellowship appointments are non-stipendiary. In most cases, office space and supplies, computers with LAN and Internet connections, and access to Harvard University libraries and other facilities will be provided.

Each applicant should submit as one complete packet:

1. a 3 to 5 page double-spaced statement that proposes a major research project or dissertation prospectus, including its relevance to the research interests of one of

the Center's programs or projects; the statement should clearly indicate at the top of the page the specific program or project to which the application is being directed.

2. a curriculum vitae;
3. 3 sealed letters of recommendation (not emails) attesting to the applicant's professional competence;
4. a short writing sample pertinent to the application (please do not send books or lengthy manuscripts);
5. Predoctoral candidates must also provide a sealed graduate school transcript.

There is no physical application to fill out. The steps above constitute the application process. The applicant is responsible for collecting all materials, including letters of recommendation and transcripts and submitting them as one packet to the Center. Materials submitted will not be returned to the applicant. Emailed materials will not be accepted, unless specifically indicated by the Program Director. An application deadline is January 20, 2003.

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Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs  
John F. Kennedy School of Government  
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Cambridge, MA 02138

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[http://bcsia.ksg.harvard.edu/fellowships.cfm?program=CORE&pb\\_id=57&gma=3](http://bcsia.ksg.harvard.edu/fellowships.cfm?program=CORE&pb_id=57&gma=3)

### **Bourse Postdoctorale du Centre de Recherche en Littérature Québécoise (Université Laval)**

**Deadline:** June 18, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Anticipated deadline. The record will be updated when new program information becomes available.

**Amount:** \$20,000

**Amount Note:** The fellowship provides \$20,000 and is given for 12 months, starting September 1, 2002.

**Eligibility:** Applicants must have completed their 3rd cycle studies in literature at a university other than Laval, must have proceeded to the thesis defense stage, and must be committed to engage in research in the areas of interest to CRELIQ.

**Abstract:** The Centre de Recherche en Littérature Québécoise (CRELIQ), Université Laval, offers an award to a Ph.D. graduate in literature.

**Contact:**

Centre de Recherche en Littérature Québécoise  
Local 7191, Pav. Charles-De Koninck

Faculté des Lettres  
Université Laval  
Sainte-Foy, Quebec G1K 7P4  
Canada

Website: <http://www.crelig.ulaval.ca/rech/recherche.htm>

### **British Chevening Scholarships**

These scholarships, funded by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and administered by the British Council, are prestigious awards, which enable overseas students to study in the United Kingdom. Scholarships are offered in over 150 countries and enable talented graduates and young professionals to become familiar with the UK and gain skills, which will benefit their countries. The Chevening programme currently provides around 2,300 new scholarships each year for postgraduate studies or research at UK Institutions of Higher Education. Chevening runs two websites for people interested in the scholarship programme. About Chevening contains information and guidelines about the scholarship programme. If you are considering going to UK to study or if you represent an organization or business which is interested in the Chevening programme and the opportunities it offers, this is where you can find out more. It gives details on who is eligible for scholarships, how to apply and contains links to the entire UK education resource which will help you identify the right course of study for you. But if you are a current or past Chevening scholar or have recently been awarded a scholarship, become a member of Chevening Online - the heart of the Chevening community - by visiting the Scholars and Alumni site.

Website: <http://www.chevening.com/home/index.html>

### **British Federation of Women Graduates Foundation Grants**

**Deadline:** April 22, 2003

**Deadline Note:** A £12.00, nonrefundable fee is required along with the completed application.

**Amount Note:** The number of awards is unspecified. The grants will be a contribution only towards the living expenses of one year's academic study or research. Grants are not likely to exceed £2,500.

**Eligibility:** Women graduates from Britain and overseas are eligible to apply. They must be studying or intend to study in the academic year 2003 to 2004 in Great Britain at the postgraduate or postdoctoral level. There is no upper age limit. Grants are not given for the first year of postgraduate study or research.

Evidence of ability to pay fees is required. Students reading for part-time postgraduate degrees will be eligible to apply for third year onwards.

**Abstract:** The BFWG Charitable Foundation offers grants to help women graduates with their living expenses (not fees) while registered for study or research at an

approved institution of higher education in Great Britain (i.e., England, Scotland, and Wales). Any subject or field of study will be considered.

**Contact:**

Grants Administrator  
BFWG Charitable Foundation  
28 Great James Street  
London WC1N 3EY  
United Kingdom  
Tel: +1 (0) 20-7404-6447  
Fax: +1 (0) 20-7404-6505  
Email: [BFWG.Charity@btinternet.com](mailto:BFWG.Charity@btinternet.com)

Website: <http://www.bcfgrants.org.uk/>

**British Institute in Eastern Africa**

The Institute exists for research and the encouragement and facilitation of research within its defined fields. Most researchers attached to or supported by the Institute are partly or largely funded separately. However, the Institute has in most years limited funds from which it may, at its absolute discretion, assist or supplement research expenses. Because of its own sources of finance, preference is normally given to scholars in Commonwealth and eastern African countries. Support offered is normally to help with actual field research expenses in the region; the Institute does not usually assist with transport to and from eastern Africa.

Enquiries about such grants or other assistance in research should be addressed to the Director at the Nairobi address. Applications should explain the nature and details of the proposed research and a budget, together with c.v. and the names of two referees able to advise on the applicant and the subject of research. The Institute also administers the Haycock Fund which, by the terms of a bequest from which it derives, is devoted principally to research on the ancient civilization of Meroe and related subjects in the region of the Middle Nile and north-eastern Africa (south of Egypt). Applications for assistance from this fund by suitably experienced scholars are invited and considered from time to time, usually at intervals of a few years. Those awarded grants are expected to keep the Institute informed on their plans and schedules, and to provide on completion of the research, or at intervals in the case of longer or seasonal projects, progress reports and summary accounts of the use of the funds.

Moreover, the Institute expects research, which it assists, or sponsors to lead to publication in suitable form as contributions to knowledge. Recipients of grants are asked to keep the Institute informed of all publications, lectures and publicity arising from such research and to submit copies for the Institute's library. The Institute's journal *Azania* may in many instances be suitable for such articles; the Director as editor of *Azania* can advise on this.

For information on grants awarded in recent years, from the general fund as well as Haycock, reference should be made to the Institute's annual reports.

Website: <http://britac3.britac.ac.uk/institutes/eafrica/support.html>

### **Canada-Latin America and the Caribbean Research Exchange Grants**

The purpose of this program is to strengthen international partnerships and consolidate emerging networks among academic researchers from Canada and Latin America. These partnerships and networks will serve the development process in one or more International Development Research Centre thematic areas of priority.

Deadline: AUCC hopes to be able to offer the program again next year. More information should be available in January 2003.

Priority themes: food security, equity in natural resource use, biodiversity conservation, sustainable employment, strategies and policies for healthy societies, information and communication and gender equity.

Eligibility: The program applies to the following countries: Argentina, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay and Venezuela.

Value: cost-shared on a 2:1 ratio to a maximum value for each grant of \$5,000 Cdn.

Number available: 10

Duration: 2003

For more information contact: [Suzanne Malbeuf](mailto:Suzanne.Malbeuf@aucc.ca) ([smalbeuf@aucc.ca](mailto:smalbeuf@aucc.ca))

Website: <http://www.aucc.ca/en/programs/latincarib.html>

### **Carter G. Woodson Institute at the University of Virginia: Predoctoral and Postdoctoral Residential Research Fellowships**

FOR FELLOWSHIP AWARDS BEGINNING AUGUST 15, 2003

*Application deadline: Dec. 2, 2002*

The Carter G. Woodson Institute at the University of Virginia offers predoctoral and postdoctoral residential research fellowships to eligible scholars whose work focuses on Race, Ethnicity, and Society in Africa and the Atlantic World (broadly defined as the African Diaspora).

TERMS: Postdoctoral fellowships cover one year, beginning August 15, and carry a stipend of \$25,000. Predoctoral fellowships cover two years, beginning August 15, and carry an annual stipend of \$15,000. Please note: Individuals may not apply for both fellowships in the same year.

**ELIGIBILITY:** The competition for the Woodson Institute fellowship is open to qualified candidates without restriction as to citizenship or current residence except for current University employees, who may not apply. [Former employees of the University of Virginia may not apply against a deadline, which falls within the twelve months immediately following the termination of their University of Virginia employment.] Applicants for the predoctoral fellowships must have completed all requirements for the Ph.D. except the dissertation prior to August 15, 2003. Applicants for the postdoctoral fellowship must have been awarded their Ph.D. by the time of application or furnish proof that it will have been received prior to June 30, 2003.

**CONDITIONS:** Predoctoral and postdoctoral fellows must be in residence at the University of Virginia for the duration of the award period. Fellows are expected to make periodic presentations of their work to the Woodson fellows and the larger academic community.

**APPLICATION MATERIALS:** Applicants must submit the following materials in the number of copies indicated:

1. Completed summary sheet. (Original Only). This form is available on-line as an **Html** (text) document.
2. Letter of application stating interest in the program. (8 copies)
3. Curriculum Vita, which should include the following: personal information; date(s) and location(s) of degree(s) earned; honors and awards; lectures and conference presentations; publications; names of referees. (8 copies)
4. A project description not to exceed seven double-spaced pages. **PROJECT DESCRIPTIONS EXCEEDING SEVEN DOUBLE-SPACED PAGES WILL NOT BE PASSED ON TO THE COMMITTEE.** The project description should have a title. It should indicate the nature of the research to be completed during the period of the fellowship award as well as the significance of this work for Studies in Race, Ethnicity, & Society in Africa and the Atlantic World. The project description should include a detailed research plan giving concrete objectives to be achieved during the award period. For predoctoral candidates, these objectives must include award of the Ph.D. For postdoctoral candidates, the objectives should include a statement of publication plans of the results of the proposed research and writing. (8 copies)
5. Graduate school transcript(s). (Predoctoral candidates only; 8 copies, if feasible)
6. Three confidential letters of reference to be sent directly to the Woodson Institute by persons qualified to evaluate proposal for which support is being sought. (Original only)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Applications must be postmarked no later than December 2, 2002. The Institute must receive all materials, including letters of reference, no later than December 15, 2002.

Applications and supporting materials should be sent to:  
Selection Committee  
Residential Research Fellowships  
The Carter G. Woodson Institute  
108 Minor Hall

P.O. Box 400162

Charlottesville, VA 22904-4162

REVIEW PROCEDURES: a local committee supported by such outside consultants as may be required will review all applications and supporting documents. Proposals will be judged on the basis of the following criteria:

1. The significance of the proposed work
2. The qualifications of the applicant
3. Familiarity with existing relevant research literature
4. The research design of the project
5. The promise of completion within the award period

Preference will be given to applicants whose field research is already substantially completed.

NOTIFICATION: Applicants will be notified by mail of the decision on their applications, and should receive those notifications in early March 2003.

Website: <http://www.virginia.edu/~woodson/programs/application.html>

### **CASBS Postdoctoral Fellowships**

Nine- to 12-month residential postdoctoral fellowships are available from the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, and nominations may be submitted any time. Typically 45-50 fellowships are awarded annually to scientists and scholars of proven accomplishment or exceptional promise.

In the past, fellowships have been awarded in psychology, sociology, and anthropology, political science, biology, history, economics, philosophy, psychiatry, linguistics, computer science, humanities, geography, law, education, musicology, and certain biomedical, mathematical, and statistical specialties. Fellowships entail a period of residence in the vicinity of the Center's Stanford, California facility, which usually begins in September. The selection process is started by nominations from behavioral scientists, academic administrators, or form fellows. Selection is a lengthy process, and the fellowship roster for any given year is usually prepared more than a year in advance.

Deadline: contact agency

For more information, contact:

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Associate Director

Center for Advanced Study in Behavioral Sciences

75 Alta Road

Stanford, CA 94305

Phone: (650) 321-2052

Fax: (650) 321-1192

Website: <http://www.apa.org/science/casbs.html>

## **Center for Afroamerican and African Studies: The DuBois-Mandela-Rodney Postdoctoral Program**

The Center for Afroamerican and African Studies (CAAS) at the University of Michigan invites applications for the DuBois-Mandela-Rodney Post-doctoral Fellowship Program from scholars working on Africa or the African Diaspora. Consideration will be given to all disciplines including - but not limited to - the humanities, social sciences, physical sciences and professional schools. Scholars from or who study the Gullah speaking Sea islands, Cape Verde islands, the Anglophone Caribbean, the Canary Islands, and Madagascar and/or other less studied areas are especially encouraged to apply.

This is a residential fellowship for the 2003-2004 academic year. The fellowship package is worth \$45,000 plus health insurance coverage. Included in the package is a stipend of \$42,000. Health insurance, plus \$1,000 for research and up to \$2,000 for travel expenses are also included. Successful candidates can expect to maintain affiliations with CAAS as well as departments and research institutes that relate to their projects. Fellows will be expected to conduct a CAAS work-in-progress seminar on their research during one of the semesters in residence.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Candidates must have a Ph.D. in hand and be no more than five years beyond the completion of their degree. That is, applicants are required to have earned a Ph.D. no earlier than January 1, 1998 and no later than August 31, 2003.

**APPLICATION:** The following materials must be received no later than November 30, 2002:

- An application cover letter
- An application form (see below)
- A curriculum vitae
- Three letters of recommendation and reference letter cover sheets (see below), sent to CAAS directly from referees
- A research proposal and schedule of activities
- A writing sample

In addition to the above materials, applicants who have not yet completed their Ph.D. must submit the following materials by November 30, 2002.

- A signed advisor's verification form (see below) from the dissertation advisor stating whether the applicant is likely to complete the dissertation by August 31, 2003.
- An official transcript or copy of one indicating when the applicant completed all the requirements for the Ph.D. except the dissertation (ABD status).

If an applicant who has not yet completed his or her Ph.D. yet is selected to be a fellow, he or she must also submit proof that all the requirements of the Ph.D. have been completed by August 31, 2003, in order to begin the fellowship in September.

**NOTIFICATION:** Candidates will be notified of the Fellowships Committee's decision by March 1, 2003.

See CAAS' fellowships web page for more information about the fellowship and for tips on writing a good proposal and submitting a competitive application package.

RESPOND TO: Du Bois-Mandela-Rodney Fellowship  
Center for Afroamerican and African Studies  
The University of Michigan  
550 East University Avenue, 106 West Hall  
Ann Arbor, MI 48109-1092, U.S.A.  
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Email: sdaniel@umich.edu

Website: <http://www.umich.edu/~iinet/caas/>

### **Center for Tropical Forest Science Research Grants Program**

The Research Grants Program of the Center for Tropical Forest Science (CTFS) of the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute is intended to provide opportunities for senior researchers and graduate, predoctoral, and postdoctoral students to support research associated with the CTFS network of Forest Dynamics Plots. Anyone working directly in a Forest Dynamics Plot (FDP), analyzing data from a plot, or generating complementary data that strengthens FDP research programs is eligible to apply. Projects can be field-oriented, laboratory-based, or analytical, and scientifically, basic or applied in nature. Grants range from \$3,000-\$15,000, though a small number of post-doctoral grants may total up to \$40,000. The CTFS Grants Program will make awards for projects three months to three years in length.

Grant proposals should include a Research Proposal (not to exceed 1500 words), a list of collaborators, curriculum vitae, proposed referees, and a detailed budget.

**Deadline for applications:** August 30, 2002, February 28, 2003, August 29, 2003, and February 27, 2004.

E-mail: [ctfslist@stridc.si.edu](mailto:ctfslist@stridc.si.edu)  
Fax: 202/786-2819  
Website: <http://www.ctfs.si.edu>

### **Charles A. and Anne Morrow Lindbergh Foundation Grants Program**

Each year, The Charles A. and Anne Morrow Lindbergh Foundation provides grants of up to \$10,580 (a symbolic amount representing the cost of the "Spirit of St. Louis") to men and women whose individual initiative and work in a wide spectrum of disciplines furthers the Lindberghs' vision of a balance between the advance of technology and the preservation of the natural/human environment. To date, 225 men and women in the United States and abroad have received more than \$2.1 million to support their work. "The concept of a technology/nature balance, in which Charles and Anne Lindbergh so firmly believed, is now coming to the forefront as the answer to some of our global problems," said Clare Hallward, Chairman of the Lindbergh Foundation Grants Selection Committee. "The projects of our grant recipients have, since 1978, made significant contributions to such a balance.

Because of the standards employed by the Foundation's grants program, it has earned international credibility which enables many Lindbergh Grant recipients to secure additional funding to continue their important work."

The value of the Lindbergh Grants program as a provider of seed money and credibility for pilot projects that subsequently receive larger sums from other sources to continue and expand the work has again been confirmed. Seventy-four percent of Lindbergh Grant recipients responding to a recent survey by the Foundation said they had received additional funding for their research or educational project earlier supported by a Lindbergh Grant, with 34% receiving funds ranging from \$50,001 up to \$500,000 in supplementary support.

Each year, The Charles A. and Anne Morrow Lindbergh Foundation solicits applications for Lindbergh Grants from the U.S. and abroad through a wide mailing of its application form to all degree-granting institutions in the U.S., as well as the Lindbergh Foundation's mailing list of those in the U.S. and other countries who maintain a current interest in the Foundation's programs. This list includes publications, government agencies, media, universities, and other non-profit organizations. Approximately 200 formal grant applications are received each year.

Lindbergh Grants are made in the following categories: agriculture; aviation/aerospace; conservation of natural resources - including animals, plants, water, and general conservation (land, air, energy, etc.); education - including humanities/education, the arts, and intercultural communication; exploration; health - including biomedical research, health and population sciences, and adaptive technology; and waste minimization and management. A Jonathan Lindbergh Brown Grant may be given to a project to support adaptive technology or biomedical research that seeks to redress imbalance between an individual and his or her human environment.

#### Selection Procedure

Upon receipt of grant application forms in the Lindbergh Foundation office, the applications are screened administratively for completeness and appropriateness. They are then sent for two "balance reviews" from members of the Foundation's Board of Directors and former grant recipients and are reviewed for the project's potential to address the balance between technological growth and man's human/natural environment. Next, the applications are sent to an independent Technical Review Panel that includes individuals drawn from academia, industry, government, media, foundations, and other non-profit organizations, all chosen for their expertise in the areas in which Lindbergh Grants are made. The three to four panelists evaluate each project for its ability to solve the stated problem, the originality of the approach, and its practical application. Applications receiving the most favorable balance and technical reviews are sent to the Board's Grants Selection Committee. It is this committee that recommends the most outstanding projects for Lindbergh Grants and Certificates of Merit, the later awarded to applicants whose projects, while not selected for a grant, are considered worthy of special recognition. The full Board acts on the recommendations at its winter/spring meeting.

The deadline for grant applications is the second Thursday of June in the year preceding the awarding of funds. For example, for funding beginning in June of 2002, applications were due June 15, 2001. All applicants receive notification of final selections by April 15 of each funding year. Grants are presented in June.

Website: <http://www.lindberghfoundation.org/grants/index.html>

### **CIS Annual Visiting Scholar Competition: Global Governance**

Winners of the CIS Visiting Scholar competition receive a stipend, office space, USC library privileges, \$1,000 towards moving expenses, and computer support. Fellowships are funded by the Center's endowment. The competition is open to junior scholars: those who received a Ph.D. within the last 5 years or who will have completed a dissertation by December 2003. Equivalent experience is not accepted. No English tests are required. Applications from a variety of disciplines are encouraged.

This year's call:

In conjunction with a major initiative by the USC College of Letters, Arts and Sciences to recruit senior scholars doing research in the broad area of globalization, CIS invites applications for visiting scholars who do innovative research in global governance. Specific topics might include:

- \* International law and global institutions
- \* Global public goods and global public policy
- \* Transnational Social Movements and Global Civil Society
- \* Globalization, governance and new forms of diplomacy

Evaluation: Applicants will be evaluated on the bases of academic achievements and promise, publications and previous work experience, the quality of the research proposal, and the applicant's potential for making significant scholarly contributions. Awards will be announced in March 2003.

Application Procedures Applicants must submit: 1) a curriculum vitae, 2) a 5-7 page research proposal, 3) a list of publications (when applicable), 4) a graduate transcript, and 5) 3 (three) confidential letters of recommendation. Applications without a research proposal will not be considered. The letters of recommendation may be sent directly to the office by the referee. Applications must be in English. Application materials must be postmarked on or before January 13, 2003

Please send applications to:

ATTN: Visiting Scholar Competition  
Dr. J. Ann Tickner, Director  
Center for International Studies  
University of Southern California  
Los Angeles, CA 90089-0037  
USA

Website: <http://www.usc.edu/dept/LAS/ir/cis/>

### **CISAC Pre/Postdoctoral and Hamburg Fellowship Programs**

CISAC has two social science fellowship programs for predoctoral and postdoctoral students and scholars, which provide opportunities for concentrated study in a multidisciplinary environment.

Download announcement.

Pre/Postdoctoral Fellowships

Hamburg Fellowships

Visiting fellows spend the academic year at Stanford University completing their projects, participating in seminars, and interacting with each other and the resident faculty and research staff. The Center facilities on the Stanford campus include offices, a conference room, and a specialized library. Fellows also have access to other Stanford libraries.

Pre/Postdoctoral Fellowships

The Center considers applicants working within a broad range of topics related to peace and international security. Suitable topics may include: security relationships around the world; U.S.-Russian strategic relations; security in South and East Asia; U.S. defense and arms control policies proliferation of nuclear, chemical, and biological weapons ethnic and civil conflict peacekeeping; the prevention of deadly conflict; the causes and prevention of terrorism; and/or the commercialization of national defense technologies.

The value of each fellowship award is determined by the applicant's graduate education and background. Stipends for the nine-month academic year will be \$20,000 for predoctoral and Hamburg fellows. Postdoctoral stipends start at \$33,000 and are commensurate with experience.

The deadline for receipt of all applications (both Pre/Postdoctoral and Hamburg) is February 1, 2003. Applications in PDF format are available for download.

PLEASE NOTE:

**ONLY** candidates living abroad may fax or email application documents.

**DO NOT** send application materials via registered or certified mail. Stanford post office will not deliver mail of these types, and receipt of your application will be delayed. You can also send for an application by writing to the fellowship coordinator:

Barbara Platt

CISAC

Encina Hall, E210

Stanford, CA 94305-6165

Tel. (650) 723-9626

Fax (650) 723-0089

E-mail: [barbara.platt@stanford.edu](mailto:barbara.platt@stanford.edu)

## **Civil Society Nonprofit Scholars Program**

As Alexis de Tocqueville's *Democracy in America* (1835) observed more than a century and a half ago, the voluntary, nonprofit sector represents a critical component of American society. Today, as in the past, American citizens form voluntary associations to promote public goods and stimulate democracy. Since the nation's well-being is closely connected to the health of its voluntary sector and how that sector contributes to civil society, this program will support individuals who wish to enhance our collective understanding of this central but under-researched aspect of American life.

In the Wilsonian tradition of cooperation, the Corporation for National and Community Service and the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars created the Civil Society Nonprofit Scholars program. This unprecedented collaboration is designed to increase understanding of the complex relationship between civil society, the nonprofit sector, volunteerism, and public policy in the United States.

Through an annual international competition, the Corporation and the Center will name up to three Civil Society Nonprofit Scholars who wish to spend nine months conducting applied research that will illuminate contemporary public policy issues and increase the body of research on the intersection of civil society, the nonprofit sector, volunteerism, and public policy. Scholars will receive a stipend based on their current salary, be located at the Corporation in Washington and develop relationships with other Washington area organizations. Each scholar will also have access to the extensive research resources afforded by the Corporation, the Center, and the Washington area. In addition, scholars will be encouraged to participate in Corporation-sponsored activities as well as seminars and other events offered by the Center for the larger community of fellows and scholars.

After the program period, scholars will be expected to disseminate their research findings through various public media, including presentations, open forum discussions, publications, and Web postings.

Scholars from a wide variety of backgrounds (including government, the corporate world, the professions, and academia) will be chosen for their outstanding capabilities and relevant experience. Applications are welcome from any country, but research proposals must explore preferred themes within an American context. For academic applicants, eligibility is limited to the postdoctoral level and these candidates should demonstrate scholarly development - as evidenced through publications - beyond their doctoral dissertation. For other applicants, an equivalent level of professional achievement is expected. Applicants working on degrees at the time of the application (even if the degree is to be awarded prior to the proposed scholarship year) are not eligible unless there is an equivalent level of professional achievement evidenced in their work experience. In addition, applicants for 2003-2004 Woodrow Wilson fellowships will not be considered for the 2003-2004 Civil Society Nonprofit Scholars award.

Applicants are encouraged to submit proposals that fit into three primary themes: (1) the relationship between democratic institutions and nonprofit organizations; (2) the role of service and citizenship in modern society and civil society; and (3) civic engagement and public policy. Proposals must explore these themes within an American context.

Civil Society Nonprofit Scholars would serve nine months in residence at the Corporation for National and Community Service in Washington, DC, from September 2003 through May 2004.

Under this program, the Corporation provides stipends and ensures that the amount allocated, together with the scholar's other sources of funding (e.g., grants secured by the applicant and sabbatical allowances but not to include acceptance of any other residential award or grant) approximates the individual's regular salary. Funds for health coverage (if needed) and any travel costs will be negotiated into the total stipend amount. For the 2003-2004 Civil Society Nonprofit Scholars program, the stipend ceiling has been set at \$85,000.

The scholars will be in residence at the Corporation in Washington, DC, during the scholar's program period. Located in the heart of Washington, the Corporation is a 10-minute walk from the Center. Professional librarians at the Center will provide access to reference libraries and other research facilities to assist scholars with their projects. Scholars will be responsible for locating housing in the Washington metropolitan area, but will be provided with written assistance from the program.

The Corporation and the Center hold one round of competitive selection per year for the Civil Society Nonprofit Scholars program. The application deadline for the 2003-2004 cycle is February 3, 2003. Decisions on appointments will be made in April 2003. Information and application forms may be downloaded from the Corporation at [www.nationalservice.org/scholars](http://www.nationalservice.org/scholars) or from the Center at website: [www.wilsoncenter.org/scholars](http://www.wilsoncenter.org/scholars). Applications at <http://wwics.si.edu/sf/docs/cvlsocapp.pdf>

Website: [www.wilsoncenter.org/scholars](http://www.wilsoncenter.org/scholars).

### **Commission of the European Union (CEU) - European Development Fund (EDF) - Scholarships Programme**

Scholarships are in most cases associated with EU funded development projects in the participating countries.

Eligible Countries: EU member states. Available to citizens of the African, Caribbean and Pacific countries associated with the EU through the Lomé agreements.

The scholarship covers course fee, books and fieldtrips, international travel expenses, insurance, monthly allowance, and stipend to cover initial expenses of getting established.

Duration: For the duration of the course.

Information and application forms can be obtained from the EU diplomatic representative in the candidate's own country. The application is submitted through the candidate's employer and government.

### **The Cornell Employment and Family Careers Institute**

The Cornell Employment and Family Careers Institute is currently accepting applications for three postdoctoral fellowship positions. All positions will contribute to multidisciplinary research examining issues faced by working couples in their attempts to manage work, family and personal responsibilities. One position will focus on federal and/or organizational policies related to work/family issues; the other two positions are open to other research interests in work/family issues. Postdoctoral fellows must apply a life course approach to the study of the work/family interface.

The positions begin August 2000, with an application deadline of March 1, 2000. Fellowships are funded by the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation and are for 12 months, with a possibility of renewal, and include a stipend of \$32,000 per year. Application Deadline: March 1, annually

For additional information, or to request application materials, contact:

Stephen Sweet  
Director of Research  
Cornell Employment and Family Careers Institute  
G20 MVR Hall  
Ithaca, NY 14853  
Phone: (607) 255-0507  
Fax: (607) 254-2903  
Email: [careers\\_inst@cornell.edu](mailto:careers_inst@cornell.edu)  
Application materials can also be found at

Website: [www.lifecourse.cornell.edu/ci/postdoc.html](http://www.lifecourse.cornell.edu/ci/postdoc.html)

### **The Echoing Green Fellowship Program**

The Echoing Green Fellowship program was created to provide social entrepreneurs who have original and compelling ideas for driving social change with the tools and resources to start new autonomous public service projects or organizations. Anyone who has created a successful start up organization will tell you that it is more than a full time job. It isn't easy. Nor is effecting social change. Therefore, the Echoing Green Foundation has crafted a fellowship program to provide our fellows with the guidance and support to navigate the various obstacles that face any new venture and help them to grow beyond the start up phase. Our fellowships include a two-year stipend, technical assistance and the support structure of our Fellows' Community.

Echoing Green has been providing seed funding to individuals and partners for over 10 years. Our Echoing Green community includes over 350 active fellows and alumni. This community is an elite group. Throughout their public service careers our fellows have demonstrated creativity, innovativeness, intelligence and boundless determination while addressing what appear to others to be insurmountable social challenges. Their success in making a difference in the communities they serve has brought national recognition to our Fellows as leaders and their organizations as change agents.

We believe in thinking without boundaries. Therefore, we do not limit applicants to specific program areas or geographic territories. We support programs domestically and internationally in all public service areas including but not limited to the environment, arts, education, health, youth service and development, civil and human rights and community and economic development. The result is a fellows' community that represents a diversity of perspectives and experiences.

The Echoing Green selection process is highly competitive. Of over a thousand initial applications that we received for the 2002 program, 140 were invited to submit full applications. Of the 140 Phase II applicants, 24 were selected as Finalists. Nineteen of the Finalists were awarded Echoing Green Fellowships.

When evaluating applicants' proposals, we look for approaches that are thoughtful and original, sustainable and possibly replicable. We look for ideas that address clearly defined needs and will have a measurable impact on the communities they serve. We evaluate the leadership skills, experience and dedication of the applicants.

For more information on applying for an Echoing Green Fellowship, see **2003 Fellowship Application Timeline**.

#### Completing The Echoing Green 2003 Fellowship Application

In order to improve the application process and to make additional reference materials available to you, the Echoing Green Foundation has moved our application process on line. All applications must be submitted by 5 pm EST January 6, 2003.

The on line application will allow you to save your work and return to your application at a later date. Allow yourself sufficient time to review your application once it is complete. Once you have selected "submit" for your application, **you will not be able to make any additional edits**. If you edit your responses and resubmit them as a new application, it will be considered a duplicate submission and you automatically will be **ineligible for consideration**.

Website: <http://www.echoinggreen.org/supportdocsindex.htm?id=8>

## **Education and African Modernities: The Development of African Universities: Post-Doctoral Fellowship**

Funded by the Rockefeller Foundation, post-doctoral fellowships on the theme of "Education and African Modernities" are offered by the Center for African Studies and the College of Education, **University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign**. This three-year Rockefeller Foundation Humanities Institute offers fellows the opportunity to explore and interrogate, through interdisciplinary inquiries, the role of higher education, broadly defined, in and on Africa. Specifically, the institute will focus on three inter-related themes revolving around education as a site of knowledge production and dissemination, socialization, stratification, and struggle. Each year of the institute is organized around a broad theme and supports two post-doctoral fellowships (ten months in duration). The focus of the first year (2003-2004) will be on the development of African universities, where intellectuals are produced, capacities for development and constructions of modernity nurtured. African universities are undergoing a lot of complex changes in response to internal and external institutional, social, political, economic, and intellectual pressures and transformations. The changes and challenges include the decentralization, privatization, and massification of higher education, spawned or affected by various processes ranging from globalization, the emergence of new information technologies, to the brain drain and pipeline issues linking higher education to secondary education, to the HIV/AIDS pandemic, which have implications for quality maintenance, structures of governance and access, and processes of knowledge production, dissemination, and consumption. Specifically for this institute, we seek scholars exploring the implications of these changes and challenges on the humanities disciplines and modes of inquiry: how are the humanities being affected and responding, and how are debates being reframed within the humanities?

The stipend for this ten-month fellowship will be within the range of \$37,500-\$40,000, based on qualifications. All fellows will be based in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, and some support for relocation expenses, housing and benefits is also available.

Qualifications: Applications are welcome from the humanities, education, and social sciences fields, and applicants must have a Ph.D. or its equivalent for full consideration. Regional, comparative and interdisciplinary interests are especially welcome. In addition to their individual research and writing, the fellows will be asked to participate in academic forums, including: seminars, colloquia, symposia, and focused discussion groups. There are no regular teaching duties associated with these fellowships. Applicants need not be U.S. citizens, and international applications are welcome. For further information about the program, see the overview of the Rockefeller Humanities Fellowships at <http://www.rockfound.org/> or the announcement on the Center for African Studies website given below. Deadline for receipt of application for 2003-2004: January 1, 2003. Notification by March 15, 2003.

Application Procedures: Please send the following materials (electronic applications welcome, with the exception of letters of recommendation): A copy of the applicant's c.v. A ten-page proposal (double-space) detailing the project to be conducted while in residency at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. A writing sample (a book chapter or article) Three letters of recommendation (hard copy must be sent). Submit to: Center for African Studies, ATTN: Rockefeller Post-Doctoral Fellowships 210 International Studies Bldg., 910 S. Fifth St, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, IL 61820, U.S.A.; Phone: (217) 333-6335; Fax: 217-244-2429; E-mail: [swisher@uiuc.edu](mailto:swisher@uiuc.edu)

Website: <http://www.afrst.uiuc.edu/postdoc/>.

### **Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation**

#### *Elizabeth Glaser Scientist Award*

This international program was established as a testament to Elizabeth Glaser's strength, her courage and her vision. The goal of this program is to build a network of scientists focusing on issues of pediatric HIV/AIDS and creating a generation born free of this infection.

- Up to five outstanding scientists are funded each year.
- Must have an M.D., Ph.D., D.D.S., or D.V.M. degree.
- Must be at the assistant professor level or above.
- Provides up to \$650,000 in direct costs over a period of five years.

Requests for Applications Available: March. [View/Download](#)

For applications: [http://www.pedaids.org/fs\\_grant\\_apps.html](http://www.pedaids.org/fs_grant_apps.html)

#### *One-year and Two-year Basic Research Grants*

The goal of this program is to provide initial funding to investigators to enable them to gather preliminary data to answer questions quickly and/or obtain sufficient results to apply to other granting agencies. Applicant must have a full-time academic and/or institutional appointment. Provides up to \$80,000 (U.S.) per year in direct costs for a period of performance not to exceed two years. Determination as to the duration of support will be made by the Scientific Advisory Committee during peer review. Only one application per investigator. Renewals for one year are competitively reviewed based on progress. Two-year grants are not renewable. Research using animal models may apply for supplemental funds directly related to the purchase and care of animals; total direct cost is \$100,000/year with supplement. Indirect cost allowed is 20% of total direct.

Investigators outside the U.S. may apply. Requests for Applications Available: March. [View/Download](#)

#### *Two-Year Renewable Scholar Awards*

Postdoctoral fellowship that provides for two years of salary support towards basic medical research in pediatric HIV/AIDS. Salary will be based on years of postdoctoral experience ranging from \$30,000 to \$46,000 depending on years of postdoctoral experience (see salary chart below). Applications from individuals with

more than six years of postdoctoral experience will not be accepted. Scholars must agree to spend at least 50% of their time on research in pediatric HIV/AIDS. Researchers with M.D.s must have two years of post-doctoral experience to be eligible. This requirement is waived for Ph.D.s and D.V.M.s. Associate Professors and Full Professors (and their equivalents) should apply for the Basic Research Grant. Tenured senior investigators are not eligible. Awards are renewable for a third year. Renewal applications do not go through the Letter of Intent process and are solicited automatically. However, renewals are competitive and are not routinely awarded. Only two applications will be accepted from any one sponsor. There is no limit as to the number of applications submitted from one department. Scholars must select an experienced sponsor with appropriate qualifications to oversee the proposed research. Indirect cost allowed for these awards is 10% of total direct costs. Scholar Awards are awarded for a period of two years beginning January 1, 2003.

#### *Short-Term Awards*

Provides \$5,000 for any small project or portion of a project that can be accomplished in a short period of time. Awards are specifically intended to facilitate exchanges of information and the acquisition of specialized skills within the Foundation's areas of concern. Potential applications can be for such things as travel, training or meeting sponsorship. Open to qualified pediatric investigators at U.S. and foreign (non-profit) institutions.

Indirect costs are not allowed on Short-term Awards. Short-term Awards are given for a one-year period, beginning January 1, 2003 and the project or travel/training may be done at any time within that one-year period.

Applicants for Short-term Awards must submit a budget and budget justification. Please contact the Foundation to obtain the necessary form ([basic@pedaids.org](mailto:basic@pedaids.org)). Short-term Awards applications are considered full applications and are evaluated entirely on the basis of the information submitted in response to this RFA.

#### **FAO Associate Professional Officers Programme**

The mission statement of the Associate Professional Officers (APO) programme is twofold: to contribute to the advancement and achievement of the goals of the organization through the deployment of young professionals; and to provide young experts with an opportunity to gain experience in the field of international cooperation through a structured learning experience.

Who is eligible for the APO Programme? How to initiate the application process?

First of all, there are various general minimum criteria for every candidate. Please [click here](#) to find an answer to the question: **Who is a potential APO?**

The application process of the APO Programme is open for nationals from a large number of countries around the world. There are two groups of candidates: nationals from donor countries; and nationals from developing countries. If you are a national from one of the donor countries listed below, please click on your country's name to find out more about the application process: [Austria](#) , [Germany](#), [Republic of Korea](#), [Belgium](#), [Ireland](#), [Spain](#),

[Canada](#), [Italy](#), [Switzerland](#), [Denmark](#), [Japan](#), [Sweden](#), [Finland](#), [Luxembourg](#), [United Kingdom](#), [France](#), [The Netherlands](#), [United States](#), or Norway. It is not possible to apply if your country is not listed as a sponsor of the APO programme, unless you are a citizen of a developing country.

Special Notice to nationals from developing countries:

If you are from a developing country and fulfill the following requisites, you may proceed by [clicking here](#).

- I have no blood relatives of the first degree currently employed at FAO;
- I have completed advanced education in a developing country; and
- I have finished a study relevant to international cooperation.
- Is my country considered a developing country?

To answer this question, go to the web site [www.oecd.org](http://www.oecd.org), select the Search function, type in the "Search" box "DAC list of Aid Recipients", click on "search". Please note that developing countries are designated in the first three columns of the OECD DAC list of recipient countries. The first three columns relate to the Least Developed Countries, Other Low Income Countries and Lower Middle Income Countries and Territories.

For application:

[http://www.fao.org/tc/Apo/section\\_information\\_for\\_potential\\_applicants/index5\\_en.html](http://www.fao.org/tc/Apo/section_information_for_potential_applicants/index5_en.html)

### **Fellowships related to African Studies**

Compiled by Mr. Raymond Gervais who compiled it with the help of Mr. Moussa Keita. They were supported by CIDA and CAAS for this project).

Go to website: <http://www.caas.umontreal.ca/htm/fundE.htm>

### **The Five College African Scholars Program**

The Five College African Scholars Residency Program works to support African universities and to enrich Africa-focused scholarship at the Five Colleges and internationally. It does so by bringing junior and mid-level African scholars, employed by and teaching in African universities and with active research projects with an African focus, for 5 and 10 month research residencies at [Amherst College](#), [Hampshire College](#), [Mount Holyoke College](#), [Smith College](#), and the [University of Massachusetts Amherst](#), neighboring institutions associated in the Five College Consortium centered in Amherst, Massachusetts.

During their time here, Residents will be expected to complete a scholarly writing project with the goal of publication. Each scholar will be provided with a laptop computer, which she or he may retain once the Residency is complete, so as to sustain contact by e-mail. Each scholar will be hosted by one of the five institutions, which will supply office space, telephone and web access, and partnership with a local faculty sponsor. Each Resident will have access to library and other research

facilities at all five institutions. All Residents will participate in an interdisciplinary Residents Research Seminar including fellow Residents and Africanist faculty from the five colleges, and will be expected to present their work to the Seminar, which will be conducted in English. Teaching is not a requirement of the Residency, although Residents may be invited as guest speakers in courses offered at the five campuses.

Support includes airfare to and from Africa, a monthly stipend of \$3,000, housing, and health insurance for Residents who meet the U.S. Department of State requirements for J-1 exchange visitors. Reimbursement of certain research expenses (books, research materials, travel to conferences within the United States, etc.) is also available --up to \$750 for five-month Residencies and up to \$1500 for ten-month Residencies.

The Five College African Scholars Residency Program is generously supported by the [Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation](#) and by the five colleges. The Program is administered by the Five College African Studies Council, representing 30 Africanists from a range of fields at all five institutions. The Council sustains an intensive collaboration, allowing the institutions to combine the substantial resources available to support African studies at each of the campuses. Members of the Council edit the *[African Studies Review](#)*, the principal journal of the [African Studies Association](#).

Eligibility for Residencies is limited to junior and mid-level scholars who are citizens of nations in Africa; who at the time of application reside in Africa; and have not resided in Europe or North America in the past two years; who are employed by and teaching at African universities; and who intend to return to their institutions in Africa upon completion of their residencies. If the Recruitment and Selection Committee recommends an application for funding, the applicant must then provide authorization for a leave of absence by the home institution as well as a certification by that institution that he/she may return to his/her position at the end of the residency in the African Scholars Program.

**Applications** from scholars whose writing projects have an African focus are welcome in all disciplines and may be comparative in nature. (The Program is not able to provide extensive laboratory facilities or other sizable research funding.) The Recruitment and Selection Committee will look for applications with a distinctly humanistic or social dimension. Applicants must submit with their application a proposal describing a research project to be completed during the residency term. Interdisciplinary projects are encouraged.

*Note: We will need to ask the US Immigration authorities to issue a J-1 visa for those whom we invite to be Residents. Please be aware that current US immigration regulations require that an individual who leaves the United States, having been here on a J-1 visa, may not return under another J-1 visa until twelve months have elapsed.*

Applications available from: <http://www.fivecolleges.edu/asp/app.htm>

The Program begins in January 2003 and is expected to continue at least into 2007.

Application deadlines:

<u>Residency</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
January 1 - May 31	June 1
August 1 - December 31	February 1
August 1 - May 31	February 1

Website: <http://www.fivecolleges.edu/asp/>

### **Fondation Fyssen Postdoctoral Study Grants**

**Deadline:** March 31, 2003

**Amount Note:** Postdoctoral study grants provide up to 20,124 Euros per year. The grants are normally given for one year and may be renewed. (For researchers in neurobiology who are coming from the United States to France, the maximum period is two years.)

**Eligibility:** The grants are intended to support postdoctoral research scientists (under 35 years of age) working on topics in keeping with the foundation's goals.

**Abstract:** The aim of the Fondation Fyssen is to encourage all forms of scientific inquiry into cognitive mechanisms, including thought and reasoning, that underlie animal and human behavior, their biological and cultural bases, and their phylogenetic and ontogenetic development.

The foundation awards grants for the training and support of postdoctoral researchers working on topics in keeping with the foundation's goals. The grants are intended to assist French research scientists who wish to work in laboratories abroad, and foreign research scientists who wish to work in French laboratories.

The foundation supports research in the following areas:

- 1) Ethology and Psychology -- Nature and development of the cognitive processes in man and animals, both ontogenetic and phylogenetic
- 2) Neurobiology -- Neurobiological bases of cognitive processes, their embryonic and post-natal development, and their elementary mechanisms
- 3) Anthropology-Ethnology -- (a) Cognitive aspects of the representations of both natural and cultural environments, including an analysis of their construction principles and transfer mechanisms; and (b) An analysis of the forms of social organization and their technological systems (knowledge, know-how, transfer mechanisms)
- 4) Human Paleontology-Archaeology -- Origin and evolution of the human brain and human artifacts

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**Ford Foundation International Fellowships Program**

The Ford Foundation International Fellowships Program (IFP) provides opportunities for advanced study to exceptional individuals who will use this education to become leaders in their respective fields, furthering development in their own countries and greater economic and social justice worldwide. To ensure that Fellows are drawn from diverse backgrounds, IFP actively seeks candidates from social groups and communities that lack systematic access to higher education. IFP is the largest single program ever supported by the Ford Foundation. By investing \$280 million over ten years through 2010, the Foundation intends to build on its half century of support for higher education. Foundation programs have long promoted the highest educational standards and achievement. Ford fellowship recipients have become leaders in institutions around the world and have helped build global knowledge in fields ranging across the natural and social sciences as well as the humanities and arts. IFP draws on this tradition and underscores the Foundation's belief that education enables people to improve their own lives as well as to assist others in the common pursuit of more equitable and just societies. The International Fellowships Program provides support for up to three years of formal graduate-level study leading to a masters or doctoral degree. Fellows are selected from countries in Asia, Africa, the Middle East, Latin America, and Russia, where the Ford Foundation maintains active overseas programs. U.S. nationals are not eligible, although Fellows may study in the United States.

Fellows are chosen on the basis of their leadership potential and commitment to community or national service, as well as for academic excellence. Fellows may enroll in masters or doctoral programs and may pursue any academic discipline or field of study that is consistent with the interests and goals of the Ford Foundation. The Foundation currently works in fifteen fields to strengthen democratic values, reduce poverty and injustice, promote international cooperation, and advance human achievement.

Once selected, Fellows may enroll in an appropriate university program anywhere in the world, including their country of residence. The program provides placement assistance to those Fellows not yet admitted to graduate school.

IFP support also enables Fellows to undertake short-term language study and training in research and computer skills prior to graduate school enrollment. In addition, new Fellows attend orientation sessions, while current Fellows actively

participate in learning and discussion activities designed to create information and exchange networks among IFP Fellows worldwide. Finally, the program strongly encourages IFP alumni to maintain contact with the program after completing the fellowships to help them remain current in their respective fields through the expanding IFP network.

Because local requirements vary widely among IFP countries, applicants should carefully follow the specific application guidelines provided by the relevant IFP International Partner organizations listed below, including deadlines for the submission of applications. Applicants must be resident nationals or residents of an eligible IFP country.

In addition, successful candidates will:

- Demonstrate superior achievement in their undergraduate studies and hold a baccalaureate degree or its equivalent.
- Have substantial experience in community service or development-related activities.
- Possess leadership potential evidenced by their employment and academic experience.
- Propose to pursue a post-baccalaureate degree that will directly enhance their leadership capacity in a practical, policy, academic, or artistic discipline or field corresponding to one or more of the Foundation's areas of endeavor.
- Present a plan specifying how they will apply their studies to social problems or issues in their own countries. Commit themselves to working on these issues following the fellowship period. IFP selects Fellows on the strength of their clearly stated intention to serve their communities and countries of origin, and expects that they will honor this obligation.

IFP Fellows may choose to study in any academic discipline or field of study related to the Ford Foundation's three grant-making areas, which are: Asset Building and Community Development; Children, Youth and Families Sexuality and Reproductive Health; Work-Force Development; Development Finance and Economic Security; Environment and Development; Community Development; Education, Media, Arts and Culture; Education Reform; Higher Education and Scholarship; Religion, Society and Culture; Media Arts and Culture; Peace and Social Justice; Human Rights; International Cooperation; Governance; and Civil Society.

All applications must be submitted to the appropriate IFP International Partner listed below in the country or region where the applicant resides. IFP International Partners determine application deadlines and selection schedules in their region or country. Applications are reviewed and final selections decided by panels composed of practitioners and scholars from various fields of work and study. The level and duration of awards are determined as part of the selection process. Ford Foundation staff and their family members may not serve on selection panels and are not eligible to apply for IFP awards. Members of selection committees, staff of the organizations managing the program in the various regions, and their family members are also ineligible for IFP awards.

IFP International Partner Offices: Ghana, Nigeria, and Senegal:  
The Association of African Universities (AAU): [www.aau.org/ifp/](http://www.aau.org/ifp/)  
Kenya, Tanzania, and Uganda:  
Inter-University Council for East Africa (IUCEA):  
[www.iucea.org/scholarships/Scholarships.html](http://www.iucea.org/scholarships/Scholarships.html)  
Mozambique and South Africa:  
Africa-America Institute (AAI): [www.aaionline.org](http://www.aaionline.org)  
Egypt and Palestine:  
American-Mideast Educational and Training Services (AMIDEAST):  
[www.amideast.org](http://www.amideast.org)

Website: <http://www.fordfound.org/>

### **Foundation for the Future**

The Foundation has developed a research grant program to provide financial support to scholars undertaking research that is directly related to a better understanding of the factors affecting the quality of life for the long-term future of humanity. Individuals and organizations wishing to apply for grants in fields that are of interest to the Foundation are welcome to submit the Foundation [Preliminary Grant Application](#). Research grants and other activities supported by the Foundation have no political, social, geographic, or cultural boundaries. Grantees are responsible for preparation of their own proposals, for conducting their research activities, and for preparing their results for publication. The Foundation provides funding for research but does not assume responsibility for findings and interpretations resulting from the research. PLEASE NOTE: The Foundation For the Future does not award grants to individuals related to its trustees, officers, or employees.

For applications:

<http://www.futurefoundation.org/grants/application.html>

### **The Franklin Mosher Baldwin Fellowships**

The Franklin Mosher Baldwin Fellowships, established in 1977, reflect the Foundation's efforts to usher in a new era in African paleoanthropology.

The Fellowships were the brainchild of former Board President Ned Munger and Elisabeth G. O'Connor, the widow of Franklin Mosher Baldwin. Baldwin, a distinguished attorney, took a lively interest in the search for human origins until his death. Hoping to honor her late husband's dual interests in early man and education, O'Connor embraced the idea of a program to educate African scholars in prehistory and paleoanthropology.

The Baldwin program is based on a realistic assessment of needs and priorities. Africa possesses such extraordinary resources in the field of prehistory--rich fossil and archaeological sites that are unparalleled--that the stewardship and careful use

these assets is a task of international importance. By enabling bright young scholars to obtain graduate education, the Leakey Foundation is helping to equip these individuals to assume a leadership role in the future of paleoanthropology.

Since 1978, more than 70 Baldwin Fellowships have been awarded. Recipients include young men and women from the following countries: Ethiopia, Eritrea, Kenya, Malawi, Nigeria, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tanzania, Togo, Uganda, Zimbabwe, Zambia and the Republic of Congo.

This fellowship is intended for scholars with citizenship in an African country that seek to obtain an advanced degree or specialized training in an area of study related to human origins research. This award is for a program of approved special training and/or advanced training towards an MA, PhD, or equivalent and is limited to two years of support.

Applicants must be prepared to demonstrate:

- Affiliation and/or employment with an institution in their home country.
- Provisional acceptance (or evidence of application) to the host institution.
- Financial assistance from the host institution.
- Intention to return and work in the home country upon completion of training.

Only scholars with citizenship in an African country are eligible.

The applicant must have a home sponsor who is a member of the institution where the applicant is affiliated in the home country, as well as a host sponsor who is a member of the institution, which the candidate plans to pursue training. Should an award be made, the host sponsor must be willing to assume responsibility for overseeing the candidate's training. Since this fellowship is intended to be a partnership between the candidate and both the home and host institutions, it is expected that candidates will be offered support by these institutions in the form of financial assistance and, upon completion of training, employment in the home country.

Awards are limited to two years. The maximum award is limited to \$12,000 per year.

Baldwin Fellowships may be used to cover tuition, travel, living expenses, student fees, insurance, books, and other relevant categories of expenditure. Aid is not provided for family expenses or dependent support, salary and/or fringe benefits of the applicant, nor institutional overhead.

Applications must be received by February 15 for the following academic year.

Your original completed formal application should reach the Foundation Office by February 15 in order to be considered for funding in the following academic year, which begins in the Fall. You must send a copy of the application to your host sponsor for his/her signature. Please instruct your host sponsor to forward this

second signed copy to our office. Formal letters of support from both the home and host sponsors must also reach the office by this deadline.

Applicants must request letters from both the Home Sponsor and the Host Sponsor to be sent directly to the Foundation.

(1) The Home Sponsor must be the department head or an appropriate individual from the institution with which the candidate is affiliated in the home country and in which the candidate intends to pursue a career. The Home Sponsor must mail a letter of recommendation directly to the Foundation, separately from the application form. The letter should state (a) the candidate's qualifications; (b) the reasons the candidate needs training abroad; (c) the kinds of support (monetary or other) that the Home Institution and/or the home government will provide; and (d) the candidate's employment and research prospects upon return to the home country. Past Home Institution support has included travel and stipend supplements.

(2) The Host Sponsor must be a faculty member of the department or program in which the candidate plans to pursue training. The Host Sponsor must be willing to supervise the candidate's training and fulfillment of the terms of the Fellowship, if awarded. The Host Sponsor must mail a letter of recommendation directly to the Foundation, separately from the application form. This letter should describe (a) the candidate's prospects for success in the proposed program of study/training; (b) the length of time that is likely to be required for completion of this program; (c) the facilities and support to be made available to the candidate while at the Host Institution; and (d) any financial assistance that the Host Institution will offer the candidate. (Past Host Institutions have provided fellowship support, waived tuition, travels, or subsidized living accommodations.)

The Foundation office will notify candidates in May about the status of their applications.

Recipients of Baldwin Fellowships may request a second-year renewal of their award, unless the fellowship has been designated as a onetime award. Fellows must notify the Foundation by letter of their intent to apply for a second year renewal by February 1 and request a Renewal Application Form. By March 1 the following items must be submitted: 1) Baldwin Fellowship Renewal application, 2) a Progress Report from the Fellow, 3) accounting statement for Leakey Foundation funds already expended (signed by Host Sponsor and Fellow), 4) a copy of the Fellow's current transcript (if registered for course work), and 5) a letter of evaluation from Host Sponsor.

The following reporting requirements are conditions of the Fellowship Agreement:

#### *Progress Reports*

(1) Fellow Progress Reports: Progress Reports are required for multi-year Fellowships and are to be submitted as part of the Renewal Application. Progress Reports will determine the Fellow's eligibility, include an accounting of funds expended to date (which will be approved and signed by the Host Sponsor and the

Fellow), and include course work and grades to date. Formal transcripts must be sent to the Foundation at the end of each academic year. This progress report will be used to determine the Fellow's eligibility for continued support and is DUE MARCH 1ST.

(2) Host Sponsor Progress Reports: The Host Sponsor must provide the Foundation and the Home Institution/Sponsor with a progress report at the end of each year of the Fellow's training period. The report should address the Fellow's academic performance, progress in language ability (when applicable), and any other matters pertinent to the Fellow's ability to complete the course of training undertaken, as well as a realistic estimate of the time required to complete the training. This progress report will be used to determine the Fellow's eligibility for continued support and is DUE MARCH 1ST.

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### **Free-Standing Postdoctoral Fellowships for Research in South Africa or Abroad**

**Deadline:** July 31, 2002, January 31, 2003, July 31, 2003

**Deadline Note:** The NRF closing dates are July 31, 2002, January 31, 2003, and July 31, 2003.

Applicants should consult the university/technikon authority concerning its internal closing dates for processing the application.

**Amount Note:** Postdoctoral fellowships for research in South Africa provide R60,000 per annum plus a R10,000 per annum contribution towards research expenses. Postdoctoral fellowships for research abroad provide US\$16,500 per annum plus one R5,000 travel grant is the candidate relocates from or to South Africa.

**Eligibility:** Postdoctoral fellowships are available to applicants of any nationality if held in South Africa, and to South African citizens for research in South Africa or abroad.

Applicants will have received their doctoral degrees in the last five years.

**Abstract:** The National Research Foundation (NSF) offers freestanding scholarships and fellowships (i.e., awards that are given directly to students on a competitive basis and not linked to research grant holders) in the natural, social, and human sciences, engineering, and technology to meet South Africa's national priorities and global challenges.

Nine focus areas constitute the NSF's strategic landscape for the investment of resources in all its support programmes:

- Challenge of Globalization: Perspectives from the Global South
- Conservation and Management of Ecosystems and Biodiversity
- Distinct South African Research Opportunities
- Economic Growth and International Competitiveness
- Education and the Challenges for Change
- Indigenous Knowledge Systems
- Information and Communication Technology (ICT) and the Information Society in South Africa
- Sustainable Livelihoods: the Eradication of Poverty
- Unlocking the Future: Advancing and Strengthening Strategic Knowledge

It is the express policy of the NRF to encourage research that is at, or close to, the frontiers of science (i.e., cutting edge research).

NRF postdoctoral fellowships will be awarded to exceptional doctoral graduates who wish to do research in a new environment. The fellowships will only be tenable at institutions other than the one where the doctoral degree was obtained, either locally or abroad.

Holders of postdoctoral fellowships abroad will be required to sign an undertaking to return to South Africa on completion of their research for a period equal to the period of support. The fellowships do not bind successful candidates to enter the NRF's service on completion of their research.

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**Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program**

Individual Fulbright grants are available for scholars from selected countries to conduct research, lecture or pursue combined lecturing and research in the United States. Under the Visiting Fulbright Scholar Program, scholars apply in their home country for Fulbright awards. To determine if your home country participates in the

program, please contact your country's [Fulbright commission](#) or the public affairs section of the [U.S. embassy](#). In 51 countries the Fulbright Program is administered by binational commissions or foundations. Applications for Fulbright awards are received by the commissions, and preliminary selections are made by the commission board, with final approval by the presidential appointed [J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board](#) in the United States. In approximately 90 countries, the competition is run by the public affairs section of the U.S. embassy. In most countries, there is a very stiff competition for awards, and priorities may exist regarding disciplines, career level, type of activity, etc. In many countries, particularly those with binational commissions, scholars are expected to submit evidence that they have identified a host affiliation in the United States as part of the application process, well before an actual grant is awarded. Scholars usually include a letter of invitation from the host institution in their application materials.

In other instances, often in countries where the competition is conducted by the public affairs section of the U.S. embassy, scholars apply for awards and identify their specializations. This information is used to determine placement at U.S. host institutions. For these grantees, the Council for International Exchange of Scholars (CIES) is active in confirming affiliations or arranging placements based upon the scholar's interests and needs.

Applicants must possess **all** of the following qualifications in order to be eligible—unless specific exemptions are stated by the Fulbright Commission/Foundation or Public Affairs Section of the U.S. Embassy from which you received this application.

- Citizenship or permanent resident status qualifying the applicant to hold a valid passport issued in the country in which the application is made. Persons applying for or holding permanent residence in the United States are not eligible. Persons who are citizens of both a partner country and the United States are also ineligible. Fulbright Scholars enter the United States on an Exchange Visitor (J-1) visa under a Department of State program and are subject to the two-year home-country residence requirement associated with the J-1 visa.
- Doctoral degree or equivalent professional training or experience at the time of application. For professionals and artists outside academe, recognized professional standing and substantial professional accomplishment is expected.
- A detailed statement of proposed activity for research or lecturing at a U.S. institution. The proposed project should contribute to the development of knowledge in your field and must be effectively investigated within a period of three to 12 months in the United States (ask the local Fulbright agency about standard grant lengths they recommend).
- Proficiency in English appropriate to the proposed lecturing or research project to be carried out in the United States. Applicants may be required to take an English proficiency examination at the U.S. Embassy.

- Sound physical and mental health. Those selected for a Fulbright grant are required to submit a Medical History and Examination Report before their grants can be finalized.

In addition applicants should note the following conditions affecting review and selection of candidates: Applicants will be considered without regard to race, religion, sex, age, and/or physical impairment. Preference is given to those without recent experience in the United States. Applicants should be representative and responsible citizens who can contribute to a full and fair picture of the culture of their own countries and thereby contribute to understanding between the people of the United States and their country. They should also demonstrate the cross-cultural sensitivity and flexibility needed to adjust successfully to life in the United States.

To receive an application, for advanced research or university lecturing in the U.S., interested non-U.S. faculty and professionals must contact the Fulbright [commission/foundation](#) or public affairs section of the [U.S. embassy](#) in their home countries.

#### General Application Guidelines

At the time of application, you must submit the following: (a) application form; (b) detailed statement of proposed activity; (c) detailed curriculum vitae; (d) three references and (e) letter of invitation, if applicable.

To ensure correct completion of the application, read carefully the detailed instructions provided with the application form. All items must be in English. The entire application must be typed or computer-generated. Use 10-point or larger type on all parts of the application. Handwritten applications will not be accepted. Responses to questions on the four-page application must fit on the pages on which the questions originally appear. Do not attach additional pages to answer these questions.

Contact the Fulbright Commission/Foundation or Public Affairs Section of the U.S. Embassy from which you received this application to request an electronic version (Microsoft Word) of the application. If using an electronic version of the application, do not change the format of the forms, the pagination, the fonts or the type size. Proofread the entire application before submitting it to the local Fulbright agency. The application should be free of grammatical and spelling errors. Treat the application as a unitary whole, with all parts reinforcing the project statement. The flow should be orderly: the candidate's capabilities are listed in the application, further documented in the curriculum vitae and confirmed in the references. Use the project statement to make the parts interact by referring to items in the curriculum vitae or research bibliography. Without being redundant or simplistic, you should make it easier for the reviewer to find the key pieces of information you wish to convey.

## **Funding Opportunities for Africans and Foreign Nationals (compiled by the Institute of International Studies at UC Berkeley)**

Go to website: <http://globetrotter.berkeley.edu/RADW/fundop1.html>

### **Gilbert F. White Postdoctoral Fellowship Program**

Resources for the Future (RFF) offers two resident fellowships for the 2003-2004 academic year in honor of Gilbert F. White, retired chairman of the RFF board of directors, distinguished geographer, and statesman of science. The fellowships are intended for researchers who have a doctorate degree and wish to devote a year to scholarly work in areas related to natural resources, energy, or the environment. Social scientists as well as natural scientists interested in policy-relevant interdisciplinary research are encouraged to apply. Since fellows will interact closely with RFF staff members, selection criteria will include the nature of the applicant's proposed research program and how it fits with RFF work in progress.

**Eligibility:** The award is open to individuals in any discipline who have completed their doctoral requirements by the beginning of the 2003-2004 academic year. Teaching and/or research experience at the postdoctoral level is preferred though not essential. Individuals holding positions in government as well as at academic institutions are eligible.

**Duration:** Gilbert White Fellows are normally in residence at RFF for eleven months. Fellows reside in one of RFF's three research divisions: the Energy and Natural Resources Division, the Quality of the Environment Division, or the Risk, Resource, and Environmental Management.

**Stipend:** Fellows receive an annual stipend based upon their current salary, plus research support, office facilities at RFF, and an allowance of up to \$1,000 for moving or living expenses. This stipend may be supplemented from other sources if the supplement does not divert the fellow from his or her research. Typically, visiting fellows have sabbatical support from their home institutions. Fellowships do not provide medical insurance or other RFF fringe benefits. Neither Social Security nor tax payments are deducted from the stipend.

**Application Materials:** No application form is required. Individuals interested in applying for a Gilbert F. White Postdoctoral Fellowship should submit the following: a brief letter of application and a curriculum vita to include educational background, professional experience, and honors/awards received; a list of publications and a description of significant research completed but not published; a statement of proposed research (not more than 10 pages typewritten and double-spaced); the proposal should address the main hypothesis or major objective of the research, and should include a description of the methods to be used as well as an explanation of the anticipated contribution of the project and why the results are important. Since Gilbert White Fellows interact closely with RFF staff members, the proposal should also contain a discussion of how the work fits with current RFF research and how an association would be mutually beneficial;

a project budget; and three letters of recommendation from fellow faculty members or colleagues.

**Application Deadline:** Application materials for the 2003-2004 fellowships must be received by **February 28, 2003**, and should be addressed to:

Coordinator for Academic Programs  
Resources for the Future  
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Washington, DC 20036-1400  
Phone: (202) 328-5060

***Applications sent by fax or email will not be accepted.*** Awards will be announced in April. RFF is an equal opportunity employer. Women and minority candidates are strongly encouraged to apply. For more information about RFF, click [here](#).

Website: [http://www.rff.org/about\\_rff/white.htm](http://www.rff.org/about_rff/white.htm)

### **The Global Fund for Women**

The Global Fund supports organizations which demonstrate a clear commitment to women's equality and female human rights; show concern about the way women are viewed and view themselves in society; are governed and directed by women; consist of a group of women working together (we do not accept requests from individuals); and are based outside of the United States.

Women's groups may apply for a grant by reading our [grant criteria](#) and responding to our [application guidelines](#) or by sending a letter providing information about the group, its work, its financial resources and needs, and the specific grant request. The Global Fund accepts grant requests in any language. Click on the links to the right to find grant application guidelines in other languages. Applications may be handwritten or typed, and may be sent to us by mail, fax or e-mail. The Global Fund receives over 2,000 proposals and makes about 350-400 grants per year. Due to this volume, it takes 4-6 months to review a request. We accept applications throughout the year and award grants approximately every 2-3 months. A notice of receipt of an application will be sent within 3 weeks of its arrival.

#### *Preston Education Fund for Girls — An Advised Fund at the Global Fund for Women*

Four years ago, the Global Fund was invited to administer the [Preston Education Fund for Girls](#), which supports schools, teacher training and curriculum programs, locally based community organizations, nongovernmental organizations, local women's associations and women's rights organizations, and coalitions focused on the issue of girls' education.

Find out more in the [special application criteria](#) at the website:  
<http://www.globalfundforwomen.org/3grant/preston-fund.html>

Website: <http://www.globalfundforwomen.org/3grant/index.html>

## **Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies Academy Scholars Program**

The Academy Scholars Program supports outstanding scholars who are at the start of their academic careers and whose work combines disciplinary excellence in the social sciences and history with an in-depth grounding in a non-Western country or region. Doctoral candidates (Ph.D. or comparable degree) and recent recipients of these degrees are eligible to apply. Academy Scholars receive two-year appointments, including an annual stipend and research resources from the Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies. While in residence, Academy Scholars conduct either dissertation or post-doctoral research in their chosen fields and areas.

Applications for the 2003-2004 Academic Year are due by OCTOBER 15, 2002

Additional information and a description of the application process can be found at:

[www.wcfia.harvard.edu/academy](http://www.wcfia.harvard.edu/academy)

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## **Harvard Divinity School Center for the Study of World Religions: Senior Fellows Program**

Founded in 1958, the Harvard University Center for the Study of World Religions fosters research in the study of religions of the world. Two characteristics mark the Center. The first is the international scope of its subject matter and constituency. The second is its encouragement of multiple disciplinary approaches toward religious expressions, whether in art, medicine, law, literature, music, economic activity, or cosmological sciences. The overarching goal is to understand the meaning of religion, with sympathetic insight into religious communities, and to analyze with scholarly integrity the role of religion in global perspective.

The Senior Fellows Program at the Center brings to the University for one term or for one academic year scholars who already hold a doctorate and who are usually on leave from a teaching position at another university. This program does not normally presuppose specific coursework or provide formal teaching opportunities. Applicants are expected to propose research on a project in the study of religions of the world. Through the Senior Fellows Program, the Center strives to bring to Harvard scholars from abroad, as well as from the United States, whose active and broad participation in Center activities enriches the academic study of religion. It

provides these scholars time for investigation and access to the resources of Harvard University. It also facilitates the exchange of ideas growing out of such research.

Fellowship awards are based primarily upon the academic merit of the applicant's proposed research project; but also upon the availability of residential space, and the nature of the research programs planned in any given year. In general, preference is accorded scholars who have not previously received support from the Center and who plan to come during a year's leave from their regular university teaching position.

Each year since 2000, up to four Senior Fellowship awards are designated as Fortieth Anniversary Fellowships, which provide stipends of \$25,000 to \$50,000 for an academic year. Fortieth Anniversary Fellowships also include a research assistant, a research allowance (\$1,000), a relocation allowance (\$1,500) and the option of residence at the Center. All applicants for Senior Fellowships are automatically considered for Fortieth Anniversary Fellowships.

Senior Fellowship awards not designated as Fortieth Anniversary Fellowships will consist of a stipend of \$4,000 and the option of residence at the Center. The deadline for submitting fellowship applications for academic year 2003-2004 is 15 December 2002. Those wishing to apply for a Senior Fellowship are asked to forward the following materials to the Center by the application deadline: a completed fellowship application form, Research Proposal (2 to 5 pages), Curriculum Vitae, and Two (2) recommendations (on forms provided by CSWR).

Both online and downloadable fellowship application forms are available via this website. Recommendation forms can also be downloaded from this website. Alternatively, applicants may request printed application and recommendation forms from the CSWR by contacting Keith Brown, Coordinator of Fellowship Programs, at 617.496.5834 (phone) or keith\_brown@harvard.edu (e-mail).

For submission of all application materials by mail, please send to:  
Keith Brown  
Coordinator of Fellowship Programs.  
Center for the Study of World Religions  
42 Francis Avenue  
Cambridge, MA 02138

Website: <http://www.hds.harvard.edu/cswr/fellowships/senfship.htm>

### **Harvard University Academy for International Area Scholars Program**

Weatherhead Center for International Affairs  
Harvard Academy for International Area Studies

**Deadline:** October 15, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Anticipated deadline. The record will be updated when new program information becomes available.

**Amount:** \$25,000

**Amount Note:** Predoctoral scholars will receive an annual stipend of \$25,000, and postdoctoral scholars will receive an annual stipend of \$38,000. This stipend is supplemented by funding for conference and research travel, and some health insurance coverage.

**Eligibility:** The competition for these awards is open only to doctoral candidates (Ph.D. or comparable professional school degree) or recent recipients of these degrees who may already hold teaching or research positions. Candidates for advanced degrees must have completed all course work and general examinations by the time of application. Historically, competitive candidates have already made at least significant progress on their dissertations.

Applicants are welcome from any accredited university without regard to nationality.

**Abstract:** The purpose of the Academy Scholars Program is to identify very bright scholars who are at the start of their careers and whose work combines disciplinary excellence in the social sciences with an in-depth grounding in particular countries or regions.

The Academy Scholars are a select group of individuals who show promise of becoming leading scholars at major universities. They are appointed and supported by the Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies to provide opportunities for advanced work at Harvard University.

Those selected as Academy Scholars are given time, guidance, access to Harvard facilities, and substantial financial assistance as they work for two years conducting either dissertation or postdoctoral research in their chosen fields and areas. The Senior Scholars, a distinguished group of senior Harvard faculty members, act as mentors to the Academy Scholars to help them achieve their intellectual potential.

Scholars are expected to reside in the Cambridge/Boston area for the duration of their appointments unless traveling for approved research purposes.

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## **Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program**

The Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program brings accomplished professionals from designated countries of Africa, Asia, Latin America, the Caribbean, the Middle East, and Eurasia to the United States at a midpoint in their careers for a year of study and related professional experiences. The Program provides a basis for establishing long-lasting productive partnerships and relationships between citizens of the United States and their professional counterparts in other countries, fostering an exchange of knowledge and mutual understanding throughout the world.

The Humphrey Program is a Fulbright exchange activity. Its primary funding is provided by the United States Congress through the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the [United States Department of State](#). The Humphrey Program is implemented by the Institute of International Education (IIE). The [J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board](#) (FSB), appointed by the President of the United States to oversee and supervise the educational exchanges of the Fulbright Program, has overall responsibility for the final selection of Humphrey Fellows.

Fellowships are granted competitively to professional candidates with a commitment to public service in both the public and private sectors, especially in the fields of natural resources and environmental management; public policy analysis and public administration; economic development; agricultural development/agricultural economics; finance and banking; human resource management/personnel; urban and regional planning; public health policy and management; technology policy and management; educational planning; communications/journalism; drug abuse education, prevention and treatment; and law, civil society, human rights, and democratic development.

During their Fellowship year, Humphrey Fellows participate in programs that combine graduate-level academic coursework with professional development activities. The program is not a degree program, but rather is designed to provide broad professional enrichment through a combination of activities tailored to each Fellow's interests. All Fellows participate in workshops and conferences that provide interaction with leaders from U.S. federal, state, and local governments, multinational organizations and the private sector. These workshops also provide a forum for discussion of issues of professional interest to the Fellows.

Humphrey Fellows are placed at carefully selected U.S. universities. Each campus has a Humphrey coordinator and advisors who provide academic and administrative support and who help each Fellow design and implement an individualized program of graduate-level coursework and professional development activities.

Humphrey Fellowships are limited to one academic year (August to June), preceded, if appropriate, by a period of English language training.

Website:

<http://www.iie.org/Template.cfm?&Template=/programs/hhh/overview.htm>

## **Human Rights Watch Hellman/Hammett Grant Program**

The Human Rights Watch administers the Hellman/Hammett grant program for writers all around the world who have been victims of political persecution and are in financial need. The grants are financed by the estate of the playwright Lillian Hellman in funds set up in her name and that of her long-time companion, the novelist Dashiell Hammett. The two American writers were interrogated in the 1950s about their political beliefs and affiliations; Hellman by the House Un-American Activities Committee and Hammett by Wisconsin Senator Joseph R. McCarthy, whose communist paranoia helped fuel nearly a decade of anti-communist "witch hunts." Hellman suffered professionally and had trouble getting work for a number of years. Hammett, spent time in jail.

The grants are awarded every spring after the nominations have been reviewed by a seven-member selection committee composed of authors, editors, and journalists who have a long-standing interest in free expression issues. Nominations are requested by December 1 of each year and should be sent to the New York office of Human Rights Watch. The nominator should try to provide: 1) biographical information about the nominee; 2) a list of the nominee's published writing; 3) a statement about the political persecution suffered; 4) a statement of need.

Hellman/Hammett grants typically range from \$1,000 to a maximum of \$10,000. In addition to providing much needed financial assistance, the Hellman/Hammett grants focus attention on repression of free speech and censorship by publicizing the persecution that the grant recipients endured. In some cases the publicity is a protection against further abuse. In other cases, the writers request anonymity because of the dangerous circumstances in which they and their families are living.

Since the program began in 1990, more than 400 writers have received grants including several group grants to writers in Bosnia, Burma, Peru, and Sierra Leone. Even so, the recipients are a tiny portion of the many writers around the world whose books have been banned or who have been exiled, imprisoned, tortured, and harassed because of their work.

Website: <http://www.hrw.org/about/info/helham.html>

## **IARC Postdoctoral Fellowships for Research Training in Cancer**

World Health Organization (WHO)  
International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC)

**Deadline:** December 31, 2002

**Amount Note:** Stipends, which will cover adequately the cost of room, board, and incidental expenses, vary with the cost of living in the country where the fellowship is pursued. Stipends are determined in conformity with the rates established by agreement between the United Nations' agencies, and will be paid monthly in advance. Stipends are not considered as a substitute for any salary paid to a fellow

at home. Further details of stipend rates may be obtained by writing to the IARC.

Fellowships must be taken up by December 31 of the year of award.

**Eligibility:** Applicants should be junior scientists with some postdoctoral research experience related to cancer in medicine or the natural sciences who intend to pursue a career in cancer research.

Fellows must have an adequate knowledge of English or the language of their host country.

Applications cannot be accepted and will not be considered if the applicant is receiving postdoctoral training abroad, or has already started postdoctoral work at the host institute. Preference will be given to applicants who have not previously received postdoctoral training abroad in cancer research.

**Abstract:** Since 1966, IARC has awarded more than 450 fellowships to junior scientists for research training in cancer. Approximately 85 percent of fellows return to their home country on completion of their training, and around 82 percent remain active in cancer research. As a result, IARC Fellowships have made a substantial contribution to the development of cancer research in many countries. At present, the IARC Fellowship programme is partially supported by the Italian Association for Research on Cancer.

Disciplines considered are epidemiology, biostatistics, environmental and viral carcinogenesis, cell biology, cell genetics, molecular biology, and mechanisms of carcinogenesis. Applications from epidemiologists and laboratory scientists for interdisciplinary training that will facilitate the conduct of genetic and molecular epidemiological research are encouraged. Applicants requiring basic training in cancer epidemiology will also be considered.

Fellowships are tenable in any suitable institution in any country abroad.

Fellowships are awarded for one year and fellows are expected to return to a post in their home country afterward.

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Website: <http://www.iarc.fr/pageroot/EDUCATION/fellow.html>

### **Institute of Current World Affairs**

Fellowships are for self-designed independent study only. Candidates must be under 36 years of age. Fellowships are not scholarships, and are not awarded to support work toward academic degrees or for collaborative research projects, or to write books. Applicants must have a good command of written and spoken English. Applicants must also have completed the current phase of their formal education before they apply.

Those interested should write to the Executive Director, Peter B. Martin, on or before March 15 or August 15, enclosing a resume or c.v. and explaining briefly the personal background and professional experience that would qualify them for fellowship they have in mind. They should also describe the activities they would like to carry out during two years overseas. This initial letter is followed by a more detailed written application that must be completed prior to April 1 for a June decision or September 1 for a December decision

Deadlines for completed applications are April 1, for a June decision and September 1, for a December decision. The application must be on paper, and must be typed single-spaced with the exception of previously printed samples of writing.

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Website: <http://www.icwa.org/programs.htm>

### **Institute of International Education: International Human Rights Internship Program**

Deadline: November 1, 2001

Grants are available to human rights organizations and activists in Africa, Asia, Middle East, Latin America, Caribbean, East/Central Europe and Republics of the former Soviet Union for training and exchange projects. Grants range from \$1,000-\$10,000.

Contact & Info: Requests for applications should be sent to [ihrip@iie.org](mailto:ihrip@iie.org) or call 202-326-7725.

Website: <http://www.iie.org/Website/WPreview.cfm?WID=171>

### **International Development Research Centre Internship Awards**

These awards provide exposure to research for international development through a program of training in research management and grant administration under the

guidance of IDRC program staff. The internship is designed to provide hands-on learning experiences in research program management - in the creation, dissemination and utilization of knowledge from an international perspective.

Internships will be considered for a program of training and research responding to IDRC's research priorities. IDRC's research activities focus on three Program Areas:

- Social and Economic Equity
- Environmental and Natural Resources Management
- Information and Communication Technologies for Development

The intern will undertake a program of research on the topic submitted when competing for the Internship and will be trained in the techniques of research management through hands-on experience with the Centre's policies and practices for grant administration under the mentorship of a Program Officer/s. The following priority research domains and regions are of specific interest to each Program Initiative.

#### *Peacebuilding and Reconstruction (PBR)*

The candidate is expected to have an interest in one or more of the following three dimensions of post-conflict reconstruction with a specific focus on the Middle East, Central America and/or Sub-Saharan Africa:

- Democratization
- Human security
- The political economy of peacebuilding

#### **Micro Impacts of Macroeconomic and Adjustment Policies (MIMAP)**

**NOTE: MIMAP WILL NOT HOST A NEW INTERN IN 2003**

#### *Trade, Employment and Competitiveness (TEC)*

The candidate should be familiar with the work of the World Trade Organization (WTO) and with issues surrounding governance of the world trade system. The candidate should also have knowledge of the international dimension of at least one of the following:

- Regional arrangements, active or under discussion (NAFTA, hemispheric, among developing countries)
- Trade in services (including health, financial or business services)
- Food safety: GMOs, product standards, standards setting etc.
- Determinants of competitiveness
- Trade and environment
- **Competition policy (note that this is a new inclusion).**

#### *Cities Feeding People (CFP)*

The candidate should preferably have a Master's degree in Environmental Health, Environmental Sciences or Studies, or Environmental Toxicology and knowledge of epidemiology, nutrition, health and/or environmental risk analysis, qualitative and quantitative analysis, knowledge of urban agriculture issues, particularly the health aspects (i.e. zoonoses, heavy metal contamination, etc.), interest in Africa, and excellent English and French capabilities.

### *Ecosystem Approaches to Human Health (ECOHEALTH)*

The candidate is expected to have an interest (working knowledge/field experience) in the Ecosystem Approach to Human Health or in related fields (environmental health, public health, ENRM, social sciences) in the developing world context. S/he will be expected to spend 50% of his or her time on the planning, preparation and follow-up for the International Forum on Ecosystem Approaches to Human Health (May, 2003) and the remaining time on a research project focusing on the potential of GIS for specific Ecohealth projects. Please see the Ecosystem Approaches to Human Health web site for more details [www.idrc.ca/ecohealth](http://www.idrc.ca/ecohealth)

### *Managing Natural Resources (Africa and the Middle East): People, Land and Water (PLAW)*

The candidate should have a research interest in natural resource management in Africa and / or the Middle East and in the objectives of the Program Initiative. The intern will also contribute to the program's work on synthesizing and disseminating PLAW project outcomes and results. For more details on the PLAW Program Initiative consult the following website: [www.idrc.ca/plaw](http://www.idrc.ca/plaw)

### *Managing Natural Resources (Latin America): Minga*

- Conflict management in mining, or watershed, or coastal areas
- Multi-stakeholder processes and equity-efficiency tradeoffs

### *Managing Natural Resources (Asia): Community Based Natural Resource Management (CBNRM)*

The candidate should have strong interdisciplinary skills and focus on one of the following areas:

- New frameworks for rural poverty alleviation: Sustainable Livelihoods and what this means for NRM (Background needed: participatory rural development; social sciences)
- Networking strategies for building "communities" of CBNRM researchers using electronic communications and interaction tools (Background needed: community development; internet and website tools development)
- Monitoring and evaluation indicators for CBNRM: developing natural and social science measures for improved livelihoods and productivity (Background needed: rural development; natural sciences; social sciences)

### *Sustainable Use of Biodiversity (SUB)*

The candidate is expected to focus on one of the following issues and have some interest/experience in evaluation and community based biodiversity management. The candidate should also be prepared to spend at least a part of the internship working in one of IDRC's Regional Offices.

- Agricultural Biodiversity ( for example local seed supply systems, participatory plant breeding)
- Medicinal Plants

### *Information and Communication Technologies for Development (ICTs4D)*

ICTs4D (ACACIA program in Africa and PAN program in Asia) needs two interns. The Program Initiatives encourage research proposals that focus in one of the

following topics:

- Documenting informal learning for ICT program planning and management
- ICT (and) development enabling environments
- Local languages and the Internet
- Sustainability of community-based ICT initiatives

Candidates are advised to refer to the following Internet Site for further information: <http://www.idrc.ca/acacia/internship2003>

IDRC requires applicants to specify one Program Initiative only to match their interest. At its discretion, IDRC may forward the application to a second Program Initiative.\*\*

Internships are tenable for a minimum of 4 months and a maximum of 12 months at IDRC headquarters in Ottawa or in a Regional Office. Developing country nationals residing in their home country (or another country) must hold their internships in the appropriate Regional Office. Interns doing their internship in Canada will receive a salary in the range from \$28,327 to \$32,791 per year, depending on qualifications and experience. They will be considered as full-time term employees of the Centre. Benefits include contributions to Employment Insurance, Employer Health Tax and the Canada Pension Plan and 4 per cent in lieu of vacation leave. Some travel and research expenses will also be supported, up to a maximum of \$6,000. The salary range and benefits for interns located in the Regional Offices will vary according to regional conditions. No allowance for relocation is provided.

The program is aimed at candidates who, through demonstrated achievements in academic studies, work or research, have shown interest in the creation and utilization of knowledge from an international perspective. Candidates can be Canadians (or permanent residents) or citizens of developing countries, and should have had some training at the Master's level. Candidates need not be affiliated with an institution. They may participate in internships as part of an academic requirement.

The following documents should be submitted by the applicant:

well-elaborated learning objectives; proposed program of research and training in grant administration; and budget for research and travel (maximum 10 pages) to show how the proposed research and training will contribute to the specific Program Initiative and how the candidate will benefit from participating in this internship. The candidate must indicate the level and areas of professional interest in learning about program and project management as well as include curriculum vitae, letters from two (2) academic references, academic transcripts (original copies), and proof of citizenship/permanent residency/valid work permit.

Complete applications must be received at the Centre by the deadline. Incomplete applications will NOT be considered for the competition.

IDRC staff will review the applications and select successful candidates.

Deadline for receipt of applications: September 12, 2002  
Announcement of awards: End of November 2002  
Commencement of awards: January 2003

Contact:  
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International Development Research Centre  
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250 Albert Street, Ottawa, ON K1P 6M1  
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Website: [www.idrc.ca/awards](http://www.idrc.ca/awards)

### **International Federation of University Women**

The International Federation of University Women offers a limited number of fellowships and grants to women graduates for advanced research, study and training. The competitions are normally held every two years. Exceptionally, the next competition will offer fellowships and grants for the 2005/2006 academic year.

IFUW fellowships and grants are open only to women graduates who are members of the International Federation. The awards are intended to help finance short graduate and post-graduate study, research and training projects and to serve as complementary funds for longer programmes. The number distributed varies between 15 and 25 per competition. Those generally offered include:

*British Federation Crosby Hall Fellowship* - 2 500 pounds sterling  
*CFUW/A. Vibert Douglas International Fellowship* - 8 000 Canadian dollars  
*Ida Smedley Maclean International Fellowship* - 8 000 to 10 000 Swiss francs  
*IFUW Study and Action Programme Fellowship* - 8 000 to 10 000 Swiss francs  
*NZFGW/Daphne Purves Grants* - 3000 to 6000 Swiss francs  
*Winifred Cullis and Dorothy Leet Grants* - 3 000 to 6 000 Swiss francs

*The British Federation Crosby Hall Fellowship*, offered by the BFWG Charitable Foundation, is reserved for women wishing to study or undertake research in Great Britain. The *CFUW/A. Vibert Douglas Fellowship* is sponsored by the Canadian Federation of University Women for use in Canada or abroad. The *NZFGW awards* are sponsored by the New Zealand Federation of Graduate Women. The *IFUW Study and Action Programme Fellowship* is reserved for projects, which relate to IFUW's triennial theme. The SAAP theme for the 2005/2006 competition will be announced closer to the date.

Fellowships are meant to encourage advanced scholarship and original research by university women. Applicants must be well started on the research programme to which the application refers. Fellowships are intended to cover at least eight months

of work, and should be taken up within 9 months of the date of award. They are not normally given for a Masters or for the first year of a PhD programme.

The *Winifred Cullis and Dorothy Leet Grants* are given to help women graduates to obtain specialized training and to carry out independent research, including the completion of a piece of research already well advanced. The amount of the grant is to cover a short period of not less than two months. Special consideration is given to applicants whose research or training will have a multiplier effect in their home country. The Dorothy Leet Grants are reserved for women graduates from countries with a comparatively low per capita income and those who either wish to work as experts in these countries or whose research is of value to such countries.

All applicants must be women graduates and either a member of one of IFUW's [72 national federations and associations](#) or, if living in a country where there is not yet a national affiliate, an independent member of IFUW, or an [international individual member](#) of IFUW. Fellowships and grants are for work in any branch of learning, in the country of the applicant's choice.

Awards are for study/research/training at the doctoral or post-doctoral level. A limited number of awards will be given for work at the Masters' level.

All candidates must have obtained admission to the proposed place of study prior to applying to IFUW's competition. An official letter of acceptance must accompany the application. The awards provide a maximum of twelve months support and are not renewable. No assistance is given for travel to conferences or direct family support.

Application packages for the 2005/2006 competition will be available in March 2004. Members of IFUW's 72 national federations and associations must obtain the application package from and apply through their respective national headquarters. See the [NFA section](#) for addresses. The preliminary screening for national members will take place at the national level. Each federation and association may choose up to three candidates for consideration in the final selection round. IFUW Independent Members and International Individual Members must apply direct to [IFUW Headquarters](#) in Geneva, where the preliminary screening for individual members will take place.

The 2002/2003 competition has already closed. The next one will offer awards for the 2005/2006 academic year. Application packages will be available beginning in March 2004. For the 2005/2006 competition, the application deadline for independent members and international individual members will be 1 November 2004. Deadlines for members applying through one of IFUW's 71 national affiliates vary by country, but will normally fall between 1 September and 1 October 2004.

#### SELECTION CRITERIA

Motivation for research, study or training

Originality and feasibility of proposed plan of research/study/training

Extent to which the specialized knowledge and skills to be acquired will benefit others or further the applicant's career

Planned work or activity after completion of the research/study/training

Preference will be given to candidates whose research, study or training is to be undertaken in a country other than the one in which the applicant received her education or in which she habitually resides.

Special consideration will be given to proposals which relate directly to IFUW's priorities.

#### NATIONAL AWARDS

Many of IFUW's 72 national federations and associations offer fellowships, scholarships and grants to women in their countries and to IFUW members from other parts of the world. Details about some of the programmes can be found on the [National Fellowships page](#).

#### **International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI): Training for Capacity Strengthening Program (TCSP) Postdoctoral Fellowships**

Capacity strengthening through long-term research collaboration is an important method of imparting policy research skills to a new generation of researchers from developing countries. In 2000, IFPRI established a postdoctoral fellowship program for new PhDs from developing countries who have received their degree from a developing-country institution. The program's objective is to generate sustained capacity to undertake policy research for solving food, agricultural, and natural resource problems in developing countries and to communicate the results for maximum policy impact. The trained postdoctoral fellows are expected to return to their country and conduct policy research that will help reduce poverty and food insecurity and improve sustainable use of natural resources.

Website: <http://www.ifpri.org/>

#### **The International Foundation for Science (IFS): Call for Research Grant Applications from Developing Country Scientists**

The International Foundation for Science (IFS) provides support to young scientists of merit in developing countries by awarding research grants and providing grantees with additional services such as travel grants and purchasing assistance.

The IFS supports research related to the renewable utilization of biological resources in areas such as crop and animal production, forestry, food science, natural products, and fisheries, as well as research on the sustainable utilization and conservation of natural ecosystems, including themes such as water and biodiversity. Proposals for projects may address biological, chemical, or physical processes as well as social and economic relationships important in the conservation, production, and renewable utilization of the biological resource base.

Research grants are awarded up to a maximum value of USD 12,000 for a period of one to three years and may be renewed twice. They are intended for the purchase of equipment, expendable supplies, and literature. Applicants must be citizens of, and carry out the research in, a developing country. They should be attached to a university or national research institution in a developing country. Specifically

excluded are countries in Europe, including Turkey and Cyprus, as well as countries of the former Soviet Union. Argentina and Uruguay are also not eligible to receive support. As well as being under the age of 40 (under 30 for applicants from China) and at the start of their research career, candidates must possess a higher academic degree, which should be at least an MSc or equivalent.

Applications are made on the application form, in English or French, which is available from the IFS Secretariat or can be downloaded from the website [www.ifs.se](http://www.ifs.se).

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### **International Foundation for Science: Research Grants**

IFS support is primarily financial and in the form of a research grant in the amount of up to USD 12,000, which may be renewed twice. Each grant is for one research period, normally not less than one year nor more than three years and is intended for the purchase of the basic tools needed to conduct a research project: equipment, expendable supplies, and literature. It cannot be used for education, travel, or the applicant's salary. However, a PhD, Fellowship (Carolina MacGillavry Fellowship) is available for applicants from the SADC countries.

Grants are given to individuals for a specific research project, which must fall within the [IFS Research Areas](#). Well-defined [criteria for eligibility](#), such as age, education, employment, and nationality are used to select individuals for support. To apply for an IFS Research Grant, you must obtain an [IFS Application Form](#).

An IFS Research Grant carries with it a great deal of prestige, and receiving an IFS Grant opens the door to other kinds of support. The IFS programme of Supporting Activities includes arranging scientific contacts and organizing workshops and regional meetings. Supplementary travel grants may be awarded to enable the grantee to attend scientific meetings. IFS gives to its grantees special [Awards](#) in recognition of outstanding contributions to science resulting from IFS-supported research. An important service provided to the grantee is the purchase and delivery of equipment, supplies, and literature.

IFS Research Areas: Aquatic Resources, Animal Production, Crop Science, Forestry/Agroforestry, Food Science, Natural Products, Water Resources, and Social Sciences.

Researchers who meet the [criteria for eligibility](#) and are considering applying for an [IFS Research Grant](#) should study the descriptions of the Research Areas (below). These are meant to give an indication of the kind of research IFS supports. A wide

interpretation of these scientific disciplines is encouraged, as long as scientific research is proposed, and not a transfer of already-existing technology. Researchers must also ask themselves how their research will affect, or be affected by, local ecological and socio-economic conditions where the research is likely to be implemented. Applications for grants must be made on an [IFS Application Form](#).

#### Aquatic Resources:

Research dealing with the ecology and sustainable management of aquatic resources, including artisanal fisheries. Simple surveys not included. Emphasis on aquaculture research which includes selection of sites; selecting, breeding, rearing and nutrition of cultivable organisms; and disease control. Relevant research in aquatic biology and ecology; environmental impact studies and ecology of species and ecosystems.

#### Animal Production:

Research in animal production includes breeding, reproduction, and nutrition; health and diseases; the development, production, and conservation of feed; animal traction; and animal production systems.

#### Crop Science:

Research on production of agricultural and horticultural crops; farming systems; crop management including soil, water, fertilizer studies; plant-microorganism relationships; disease, pest and weed control; plant breeding; genetic engineering of crops.

#### Forestry/Agroforestry:

Research in this area includes tree production, forest management and agroforestry systems; regeneration and afforestation; multipurpose, fuelwood and fruit trees; forest products; timber quality; genetics; taxonomy; physiology; ecology; disease and pest control; soil studies; tree-micro-organism relationships.

#### Food Science:

Research dealing with food of plant or animal origin; post-harvest systems and technology, storage, food processing, food safety and quality, food composition, and nutritional value.

#### Natural Products:

Identification, isolation, characterization, and preparation of organic compounds to produce medicinal, biological, and industrial products. Included in this area is research on the development of traditional medicines: ethnobotanic studies, chemical and pharmacological investigations, and environmental chemistry. For applications, go to <http://www.ifs.se/>

Website: <http://www.ifs.se/>

## **International Institute of Tropical Agriculture Graduate Scholar Program (GSP)**

The International Institute of Tropical Agriculture (IITA), Ibadan, Nigeria, invites outstanding students of agriculture and related sciences from sub-Saharan African countries to compete for a limited number of MSc or PhD scholarships. Through this initiative, IITA seeks to further strengthen the research capacity of national agricultural research systems (NARS) in sub-Saharan Africa by expanding the corps of agricultural scientists in the sub-continent. Open to nationals of sub-Saharan African countries. Candidates for an MSc scholarship must have a BSc or an equivalent degree with a minimum of upper second class while candidates for a PhD scholarship must have an MSc or an equivalent degree in relevant agricultural sciences. Employees of nongovernmental organizations, private sector organizations, and universities as well as employees of national agricultural research institutes are encouraged to apply.

Duration: Two years at the MSc level and three years (with a possibility of one year extension) at the PhD level.

Registration: Tenable in universities in African countries. Preference is given to candidates who have secured admission to a university.

Research topic and location: Successful candidates will conduct research in an area pertinent to IITA's research agenda and their country's agricultural development interest. They will be required to carry out their field research at an IITA station under the supervision of senior IITA scientists. The IITA research agenda addresses crop improvement, plant health, and resource and crop management within a farming systems framework. Research focuses on smallholder cropping systems in the humid and subhumid tropics of Africa and on the following major food crops: cassava, maize, plantain and banana, yam, cowpea, and soybean.

See proposed research topics/areas for year 2002:



[Research topics/areas \(English\)](#)



[Research topics/areas \(French\)](#)

Benefits: Cost of travel to and from the host university; cost of travel to and from the IITA research station where the research will be undertaken; tuition fees; operational costs of research, generous allowances (for living expenses, books, and thesis production); and a provision for insurance and medical expenses both at the host university and the research location.

Application: The competition for scholarships is open throughout the year. Selection of new fellows is made annually in January.

Deadline: 31 October of the year preceding the year of award.

Applications should be sent to the Coordinator, Individual training at:

International Institute of Tropical Agriculture

PMB 5320

Ibadan

Oyo State, Nigeria

Phone: (+234 2) 241 2626

Email: iita@cgiar.org

Fax: (+234 2) 241 2221, **OR**, International Institute of Tropical Agriculture  
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[PDF](#) , [Application form](#)

### **The International Peace Scholarship Fund**

The International Peace Scholarship Fund is a program, which provides grants-in-aid for selected women from other countries for graduate study in the United States and Canada. An international scholarship program was initiated by P.E.O. in 1949. The P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship Fund was established in 1959. Believing that education is fundamental to world peace and understanding, members of P.E.O. support this program through voluntary contributions. The International Peace Scholarship Fund is administered by a board of three trustees, who are members of P.E.O., with assistance of personnel at the P.E.O. Executive Office.

An applicant must be qualified for admission to full-time graduate study and working toward a graduate degree in the college or university of her choice in the United States or Canada. Eligibility must be established before application material is sent to applicants. The eligibility material may be requested at any time, but the completed material will be accepted back in the International Peace Scholarship Office, P.E.O. Executive Office only after August 15, and before the deadline of December 15.

P.E.O. International Peace Scholarships are given as grants-in-aid. They are not intended to cover all academic or personal expenses. At the time of application, the applicant is required to confirm additional financial resources adequate to meet her estimated expenses. Examples of additional resources are personal and family funds, tuition waivers, work scholarships, teaching assistantships, study grants and other scholarship grants.

A student holding citizenship in the United States or Canada is ineligible. Scholarships are not given for research, internships, nor for practical training. Doctoral students who have completed course work and are working on dissertations only are not eligible as first-time applicants. In order to qualify for her first scholarship, an applicant must have a full year of classwork remaining and be enrolled and on campus for the entire school year. A student who has received an

[AAUW grant](#) will be ineligible for an IPS scholarship during the same academic year. She will be eligible to apply for an IPS scholarship for the following year.

### *Application Procedures*

Information concerning the International Peace Scholarship Program is available from P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship Fund, P.E.O. Executive Office, 3700 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50312-2899. Application material will be sent only if satisfactory information establishing eligibility has been received from the applicant.

Applications must include:

**Promise to Return**--An applicant must submit a witnessed statement that upon completion of her degree program, she will return immediately to her own country to pursue her professional career. This statement must be signed by both applicant and witness. An applicant selected to receive a scholarship will be required to agree to repay any scholarship moneys received if she fails to return to her own country upon completion of her degree program.

**Travel Expense**--The applicant must have her round trip or return travel expense guaranteed at the time of application.

**Sponsor**--An applicant must have a sponsor who is a citizen of the United States or Canada, and who will act as her nonacademic adviser.

### Announcement of Awards

Awards will be announced in April. The amount of the scholarship will be divided into two payments to be distributed in August and November.

### **International Training Programmes**

In 2002, Sida will sponsor some 65 training programmes in Sweden financed by its International Training allocations. Programmes are also arranged for participants from Central- and Eastern Europe.

These programmes aim at enhancing managerial and technical skills in partner countries and cover subjects of strategic importance to economic and social development. Special emphasis is placed on areas in which Sweden has a considerable level of expertise to offer.

Most programmes concern the fields of transport, communications, energy, environmental protection and industry. A number of training programmes cover the social sector, for instance health and human rights. Between 1979 and 2000 some 24,000 individuals from 125 different countries participated in these activities.

Sida's international training programmes - each with 20-30 participants - have a duration of three to eight weeks and are held in the English language.

### Application Procedure

Brochures with attached application forms providing information on each programme are distributed to the relevant agencies and organizations generally six months before the programme starting date through Swedish Embassies in selected countries.

Applications, including the official nomination plus certificates of health status and language proficiency, shall be submitted to the Swedish Embassy no later than the deadline stated in the brochure normally 3-4 months before the programme starts. This is necessary to ensure sufficient time for assessment, selection etc.

Organizers will inform selected participants by fax/e-mail/telex with a copy to the Swedish Embassy concerned approximately 2-3 months before the start of each programme. Information on the programme, procedures for Schengen visa application etc. will subsequently be mailed directly to the individual participants.

Selected candidates should preferably confirm their participation by return fax/e-mail/telex to the organizer directly, or to the Swedish Embassy. Last minute cancellation should be avoided.

### **Certificate**

Those who successfully complete each programme will be awarded a certificate stating details of the training undertaken.

### Costs and Financing

Costs for this training which may vary between individual programmes are divided between:

- participation fee
- accommodation

The participation fee covers all training costs such as tuition, literature, documentation, study tours and medical emergency insurance.

Accommodation costs include board and lodging while *personal expenses are the responsibility of the individual participant.*

Costs for international travel to and from Sweden are normally not financed by Sida.

Sida provides scholarships covering participation fees and accommodation costs for participants from lower and lower-middle income developing countries. Participants from other countries are themselves responsible for such costs.

Website: [www.sida.se/Sida/articles/1200-1299/1258/International.pdf](http://www.sida.se/Sida/articles/1200-1299/1258/International.pdf)

## **The Jane Coffin Childs Memorial Fund for Medical Research**

The Fund awards fellowships to suitably qualified individuals for full time postdoctoral studies in the medical and related sciences bearing on cancer.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

The conditions under which these awards are made are as follows:

Applicants in general should not have more than ONE YEAR of postdoctoral experience. They must hold either the M.D. degree or the Ph.D. degree in the field in which they propose to study or furnish evidence of equivalent training and experience. The appointment will normally be for three years. The Fund recognizes that in some instances there may be valid reasons for changing both laboratory and sponsor. Such changes require the permission of the Director with the advice of the Board of Scientific Advisers. Applicants who, at the time of initiation of the fellowship, will have completed one year in a position as postdoctoral fellow or equivalent will usually be awarded a maximum of two years of fellowship support from this foundation. Only under exceptional circumstances will an award be made to an individual who will have had two years or more of postdoctoral research experience.

Applications will also be accepted in the field of structural biology and will emphasize supramolecular structure and cryoelectron microscopy, areas of particular interest to The Agouron Institute (a program that they are interested in supporting for the Jane Coffin Childs Fund).

Applicants may be citizens of any country but for foreign nationals awards will be made only for study in the United States. American citizens may hold a fellowship either in the United States or in a foreign country. An applicant in addition to submitting evidence as to pre- and postdoctoral training must supply (a) the names and addresses of three individuals personally acquainted both with the applicant and with the applicant's professional work, one of whom should be the principal predoctoral advisor, (b) a suitably documented outline of the research problem proposed, and (c) the written consent of the chief of laboratory and a responsible fiscal officer of the host institution indicating their willingness to accept and provide necessary facilities for the Fellow. (Please note that in the event of multiple applications, it is the policy of the Fund to initiate no more than one fellowship under a particular sponsor in any fiscal year.)

### **STIPEND AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE**

The basic stipend at present is \$39,000 the first year, \$41,000 the second year, and \$43,000 the third year, with an additional \$750 for each dependent child. There is no dependency allowed for a spouse. An allowance of \$1,500 a year toward the cost of the research usually will be made available to the laboratory sponsoring the fellow. A travel award will be made to the Fellow and family for travel to the sponsoring laboratory. Return travel for Fellows will be considered depending upon the Fellow's plans and situation at the time.

## ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM

A Symposium for Fellows of the Fund is held each Fall (usually in October) to inform and challenge the Fund's Fellows about problems related to cancer. The Board of Scientific Advisers invited speakers and Fellows are present. At the Symposium, Fellows of the Fund participate in an informal poster session covering their current work. An applicant is required to attend at least one Symposium during the tenure of the fellowship.

## DEADLINE

The meetings of the Boards of the Fund for the review of fellowship applications are normally held in late April or early May of each year. The deadline for the receipt of applications is February 1. Should the first fall on a weekend, the deadline will be the following Monday. Applicants should note that late applications will not be considered. Please note also that due to the number of applications received, the Fund is unable to provide critiques of unsuccessful candidates.

## **Joint Japan/World Bank Graduate Scholarship Regular Program**

The Regular Program offers the greatest flexibility of all the JJ/WBGSP Programs. The Program awards scholarships to individuals from World Bank member countries to undertake graduate studies at any university located in a World Bank member country except their own. The applicants can propose a program of study in a wide variety of academic fields related to public policy making.

### **Who has applied?**

Almost 39,000 individuals have applied for scholarships since the Regular Program's inception. With a few exceptions, the number of applicants from each region has increased steadily, with the largest number of applicants from the Africa region.

### **Who has won awards?**

To date, the JJ/WBGSP has awarded 1,831 scholarships in its regular program to applicants from over 150 World Bank member countries. The number of scholarships awarded annually has generally increased during the sixteen years of the Program's operation.

### **Demographic breakdown:**

While women have submitted 25% of total applications in the Program's sixteen-year history, that share has met or exceeded 25% in the past four years. The percentage of women awarded scholarships in 2002 reached 35%.

*Africa.* More than 35% of the applications have come from the African Region in the year 2002. This relatively high percentage has been considered appropriate in view of Program's policy of awarding scholarships where need is greatest. The majority of applicants come from countries such as Nigeria, Tanzania, Kenya and Uganda.

*South Asia.* Applications from this region have also been historically high (about 22 percent in 2002). Significant numbers of applications have come from such countries as Bangladesh, India, Indonesia, Pakistan and Sri Lanka.

*East Asia and the Pacific, and Latin America and the Caribbean.* The number of applications from these two regions has been somewhat below desired levels.

*The Middle East and North Africa.* The flow of applicants from this region has always been the lowest of all the regions.

*Europe and Central Asia (ECA).* While the number of applications from member-countries of Eastern Europe has been adequate, the number of applications from ECA countries has never reached expectations. These countries were not Bank members until July 1992 and thus were not included in the annual selections held each year in May in the years from 1987 through 1992. However, in the seven selections made since 1992, the number of applications has remained far below that needed for the Program to reach a wider range of the population. However, in the 2002 Selection Cycle 12% of the applicants came from this region.

### **Where have award winners studied?**

The highest number of 2002 scholarship recipients, 48%, chose to pursue their studies in Europe, followed by North America with 36%. Most scholarship recipients studying in North America chose to study in the United States, while those in Europe were concentrated in the United Kingdom, followed by France and the Netherlands.

### **What are scholars doing after their studies?**

The JJ/WBGSP Secretariat has completed five Tracer Studies on the classes of 1987-1996. The findings of these studies are as follows:

- 97% of all scholars attained the degree for which the scholarship was granted.
- 85% of all scholars are working in either their home country, another developing country, or in an international development agency.

**The Program requires that all scholars return to their home country or to another developing country after finishing their academic Program. There is three years employment restriction at the World Bank and at the IMF for the JJ/WBG scholars after the**

For application:

<http://www.worldbank.org/wbi/scholarships/application/overview.html>

## **The Karla Scherer Foundation**

The [Karla Scherer](#) Foundation exclusively offers one type of scholarship. It is made available to female students majoring only in Finance or Economics with plans for a corporate business career in the private sector. Please note that it is **not** available beyond this very narrow focus. Academic majors such as accounting, information management systems, marketing, hotel management and the like do not qualify, nor do careers in the public or service sectors such as health care, banking, financial services and consulting. We are specifically targeting those women majoring in economics or finance we believe are most likely to become tomorrow's CEO's or CFO's of major manufacturing companies. Applicants must request an application in writing **by March 1 for the following academic year** and they **must** enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with their request. If a stamped, self-addressed envelope is not included, you will not receive a reply.

We accept letters requesting applications from high school seniors through Ph.D. candidates. We have no age or geographic limitations. Both US citizens and international students may apply. International students must already have a United States visa for study. A candidate must have determined the college she will be attending and she must have so informed that institution. Your letter requesting an application must identify the school you will attend, your major, and a description of your career plans. If your written request satisfies all of our requirements, you will receive an application package by return mail. Application packages contain all information concerning application requirements and an explanation of deadlines that must be met for scholarship award consideration.

Please note that we do not set dollar limits on the amount of each scholarship, nor do we grant a pre-determined number of scholarships. Scholarships are considered for renewal upon an annual review of our scholars' grades, focus and financial situation. Scholarship renewal is neither automatic nor guaranteed. Because of the proliferation of misinformation contained on the Internet we must caution all prospective candidates that this office is the **only** source of dependable information regarding our purpose and procedures. We are a small, narrowly-focused privately-funded foundation seeking top-notch candidates with demonstrable financial need. We receive over 25,000 requests a year and award financial aid to approximately 25 women annually.

All written inquiries accompanied by a stamped, self-addressed envelope will receive a written response. The Foundation address is:

The Karla Scherer Foundation  
737 N. Michigan Ave.  
Suite 2330  
Chicago, IL 60611

## **Life Sciences Research Foundation Postdoctoral Research Fellowships**

**Deadline:** October 01, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Anticipated deadline. The record will be updated when new program information becomes available.

**Amount Note:** The fellowship award is \$51,000 per year and is meant to be a minigrant. LSRF keeps \$1,000 for administrative expenses and passes the rest to the fellow. The salary scale begins at \$30,000 for a first-year postdoctoral, \$33,000 for a second year, and \$36,000 thereafter.

**Eligibility:** Graduates of medical and graduate schools in the biological sciences holding M.D. or Ph.D. degrees are eligible for these fellowships. Persons doing a second postdoctoral fellowship are eligible only if they are transferring to a different supervisor's laboratory and embarking on a new project not connected to their previous research. United States citizens are eligible to apply with no geographic restriction on the laboratory of their choice. Non-U.S. applicants will be eligible for study in U.S. laboratories.

**Abstract:** The Life Sciences Research Foundation (LSRF) administers an international program of postdoctoral fellowships across the spectrum of the life sciences of biochemistry; cell, developmental, molecular, plant, structural, organismic population, and evolutionary biology; endocrinology; immunology; microbiology; neurobiology; and virology.

Foreign sponsors may use the foundation as a means to exchange fellows between their country and the United States. Only one LSRF postdoctoral fellow may be associated with a laboratory at any given time.

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**Manitoba Centre for Health Policy (MCHP): Postdoctoral Fellowships/Research Associates in Health Services Research**

**Deadline Note:** Continuous. Applications will be accepted at any time.

**Amount:** \$30,000

**Amount Note:** Appointments are available for one- and two-year periods. Salaries range from CDN \$30,000 to \$45,000. Support to successful applicants includes office space, computing resources, and technical support.

**Eligibility:** Applications for postdoctoral fellowships are invited from individuals with relevant doctoral training. Physicians with relevant M.Sc. training are also encouraged to apply.

Experience with computers in the quantitative analysis of data is preferred; a research interest in health policy is essential.

The University of Manitoba encourages applications from qualified women and men,

including members of visible minorities, aboriginal people, and persons with disabilities.

**Abstract:** The Manitoba Centre for Health Policy (MCHP) at the University of Manitoba invites applications for term appointments as postdoctoral fellows or research associates. The research environment is multidisciplinary. Applications for postdoctoral fellowships are invited from individuals with doctoral training in the fields of epidemiology, public health, economics and public policy, health care organization, or social and behavioral sciences.

MCHP undertakes population-based health services research and policy analyses, relying on the unique Manitoba Health Research Data Base (a comprehensive, longitudinal, population-based administrative record of health care transactions in the province) to describe and explain patterns of care and profiles of health and illness. Of particular interest are projects related to managing the health care system, measuring outcomes of care, technology assessment, and the development of a system of health statistics. Projects currently under way include

- developing and refining health and socioeconomic indicators;
- analyzing the relationship between socioeconomic status, health, and the use of health services;
- describing patterns of pharmaceutical use;
- estimating surgical waiting times;
- configuring MIS data to support case-weighted costing; and
- physician resource studies, including methods for performance monitoring and needs-based planning models.

Fellows and associates will conduct independent scholarly inquiry within areas of relevance to MCHP's mandate. Collaboration with established research activities will be expected.

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**Margaret McNamara Memorial Fund Grants for Women from Developing Countries**

The Margaret McNamara Memorial Fund was established in 1981 to honor the late Margaret McNamara. The purpose of the grant is to support the education of

women from developing countries who are committed to improving the lives of women and children in a developing country. Previous grant recipients studied agriculture, architecture and urban planning, civil engineering, education, forestry, journalism, nursing, nutrition, pediatrics, public administration, public health, social sciences and social work.

The MMMF awards up to six grants of approximately \$11,000; grants are not renewable. Application forms for grants for the 2003/2004 academic year will be available from September 2002 until January 31, 2003. The deadline for completed applications is midnight, February 1, 2003. The MMMF will announce the recipients by May 1, 2003. Grant payments will be made directly to the recipients' institution about June 1, 2003. Grants may not be used to repay debts or loans.

Grant recipients are required to sign a contract agreeing to the following constraints:

1. If a MMMF grant recipient receives a grant from the **World Bank Graduate Scholarship** program in the same calendar year she receives an MMMF grant, her MMMF grant shall be rescinded.

2. The MMMF expects the grant recipients to return to their home countries or another developing country within approximately two years after receiving their grants and then to perform at least two years of service in her country or another developing country. As a condition of the grant, the recipient will agree to make a contribution to the MMMF of the full amount of her grant if:

(a) the recipient does not return to her country or another developing country within 30 months of receiving the MMMF grant or after completing her studies in the US; or

(b) does not complete such two years of service within 54 months of receiving the MMMF grant or after completing her studies in the US.

Grant funds that are used for expenses that are not required for enrollment (e.g. room, board, travel research, child care, etc.) are generally subject to US tax and income tax withholding, even for non-US nationals. Only tuition and related expenses (e.g. tuition, required fees, books, supplies, etc.) are exempt from US tax and withholding. The tax treatment of grant funds may be affected by the terms of a tax treaty between the recipient's home country and the United States. For your specific tax responsibility, contact your advisor or our institution's financial office.

The following are required for a complete application:

1. Application form, accessible below.

2. Your most recent transcripts (available from the Registrar's Office) plus a copy of your Fall 2002 registration.

3. Official estimate of expenses for foreign students (available from the Foreign Student Advisor or Financial Aid of your institution).

4. A passport-size photograph.

5. Two recommendation forms (download MMMF Recom Forms.doc below) in sealed envelopes, as follows:

- (a) Both must have been professors **or** supervisors.
- (b) One must be a professor at your current institution; the other may be from your country.
- (c) One must have known you for at least two semesters.

Completed recommendations must be returned to you in sealed envelopes. Additional recommendations will be discarded.

**N.B. ITEMS 2 TO 5 ABOVE MUST BE MAILED TOGETHER IN A SEALED ENVELOPE TO THE MMMF, POSTMARKED BY FEBRUARY 1, 2003.**

Eligibility: A woman may apply for a MMMF grant if she meets **all** the following criteria:

- 1. She must have a record of service to women and/or children in her country.
- 2. She must reside in the U.S. at the time she submits the application.
- 3. She must be enrolled at an accredited U.S. educational institution by September 2002 and remain enrolled during the entire year of the grant.
- 4. She must use the grant to continue to study for her degree.
- 5. She must be a national of a developing country that is currently eligible to borrow from the World Bank (download Country Eligibility.doc below) and cannot be a U.S. Green Card holder.
- 6. She must intend to return to a developing country in about two years.
- 7. She must demonstrate financial need.
- 8. She must be at least 25 years old by December 31, 2002.
- 9. She must not be related to any World Bank Group staff member or his or her spouse.

Applications may be made on-line by clicking the link below. This is a lengthy application which cannot be saved and returned to at a later time. You will only be able to proceed beyond the eligibility section if you meet all the criteria. The governing body establishes the criteria of the MMMF and the Selection Committee regrets that it can make no exceptions.

You are advised to download the MMMF Application Form (MMMF Application.doc below) and to complete it as a rough draft before attempting to complete the on-line application form. You will also need to download the MMMF Recommendation Forms (MMMF Recom Forms.doc below). Click here to access the on-line application form: [On Line Application](#)

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Website:

<http://wbln0018.worldbank.org/HRS/yournet.nsf/yournet/DynaFrame?OpenDocument&Page=1EBEC476F8998B2385256AA10064CCF6>

### **Munk Centre Post-Doctoral Fellowship at the University of Toronto**

**Deadline:** January 15, 2003

**Eligibility:** The fellowship is available to Canadian citizens or citizens of another country willing to relocate to Toronto for its duration.

**Abstract:** The Centre for International Studies (CIS) in the Munk Centre at the University of Toronto is offering a one- or two-year postdoctoral fellowship beginning in September 2003. The fellowship is part of the Major Collaborative Research Initiative on the "Globalization and Autonomy" theme funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) of Canada. This interdisciplinary program brings together a wide range of scholars from around the world.

CIS provides one of the institutional bases for the program, which is headquartered at the Institute on Globalization and the Human Condition at McMaster University.

Further information can be found at [www.utoronto.ca/cis](http://www.utoronto.ca/cis) and [www.humanities.mcmaster.ca/~global/gaa.htm](http://www.humanities.mcmaster.ca/~global/gaa.htm).

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### **National Academy of Education: Spencer Postdoctoral Fellowship**

National Academy of Education/Spencer Postdoctoral Fellowships are designed to promote scholarship in the United States and abroad on matters relevant to the improvement of education in all its forms.

Applicants must have their Ph.D., Ed.D., or equivalent research degree conferred between January 1, 1997, and December 31, 2002.

Applications from all disciplines are encouraged, provided that they describe research relevant to education. The individual applying for the Fellowship must make applications; group applications will not be accepted.

Applications will be judged on the applicant's past research record, the promise of early work, and the quality of the project described in the application. Employees of the Spencer Foundation or the National Academy of Education are not eligible to apply. Concurrent funding for the proposed project is not permitted.

Fellows will receive \$ 50,000 for one academic year of research, or \$ 25,000 for each of two contiguous years, working half time. Fellowships must begin during the 2003-2004 academic year. Fellows will be included in professional development retreats with other fellows and Academy members. Up to thirty Postdoctoral Fellowships will be awarded in 2003. A committee composed of members of the National Academy of Education will make selection. Awardees will be notified in May 2003.

For required 2003 application forms see links below or write: National Academy of Education, New York University, School of Education, 726 Broadway, Room 509, New York, NY 10003-9580 or call (212) 998-9035. We cannot fax application packets. Applications will not be sent after November 8, 2002.

Complete application materials including three recommendations must be **received** at the above address by **November 21, 2002**. Late applications will **not** be accepted.

[Click Here](#) for **2003 Application Forms**

\* We also recommend reading "The Art of Writing Proposals" an article published by the Social Science Research Council which is available on their website at: [http://www.ssrc.org/programs/publications\\_editors/publications/art\\_of\\_writing\\_proposals.page](http://www.ssrc.org/programs/publications_editors/publications/art_of_writing_proposals.page)

### **Navrongo Health Research Centre: Social Demographer**

Beginning in 1993, the Navrongo Health Research Centre launched a programme of demographic surveillance, demographic survey research, and social research designed to assess the determinants of reproductive change in Kassena-Nankana District and provide the statistical basis for evaluating the demographic impact of the Navrongo Community Health and Family Planning Project (CHFP). In annual cycles since 1993, the Centre has conducted a panel survey of reproductive preferences, background characteristics, and contraceptive behavior. In 90 day cycles, database registers of the Navrongo Demographic Surveillance System are updated, edited, and archived. Also, in 90 day cycles, Management Information System data on health services and contraceptive use dynamics are updated for the service work of Community Health Officers in 16 villages. Taken together, these

systems provide a resource of remarkable value for understanding health, reproductive behavior, and social characteristics of the Kassena-Nankana.

The CHFP has two arms:

A service delivery implementation arm that works under the direction of the Ministry of Health District Health Management Team; a research arm that conducts operations research on project activities and outcomes, survey research on project impact, and social research on the social impact of CHFP services. A senior social scientist will be recruited and assigned responsibility for the research arm of the project. The role involves research direction, planning, and dissemination concerning the various research resources of the project.

### **Data Collection System Responsibilities:**

*CHFP Data System Coordination.* The CHFP will have a technical working group for the coordinating the collection, analysis, and dissemination of quantitative data. The Fellow will chair and convene this committee.

*The Panel Survey.* Annual rounds of the Panel Survey will be supervised by a Technical Coordinator who will be responsible for developing the questionnaire, testing the questionnaire, training supervisors, recruiting, training and deploying interviewers, managing data flow and quality, and documenting preliminary results. The Fellow will supervise the Panel Survey Coordinator.

*The MIS System.* The Management Information System is a FoxPro database for monitoring service delivery operations and outcomes. An MIS Technical Coordinator has overall responsibility for managing the MIS operation. The Fellow will supervise the work of this coordinator.

*The Navrongo Demographic Surveillance System (NDSS).* The NDSS is a longitudinal registration system that provides demographic data on 139,000 rural residents of 12,400 extended family compounds. The has a designated head who directs and manages the collection of surveillance data. The Fellow will be responsible for maintaining close technical collaboration with the NDSS head. This will involve the preparation of linked databases that combine CHFP data resources with NDSS information on demographic outcomes.

### **Research Responsibilities:**

The Fellow will be responsible for research writing and the mentoring of research writing of junior CHFP staff. This is meant to involve:

*Analyzing CHFP data.* The Fellow will conduct research on broad issues arising from social, behavioral, and demographic themes of the CHFP in close collaboration with CHFP senior colleagues. He will liaise with external collaborators on CHFP research and coordinate their work on CHFP data. Each year she/he will assist the NHRC Director develop a detailed research plan for CHFP data analysis.

*The Diffusion initiative.* The Fellow will chair a working group for the National Institutes of Health "Diffusion Study," and coordinate the work of NHRC and external scientists collaborating on this initiative. This will involve clarifying and

documenting Diffusion Initiative research plans.

*Developing new leads and themes.* Various critical issues are not yet addressed by the CHFP but may be clarified by analytical work. These include, women's roles and status, women's livelihoods, relationships between demographic processes (e.g. mortality and fertility), household economics and decision-making, etc. The Fellow will devote a significant, although minor, share of his effort to research on social research themes that could expand the CHFP agenda.

**Administrative Responsibilities:**

As the technical director of CHFP data systems and research support staff, The Fellow will be responsible for preparing and monitoring budgets on this sector of CHFP activity. He will collaborate with the Director of the NHRC and the CHFP Principal Investigator in preparing progress reports and financial reports to the Population Council's Programmatic Grant. This will involve monitoring staff vacancies, recruiting staff as needed, and maintaining project timelines in his sector of responsibility.

**Qualifications:**

Ph.D. Degree in Demography, Economics, Sociology, or a relevant Public Health Science such as Health Behavior, Epidemiology, or Population Studies.

Research skills in survey research, social science, statistics, or population sciences.

Work experience in sub-Saharan Africa, preferably in social research, operations research, or public health research.

**To Apply:**

Send a *curriculum vitae* and a brief proposal to:

Fellowship Office

Policy Research Division

Population Council

1 Dag Hammarskjold Plaza

New York, New York

USA

Fax: 212-755-6052

E-mail: [ssfellowship@popcouncil.org](mailto:ssfellowship@popcouncil.org)

Website: <http://www.popcouncil.org/opportunities/ghanafellowships.html>

**NIH Visiting Program**

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) Visiting Program provides opportunities for foreign scientists to train and conduct collaborative research at the NIH, the principal agency of the U.S. Government responsible for conducting and supporting biomedical research. Annually, more than 2,000 scientists from other nations conduct research in the basic and clinical science laboratories on the NIH campus in Bethesda, Maryland, and in several field units around the country. The NIH includes

18 separate research institutes, the National Library of Medicine, the Warren Grant Magnuson Clinical Center, the Center for Information Technology, the National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine, the National Center for Research Resources, the Fogarty International Center, the National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities, and the Center for Scientific Review. Working within and through these organizations, scientists investigate many aspects of basic biomedical sciences as well as specific diseases. These range from heart disease, cancer, stroke, and diabetes to influenza, tooth decay, arthritis, AIDS, and other disorders that afflict millions of people. The knowledge, experience, and facilities at the NIH make it a unique international resource in the effort to understand, prevent, and cure disease. The NIH has long considered close interaction with foreign scientists in the conduct of collaborative research to be an essential ingredient in achieving its objectives.

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The Visiting Program is open to scientists at all career levels. There are two categories of Visiting Program participants: Visiting Fellows, who receive awards for research training, and Visiting Scientists, who receive appointments to conduct research. Each participant works closely with a senior NIH investigator who serves as supervisor or sponsor during the period of award or appointment.

The Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research for the Food and Drug Administration participates in the Visiting Program, but provides opportunities for Visiting Fellows only.

An award or appointment to the Visiting Program must be requested by a senior scientist in one of the NIH's intramural laboratories and is offered based on the candidate's qualifications and the research needs of the host laboratory. The NIH

senior scientist serves as the participant's sponsor and supervisor during the period of award or appointment.

Individuals interested in a Visiting Program fellowship or appointment should write to NIH senior scientists working in the same research field, enclosing a resume and brief description of their particular research area. Information about the research conducted by scientists at the NIH may be obtained through the NIH's [CRISP system](#).

#### *Visiting Fellow*

The Visiting Fellow award provides research training experience. Visiting Fellows must have a doctoral degree or equivalent in the health sciences and not more than five years of relevant postdoctoral research experience at the start of the fellowship period. Upon nomination to the program, candidates must provide a photocopy of their diploma (and translation, if not in English) or a letter from a university dean or registrar stating when the degree will be awarded. Course work toward a degree does not by itself qualify a candidate for a fellowship. Visiting Fellows receive a monthly stipend during the award period to cover living expenses. The stipend level is determined by the number of years of relevant postdoctoral research experience. Visiting Fellows are not considered employees of the NIH. U.S. citizens are not eligible for the Visiting Fellow award. Visiting Fellow awards generally are made for two years, although a one-year award is an option. Fellowships are renewable for up to five years. Renewals are based on merit and are subject to approval by the sponsor and Institute Director. All renewals are contingent upon visa limitations and compliance with U.S. immigration regulations.

International Services Branch  
Office of Research Services  
National Institutes of Health  
13 SOUTH DRIVE MSC 5774  
BETHESDA, MD 20892-5774  
Tel: (301) 496-6166  
Fax: (301) 496-0847

Website: <http://www.nih.gov/od/ors/dirs/isb/aboutnihvp.htm>

#### **Nordic African Institute: African Guest Researchers' Scholarship Programme**

The African Guest Researchers' Scholarship Programme started in 1982. The purpose of the programme is to establish and maintain relations with universities and research institutions in Africa and to provide opportunities for those awarded the grants to pursue their own research, which should be related to the current research themes at the Institute. The programme is directed at scholars in Africa, engaged in research on the African continent. Female researchers are especially encouraged to apply for these scholarships.

[Application, deadline 17 May 2003](#)

Website: <http://www.nai.uu.se/stip/scholars.html#african>

### **PAHO/WHO Fellowships (WHO Member States Outside the Americas)**

**Deadline Note:**Varies. Deadlines vary according to country. Candidates should contact their national health administration (usually the Ministry of Health) for application information. Their government must nominate candidates, their applications must have the written endorsement of their government, and the applications must be forwarded to the PAHO country representative by the government's Ministry of Health.

**Amount Note:** The Fellowship Award covers the cost of travel directly related to the purposes of the fellowship including international travel and travel within the country of study; a daily living allowance; health insurance coverage if required by the country of study; and tuition fees if applicable. Fellowships are normally awarded for periods ranging from three weeks up to a maximum of one year. Fellowships may be renewed if training is progressing satisfactorily, funds are available, and approval is obtained from the Ministry of Health in the fellow's country of origin.

**Eligibility:** Applicants should be citizens of a WHO member state outside of the Americas and from a member state of the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO).

Candidates must: be currently engaged in medical or health work in their national health organization or at a research or educational institution; have completed their training and have at least two years of professional experience in the subject they wish to pursue; be in good health and normally no older than 50 years of age; and be able to understand, speak, and write the proposed language of training sufficiently well to pursue their studies successfully.

**Abstract:** Fellowships are available to citizens of member states of the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO). Fellowships provide opportunities for advanced study in public health fields that are not customarily available in the fellow's home country. They are intended to promote the international exchange of scientific knowledge and techniques related to health. Candidates' proposed field of study must be directly related to the public health strategy and programs of the candidate's home country. It is for this reason that PAHO Fellowship applications can only be obtained from the candidate's Ministry of Health and the completed application can only be submitted to PAHO with the written endorsement of that Ministry of Health.

Additional contacts:

Africa Fellowships Unit, WHO Regional Office for Africa, P.O. Box No. 6, Brazzaville, Congo, phone +242 83 91 11;

Eastern Mediterranean Fellowships Unit, WHO Regional Office for the Eastern

Mediterranean, P.O. Box 1517, Alexandria 21511, Egypt, phone +20 482-9586;

Europe Fellowships Unit, WHO Regional Office for Europe, 8 Scherfigsvej DK - 2100 Copenhagen, O Denmark, phone +45 39 17 17;

South-East Asia Fellowships Unit, WHO Regional Office for South-East Asia, World Health House, Indraprastha Estate Ring Road, New Delhi-1, India, phone +91 331 7804; and

Western Pacific Fellowships Unit, WHO Regional Office for the Western Pacific, P.O. Box 2932, 1099 Manila, Philippines, phone +63 521 84 21.

**Contact Address:**

Americas Fellowships Unit  
WHO Regional Office for the Americas  
Pan American Health Organization (PAHO)  
525 Twenty-third Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20037  
Tel: (202) 974-3000

Website: <http://www.paho.org/English/HSP/HSR/fellowships.htm>

**Peace Child Organization: Be The Change! Grants**

Small grants up to \$5,000 for project ideas from young people under 25. Proposals must identify a problem in your community and a concrete action project to address the problem. Grants are offered worldwide.

Website: <http://www.peacechild.org/intheworks/>

**The Pembroke Center Postdoctoral Fellowships**

The Pembroke Center annually supports three or four postdoctoral research fellows in residence for an academic year. Candidates who do work that is qualitative and humanistic in nature are drawn from the humanities, the social sciences, and the life sciences. Fellows may not hold a tenured position in any college or university. The Center has an annual research focus.

Fellowships will be awarded for advanced training in population studies, including demography and public health, in combination with a social science discipline, such as economics, sociology, anthropology, or geography. Awards will be made only to applicants whose proposals deal with the developing world.

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

Applications are accepted for four types of training programs in population: three levels of training at degree-granting institutions of higher learning and one at the Population Council.

*Predoctoral training:*

Awards are open to candidates who have completed all coursework requirements toward a Ph.D. or an equivalent degree in demography or in one of the social sciences. Applications requesting support for either the dissertation fieldwork or the dissertation write-up will be considered. Approximately ten awards will be made for this category.

*Postdoctoral training:*

Awards are open to candidates having a Ph.D. or an equivalent degree who wish to undertake postdoctoral training and research at an institution other than the one at which they received their Ph.D. The Council does not award postdoctoral fellowships to candidates who already have a postdoctoral fellowship at another institution. The view of the Committee is that a postdoctoral fellowship should represent no more than a 1-2 year transition from a Ph.D. to a career job. Please note that a strong application in this category must include a letter from an internationally recognized professional in the population field who is willing to be responsible for the applicant's academic program at the proposed institution. Fieldwork funds are not provided at this level.

*Midcareer training:*

Awards are open to candidates from the developing world with a minimum of five years of substantial professional experience in the population field. Midcareer awards are open to scholars with a Ph.D. or an equivalent degree wishing to undertake specific study in connection with a research institution. Fieldwork funds are not provided at this level.

*Resident training:*

The Bernard Berelson award, for training at the postdoctoral or midcareer level at the Population Council, is open to candidates with a Ph.D. or an equivalent degree in demography or population studies. Candidates for this distinguished fellowship are required to seek sponsorship from at least one Council staff member from the New York office prior to submitting an application to the Fellowship Office. A letter of recommendation from the Population Council sponsor to the Fellowship Committee is required as part of the application process.

**SELECTION PROCESS**

Selection will be based on the recommendations of the Fellowship Committee, which consists of three distinguished scholars in the field of population. Applicants will be awarded fellowships based on a strong, well-conceived research proposal, academic excellence, prospective contribution to the population field, and prospective support by proposed institution. Awards are open to all qualified persons, but strong preference will be given to applicants from developing countries that have a firm commitment to return home upon completion of their training programs.

#### PLACE OF STUDY

Awards are contingent upon admission to a training or research institution that is internationally recognized as having a strong doctoral program, with the exception of the Bernard Berelson award, which is based at the Population Council.

#### DURATION

The typical award is for 12 months, and is non-renewable. **In the case of postdoctoral training, the award is made for two years.**

#### TERMS

Awards consist of a monthly stipend (based on type of fellowship and place of study), partial tuition payments and related fees, transportation expenses (for fellow only), allowances for books and supplies, and health insurance. Tuition at the postdoctoral and midcareer levels is not included in the award.

#### HOW TO APPLY

Download the MS Word application form [here](#). Or write to:

Fellowship Coordinator  
Policy Research Division  
Population Council  
One Dag Hammarskjold Plaza  
New York, NY 10017  
U.S.A.

Phone: (212) 339-0671

Fax: (212) 755-6052

E-mail: [ssfellowship@popcouncil.org](mailto:ssfellowship@popcouncil.org)

Deadline for receipt of the Population Council Fellowships application for the following academic year is **15 December**. If the deadline falls on a weekend or holiday, applications should be received at the Council by the next business day. Applicants will be notified about the results of the competition in March. The Council does not provide individual critiques of applications submitted. Applications sent by fax or e-mail will not be accepted.

#### RELEVANT PUBLICATION

A summary report based on material in Jane Menken, Ann K. Blanc, and Cynthia B. Lloyd (eds.), *Training and Support of Developing-Country Population Scientists: A Panel Report* can now be downloaded in [English](#), [French](#) and [Spanish](#).

Dec 09, 2002 deadline

Website: [http://www.pembrokecenter.org/RP\\_Postdoctoral.asp](http://www.pembrokecenter.org/RP_Postdoctoral.asp)

### **Population Council Postdoctoral Fellowships in the Social Sciences**

**Deadline:** December 15, 2002

**Amount Note:** The award amount is unspecified. Awards consist of a monthly stipend (based on type of fellowship and place of study), partial tuition payments and related fees, transportation expenses (for fellow only), allowances for books

and supplies, and health insurance. The typical award is for 12 months, and is nonrenewable. Approximately 10 awards will be made for this category.

**Eligibility:** Postdoctoral training awards are open to candidates having a Ph.D. or an equivalent degree who wish to undertake postdoctoral training and research at an institution other than the one at which they received their doctoral degree. A strong application in this category must include a letter from an internationally-recognized professional in the population field who is willing to be responsible for the applicant's academic program at the proposed institution. Fieldwork funds are not provided at this level.

**Abstract:** Fellowships will be awarded for advanced training in populations studies (including demography and public health) in combination with a social science discipline, such as economics, sociology, anthropology, or geography. Awards will be made only to applicants whose proposals deal with the developing world.

**Contact:**

Fellowship Coordinator, Policy Research Division  
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Website: <http://www.popcouncil.org/opportunities/socscifellowships.html>

**The Population Council: Reproductive Biomedicine Fellowships**

The Population Council offers fellowships to persons who wish to pursue advanced study in the physiology and biochemistry of reproduction. Fellows train in the laboratories of the Council's Center for Biomedical Research, located on the campus of Rockefeller University.

**Eligibility**

Candidates must have successfully completed an advanced degree—M.D., Ph.D., or equivalent—and be proficient in English. Applications may be made in anticipation of receiving the doctoral degree, but the fellowship cannot begin until after the degree has been awarded. Fellowships are open to individuals of all countries. If the applicant is other than a United States citizen and enters this country on a Population Council-sponsored J-1 visa, s/he must have a strong commitment to return to her/his own country upon completion of the fellowship.

**Priority Research Areas**

Training in any aspect of reproductive biology may be considered. Priority research topics include, but are not limited to, the following areas of reproductive biomedicine:

Physiology of hypothalamo-pituitary-gonadal axis.  
Leydig cell development.

Cell and molecular biology of Sertoli cells.  
Cell-cell communication in the seminiferous tubule.  
Molecular biology of steroid-hormone action.  
Biosynthesis and secretion of reproductive hormones.  
Transmission of immunodeficiency viruses.  
Genetics of male infertility.  
Sperm maturation.

### **Duration**

Fellowship awards are for full-time research training and study, and are made initially for one year. The aim of the program is to support two years of training, provided the preceptor and fellow agree on the second year.

### **Starting Date and Stipend**

Fellowships can begin any time during the year. There are no deadlines for submission of applications. The basic stipend is \$33,012 per year for a candidate having just completed a doctoral degree. There are increments commensurate with experience.

Formal application may be made by writing to: The Fellowship Secretary, Population Council, 1230 York Avenue, Box 273, New York, New York 10021. Applications must include a curriculum vitae, an up-to-date list of publications, copies of the applicant's most recent papers, and the names and addresses of three or four individuals familiar with the applicant's work to whom requests for letters of recommendation can be sent.

Website: <http://www.popcouncil.org/opportunities/biofellowships.html>

### **Poverty and Economic Policy (PEP) Research Network**

The Poverty and Economic Policy (PEP) Research Network is a newly created network of researchers working to reduce poverty through the analysis of poverty and related economic policies. The network receives funding from the International Development Research Centre (IDRC). Specific objectives are to:

- Better understand the causes and consequences of poverty.
- Propose alternative strategies, policies and programs to reduce poverty.
- Improve the monitoring and measurement of poverty.
- Develop local research (and training) capacity in these areas.
- Develop new concepts and methodologies through fundamental research.

The network is composed of three tightly linked constituent networks. The first – *Poverty Monitoring, Measurement and Analysis (PMMA)* – aims to develop and apply analytical tools to monitor, measure and understand poverty, and to analyze a wide range of poverty issues. The second – *Modeling and Policy Impact Analysis (MPIA)* – uses economy-wide models and analysis as a "laboratory" to identify and analyse the links between specific policies and shocks and their eventual impacts on poverty. The third – *Community-Based Monitoring Systems (CBMS)* – designs and pilots community-based monitoring and local development systems aimed at

poverty in its multidimensional sense. **This call for research proposals concerns only the PMMA and MPIA networks.**

Researchers are asked to submit proposals by **December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2002** using the attached submission form and guidelines. A selection committee will choose the most promising research proposals, in terms of scientific contribution, policy relevance and feasibility. The selected teams will subsequently receive advice and support to further develop these proposals for presentation at a PEP meeting scheduled for February 22-25, 2002 in Manila, Philippines (participation costs for one team member will be financed by the network). A second stage of selection during this meeting will lead to the awarding of up to ten \$CAD 20,000 (roughly \$US 13,000) research grants to successful candidates, who will also receive funding for one team member to participate in subsequent PEP meetings to present interim and final reports. Each network has set out a number of priority themes as follows:

*Poverty Monitoring, Measurement and Analysis (PMMA) Network*

*Multi-dimensional poverty analysis:* composite poverty indicators, correlation between poverty dimensions (multiple correspondence analysis, multivariate poverty dominance analysis...), etc.

*Public spending:* microsimulations, household-level consumption of public goods (health, education...), socially optimal spending/tax reform, income transfers and targeting schemes.

*Modeling and Policy Impact Analysis (MPIA) Network*

*Labor markets:* Analysis of the roles of unemployment, worker gender/age, skills/education, migration, minimum wage, informal sector, unions in conditioning the poverty impacts of policy.

*Public spending:* Economy-wide microsimulation and aggregate analysis of public spending reform and its impacts on poverty.

For further information, contact the MPIA/PMMA office: PEP, dept. d'économique, Université Laval, Ste. Foy, Québec, G1K 7P4, Canada, 1-418-6565314(tel)/6567798(fax), [pep@ecn.ulaval.ca](mailto:pep@ecn.ulaval.ca); or consult our temporary Website: <http://www.crefa.ecn.ulaval.ca/develop/pep.html>

**Program for the Study of Globalization, Culture and Social Transformation at the Universidad Central de Venezuela Facultad de Ciencias Economicas y Sociales Centro de Investigaciones Postdoctorales (CIPOST)**

**Deadline:** April 01, 2003

**Amount Note:** The program will accept four resident fellows per year, two each semester (September to December and February to April). The residency of each of fellows will be three months.

Work and computer space will be provided for fellows at the program offices, and they will have access to the university libraries, and affiliations with researchers and social organizations related to their research topics will be facilitated for them.

**Abstract:** The Centro de Investigaciones Postdoctorales (CIPOST), Facultad de Ciencias Económicas y Sociales, Universidad Central de Venezuela, is offering a Program for the Study of Globalization, Culture and Social Transformation. This program is dedicated to studying the importance of the cultural dimension in sociopolitical processes, promoting the development of transdisciplinary focuses, and, more especially, theorizing about the importance of social representations in social change processes and how, in the current times of globalization, certain types of social representations, which play significant roles in both expressing the purpose and meaning of the practices of social movements and organizations, are produced in contexts of intense exchanges between local and global agents.

On the basis of case studies, information will be generated regarding these types of transnational processes, and there will be an enrichment and enhancement of the fields of the theory of social representations and globalization processes.

Each of the three years of the fellowship program will be dedicated to studying cases of the social production of representations articulated around a particular set of socially and politically significant ideas:

- 2001-2002, representations of cultural, ethnic, or racial identities and differences
- 2002-2003, representations of citizenship, civil society, and social participation
- 2003-2004, representations of environment, biodiversity, and sustainable development

The diversity of reference subjects for the types of social representations to be examined will contribute to theorizing in a more comprehensive manner about social representations and their importance in social change processes within the framework of globalization processes, transcending the limitations that could be entailed by studying instances pertaining to a more reduced thematic spectrum.

The program is oriented toward creating opportunities for research, access to information, and the formation of work networks for intellectuals with research experience, especially those whose work is directly or indirectly related to the topics and interests of Latin American social movements and organizations that promote transformations aimed at correcting systems of exclusion, discrimination, and social injustice that affect particular population groups.

During the residency, fellows will devote themselves to their own research projects, and participate in an ongoing seminar together with the members of the host program research team and other university professors as well as master's and doctoral students. In addition, fellows will make a public presentation of their research.

**Contact:**

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Email: [dmato@reacciun.ve](mailto:dmato@reacciun.ve)

Website: [http://www.geocities.com/global\\_cult\\_polit/Program.htm](http://www.geocities.com/global_cult_polit/Program.htm)

### **Radcliffe Institute Fellowship Information**

*The deadline to apply for a 2003-2004 Radcliffe Institute Fellowship was October 1. The application form for a 2004-2005 fellowship will be posted here in late spring.*

The Fellowship Program is a scholarly community where individuals pursue advanced work across a wide range of academic disciplines, professions, or creative arts. Radcliffe Institute fellowships are designed to support scholars, scientists, artists, and writers of exceptional promise and demonstrated accomplishment, who wish to pursue work in academic and professional fields and in the creative arts. In recognition of Radcliffe's historic contributions to the education of women and to the study of issues related to women, the Radcliffe Institute sustains a continuing commitment to the study of women, gender, and society. Women and men from across the United States and throughout the world, including developing countries, are encouraged to apply. We seek to build a community of fellows that is diverse in every way.

#### **Selection Process**

Peers in relevant disciplines review each application in a dual-tiered process. Applications are judged on the quality and significance of the proposed project and the applicant's record of achievement and promise. Applicants are notified of the results of the selection process in early March.

#### **Terms and Conditions**

Stipends are funded up to \$50,000 for one year with additional funds for project expenses. Some support for relocation expenses is provided where relevant. If so directed, Radcliffe will pay the stipend to the fellow's home institution. Fellows receive office or studio space and access to libraries and other resources of Harvard University. **Residence in the Boston area and participation in the Institute community are required during the fellowship year**, which extends from September 8, 2003, through June 14, 2004. Fellows are expected to present their work-in-progress and to attend other fellows' events.

**Applications for individual projects must be postmarked by October 1, 2002.**

#### **Eligibility for Individuals**

Scholars, scientists, artists, or writers in any field with the receipt of a doctorate or appropriate terminal degree at least two years prior to appointment, by December 2001, or comparable professional achievement in the area of the proposed project,

are eligible. Creative writers and visual artists must meet specific eligibility criteria (please see separate sections for guidelines). Applicants whose projects draw on the resources of the Institute's Schlesinger Library on the History of Women (the country's foremost archive in women's history) or the Henry A. Murray Research Center (a national archive of social science data on human development and social change) are looked on favorably, but such a focus is not a requisite for applying. In any given year, the Institute will also host a number of invited clusters of scholars working on a particular theme. Please check the Radcliffe Web site for a list of [clusters](#) for the upcoming years. Applicants whose interests match or complement the anticipated clusters are welcome to apply and are invited to indicate the way in which their work would contribute to that of the cluster. (Use the standard application.)

### Eligibility for Groups

Radcliffe welcomes proposals from small groups of scholars (3 to 5) who have research interests or projects in common and wish to spend a year as fellows together pursuing those aims. The Institute encourages the inclusion of junior faculty. To gain consideration, the convener(s) of such a group should submit a letter of intent (1 to 3 pages) describing the group's focus, aims, and membership, as well as their curriculum vitae to the Fellowship Program Director, Judith Vichniac, postmarked by October 1, 2002. After internal review, those groups encouraged to continue the application process will be informed by November 1 and asked to submit formal proposals by Monday, December 16, 2002, for the 2003-04 academic year.

### Creative Arts Eligibility Requirements

Please note that artists and writers need not have a Ph.D. or a M.F.A. to apply. Applications from creative writers and visual artists in successive years are not accepted; those applicants may apply after waiting two application cycles.

### Writers

#### *Fiction and Nonfiction*

To be considered for a fellowship in fiction or nonfiction, applicants must have a contract for the publication of a book-length manuscript or at least three short works (longer than newspaper articles) published. Evidence of publication in the last five years is highly desirable. Applicants should note that reviewers take into account evidence of a distinctive, original voice, richness or dimensionality of text, and coherence in the project plan. Professionals interested in writing about their work experiences should apply in the category of nonfiction.

#### *Poetry*

To be considered for a fellowship in poetry, applicants must have had at least twenty poems published in the last five years or a published book of poetry and must be in the process of completing a manuscript. Reviewers examine the submissions for evidence of originality, vision, and maturity.

### Playwrights

Applicants in this genre must have a significant body of independent work in the form. This will include most typically a play produced or under option by a professional theater.

#### Filmmakers

Applicants in the areas of film and video must have a body of independent work that represents significant achievement in contemporary cinema, television, and/or exhibition contexts. Such work will typically have been shown in film or video festivals, aired on cable or public television, or presented within gallery or museum exhibition programs. Reviewers focus on formal innovation, personal vision, and the impact that the work has had within its field.

#### Visual Artists

To be considered for a fellowship in the visual arts, applicants must show strong evidence of achievement, with a record of at least five years of work as a professional artist, including participation in several curated group shows and at least one professional solo exhibition. Reviewers take into account originality, consistency, and ability to transcend the artistic medium.

#### For More Information

To learn more about Radcliffe fellowships, see [Current Fellows](#) and [Events](#)

To request an application by phone, please contact:

Radcliffe Institute Fellowships Office

34 Concord Avenue

Cambridge, MA, 02138

(617) 496-1324

[fellowships@radcliffe.edu](mailto:fellowships@radcliffe.edu)

Website: <http://www.radcliffe.edu/fellowships/apply/index.html>

### **Radcliffe Postdoctoral Research Support Program**

*Adolescent and Youth Research Award* offers small grants of up to \$10,000 to Postdoctoral investigators for research drawing on the center's data resources. At this time, funding is available for research using Murray Center data sets focusing on some aspect of youth and/or adolescence. **The application deadlines are October 15 and March 15**

*Studying Diverse Lives Research Award* offers two different level of grant funding to Postdoctoral researchers drawing on data within the center's Diversity Archive. **The application deadlines are October 15 and February 1.**

Website: <http://www.radcliffe.edu/murray/grants/index.htm#rrsp>

## **Reagan-Fascell Democracy Fellows Program**

The National Endowment for Democracy (NED) is pleased to announce the establishment of the **Reagan-Fascell Democracy Fellows Program**. Named in honor of the two principal founders of NED, former president Ronald Reagan and the late congressman Dante Fascell, the program enables democracy activists, practitioners, scholars, and journalists from around the world to deepen their understanding of democracy and enhance their ability to promote democratic change.

Reagan-Fascell Democracy Fellows maintain full-time residence at the International Forum for Democratic Studies (the Forum), the research arm of the Endowment, located in Washington, D.C. The Forum hosts 12 to 15 Reagan-Fascell fellows per year for periods ranging from three to ten months. The program offers two tracks, a *practitioner track* and a *scholarly track*.

### *The Practitioner Track*

The Reagan-Fascell program was established primarily to support democratic activists, human rights advocates, journalists, and others who work on the front lines of democracy promotion in emerging and aspiring democracies. The program seeks to provide experienced activists with an opportunity to reflect on their work, learn from counterparts in the United States, and reevaluate techniques for building democracy in their country of origin. Fellowships on the *practitioner track* tend to be short-term (3 to 5 months), typically culminating in a strategy memorandum, short article or op-ed and a presentation of the fellow's analysis and ideas.

### *The Scholarly Track*

Recognizing the importance of intellectual contributions to the theory and practice of democracy, the Reagan-Fascell program offers a *scholarly track* principally for professors and researchers from emerging and aspiring democracies. Accomplished scholars from established democracies are also eligible to apply. Applicants are expected to possess a Ph.D., or academic equivalent, *at the time of application*, and to have developed a rigorous research outline. During their stay at the Forum, which can range from 3 to 10 months, scholars make at least one presentation and complete a substantial piece of writing (a monograph or book) for publication.

Each fellow receives a monthly stipend for living expenses, plus health insurance and reimbursement for travel to and from Washington, D.C., at the beginning and end of the fellowship period. Fellows also receive a fully equipped office and support services, including access to the Forum's Democracy Resource Center and Library.

While in residence at the Forum, fellows have the opportunity to interact with staff and other visiting scholars and activists in the collegial environment at NED, and with the policy, media, and academic communities in Washington, D.C. Fellows are encouraged to consult with counterparts in the United States, and to participate in the many conferences and seminars held at NED and at the various universities, think tanks, and nongovernmental organizations in the metropolitan area.

*The Reagan-Fascell Democracy Fellows Program is intended primarily for citizens of new and aspiring democracies.*

*Practitioner Track:* While there are no specific degree requirements for applicants selecting the practitioner track, candidates interested in this track are expected to have substantial practical experience working on behalf of some aspect of democracy building—such as human rights advocacy, political party activism, voter education, election monitoring, journalism and press freedom, ethnic pluralism, civic education, etc.

*Scholarly Track:* Individuals interested in the scholarly track are expected to possess a Ph.D. or academic equivalent *at the time of application*, to have published in their field of expertise, and to have developed a detailed research outline for their fellowship project. While the scholarly track is intended primarily for accomplished or promising scholars from new and emerging democracies, distinguished scholars from the United States and other established democracies are also eligible to apply. Examples of eligible candidates for the scholarly track include college and university professors, scholars, analysts at research centers and “think tanks,” and independent writers.

*Please note that our fellowships are not designed to pay for professional training or to defray the cost of education for students working toward a degree.*

*Application:* [Download Information and Application Forms booklet](#)

*Deadlines:* September 15 (or, if the 15th falls on a weekend, the following Monday). Please note that the deadline for fellowships beginning October 1, 2003 (fellowship duration: 3-10 months) or March 1, 2004 (fellowship duration: 3-5 months) has passed. The competition review process is currently under way. Applicants will be notified of the outcome in February 2003. The deadline for fellowships beginning October 1, 2004 (fellowship duration: 3-10 months) or March 1, 2005 (fellowship duration: 3-5 months) is Monday, September 15, 2003.

For more information, please contact:

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## **Research into Ageing Fellowships**

**Deadline:** November 08, 2002; May 30, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Outline applications must be submitted by November 8, 2002, or May 30, 2003.

Two grants rounds are held annually, with awards being given in May and October/November each year.

**Amount Note:** Research Fellowships are tenable for up to three years and provide personal support at registrar or university pay scales and research expenses, usually not more than £15,000 per annum, for the duration of the award.

**Eligibility:** Applicants should normally have no more than ten years of postdoctoral experience and should intend to maintain a long-term interest in ageing research.

**Abstract:** Research into Ageing (RiA) is a national research charity dedicated to improving the health and quality of life of older people through the initiation, funding, and support of biomedical research. RiA supports research projects in prevention or treatment of the extensive range of degenerative diseases and conditions that cripple the ever-increasing older population.

Research into Ageing Research Fellowships provide an opportunity for postdoctoral scientists, or those who are medically qualified, to become independent researchers and to undertake research of high quality. Applicants should write their own application for support of an independent project.

In addition to the scientific merit of the proposed research, the charity will also consider the potential of the candidate to become an independent and competitive researcher, together with the quality of the environment in which the award is to be held and the support provided by the host institution to help develop the candidate's career in research.

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## **Reuters Foundation Digital Vision Fellowship Program**

Reuters Foundation Digital Vision Fellowship Program enables outstanding technologists to use their vision and talent to build information and communications technology solutions that empower developing world communities.

## [The Digital Vision Program](#)

The Reuters Foundation Digital Vision Fellowship Program is a unique initiative that brings together the academic, corporate, and NGO sectors. It gives outstanding technologists the opportunity to come to the campus of Stanford University in the heart of Silicon Valley and apply their vision and talent to address challenges facing the developing world.

### Program Highlights

**Enjoy a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.** Step out of the world of work, pressure, and deadlines and give your creativity free rein as you refocus your energies to examine technology from a different perspective: one that will challenge you to look for new ways to extend the reach and impact of information and communications technology (ICT) solutions.

**Become a visionary.** The benefits of ICT have yet to reach more than four billion people worldwide. The potential ICT holds to address the major challenges facing the developing world - such as enhancing health care, reducing poverty, improving education - has barely been explored. Digital Vision Fellows are uniquely able to bring their talent, skills, determination, and vision to this uncharted territory.

**Be an entrepreneur.** With an emphasis on building practical, sustainable prototypes and actively collaborating with local communities to implement solutions, Digital Vision fellows become entrepreneurs in the humanitarian landscape. Their talent and pioneering work have reaped rewards for their respective organizations. Now is their chance to devote their creativity and passion for innovation to a different cause -- one that will have a real impact on the daily lives of the most needy.

**Share your skills.** The Program offers a rare opportunity for creative minds to take a step back, think innovatively, and make a practical difference in the lives of people who have yet to benefit from the information revolution.

The Program was launched on October 1, 2001, with five fellows in the inaugural class.

Digital Vision fellows are located full-time on the Stanford campus for up to one academic year (minimum six months, maximum nine months), each undertaking a project that explores the utility of information and communications technologies (ICTs) in addressing developing world problems.

Projects have a practical emphasis: fellows produce proof-of-concepts by working closely with non-governmental organizations (NGOs), including [Reuters Foundation's AlertNet](#) -- an online community of 170 international disaster relief NGOs in 34 countries -- and visiting the affected areas. The flexibility of the Program makes it possible for fellows to use their creativity in determining the nature of the project and its practical aims with guidance from the Program Director.

Fellows are affiliated to the [Center for the Study of Language and Information](#) (CSLI), an interdisciplinary research faculty at Stanford, as well as [Media-X](#), a campus-wide initiative devoted to interactive computing. They have full access to academic and other resources of a world leading technology university. The Digital Vision Fellowship Program also holds regular seminars with world-class speakers from the technology, academic, and nonprofit sectors.

Each year, the Program accepts applications from technology visionaries around the world. The Program will sponsor up to 12 company-sponsored or independent fellows, and will pay for costs associated with each fellowship, including tuition fees, project equipment costs, and travel grants awarded to each fellow to make field trips to the developing world. In addition, Reuters Foundation will offer one fully-funded fellowship each year to a candidate from the developing world. This candidate will receive a stipend to cover living, housing and travel costs, in addition to the benefits listed above.

We encourage applications from visionary technologists, both from the Bay Area and around the world; and particularly those with family or close ties in areas of the developing world.

Website: <http://reuters.stanford.edu/about.html>

### **Rhodes Visiting Fellowship for Women**

St. Hilda's College  
Junior Research Fellowships

**Deadline Note:** To be announced (TBA). The next fellowship will not be held before October 2004. Further details will be available in summer, 2003.

**Amount Note:** The stipend was £13,093 in 2000-2001 and included a £1,068 per annum research allowance, plus free board and accommodation. Travel expenses to and from home at the start and end of tenure are provided.

The fellowship is normally given for two years, with renewal possible for a third.

**Eligibility:** This fellowship is for overseas women graduates from any country, and is offered alternatively to different areas, e.g. Commonwealth countries, Africa, Australia and New Zealand, and the United States.

**Abstract:** The Rhodes Visiting Fellowship for Women may be given for studies in any subject. Awardees will normally be expected to reside in Oxford, but will be granted leave of absence if their work requires it.

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## **Rockefeller Foundation**

The Rockefeller Foundation works to enrich and sustain the lives and livelihoods of poor and excluded people throughout the world.

The Foundation works through four themes, or subject areas of work— [Creativity and Culture](#), [Food Security](#), [Health Equity](#) and [Working Communities](#), and one cross-theme, [Global Inclusion](#). This cross-theme addresses issues that connect the themes and their constituencies, and identifies ways to strengthen the linkages between them. In addition, the Foundation funds a number of programs that are new or exploratory in nature. Foundation programming is managed from the Foundation's offices in New York City; Bangkok, Thailand; Nairobi, Kenya; Harare, Zimbabwe; Mexico City; and San Francisco. The Foundation is a proactive grantmaker—that is, the staff seek out opportunities that will advance the Foundation's long-term goals rather than reacting to unsolicited proposals. Foundation staff receive more than 12,000 unsolicited proposals each year, more than 75 percent of which cannot be considered because their purposes fall outside the Foundation's program guidelines.

The Foundation strongly discourages unsolicited grant proposals. We do not use an application form or standard format for proposals. Organizations seeking funding should carefully review the Foundation's grantmaking guidelines included in this publication or visit the Foundation's Web site at [www.rockfound.org](http://www.rockfound.org) to determine if their project conforms to the Foundation's strategic interests. Only then should organizations send a short letter of inquiry addressed to the director of the subject area of interest, Rockefeller Foundation, 420 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10018. Inquiries can also be sent electronically to the e-mail addresses listed after each description below.

Letters of inquiry should briefly describe the purpose of the project for which funds are being requested; the issues the proposed project will address; information about the organization; estimated budget and period for which funds are being requested; and qualification of key personnel involved in the project. Please do not send attachments. Letters of inquiry will be considered as they are received throughout the year. Inquiries take from six to eight weeks for review.

Organizations submitting inquiries that are of interest to the Foundation may be asked to submit a proposal.

It is important to note that, as a matter of policy, the Foundation does not give or lend money for personal aid to individuals or, except in rare cases, provide general institutional support, fund endowments, or contribute to building and operating funds.

### PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Theme: Creativity & Culture

Program Goal: To give full expression to the creative impulses of individuals and communities in order to enhance the well being of societies and better equip them to interact in a globalized world. Creativity & Culture's grantmaking falls into several primary areas: the Recovering and Reinventing Cultures Through Museums work supports exhibitions that broaden the definition of American art and chart the cultural contributions of non-Western populations; and the Partnerships Affirming Community Transformation (PACT) initiative supports community partnerships that use the arts and humanities to bridge difference and effect social change. Support is also given to ongoing research initiatives on cultural indicators and other means of understanding the role of culture in building community.

Support is provided to preserve and strengthen threatened traditional art forms in Southeast Asia; to help communities recover and interpret cultural materials, such as literary or religious texts and oral histories; and to examine the role that memory, history and imagination play in helping communities withstand and adapt to the stresses of poverty, exclusion and violence.

Funding is provided for efforts to fortify civil society through cultural institutions in Africa, Southeast Asia and Latin America; and for mobilizing the assets of religions to build resilient communities. Support is provided for scholarship and research networks through a competitive program of Resident Humanities Fellowships hosted by humanities centers in North and South America.

Funding offered through application to the Multi-Arts Production (MAP) fund supports the creation of new work in the performing arts (dance, music and theater). Support for independent media artists in the United States and Mexico working in documentary, video, dramatic narrative film and experimental digital design is provided through New Media fellowships awarded by nomination—not by direct application—and administered by National Video Resources, a not-for-profit organization.

The theme has also funded an exploration to create environments that encourage new media collaborations between the artistic, scientific and technological communities, and to engage humanists and social scientists to probe the meaning of the cultural expression and new forms of social organization enabled by the Internet.

More detailed information on deadlines and application procedures for the competitive programs (Museums, PACT, Humanities Fellowships, MAP and New Media Fellowships) can be accessed at the Foundation's Web site: [www.rockfound.org](http://www.rockfound.org).

Inquiries at: [creativity@rockfound.org](mailto:creativity@rockfound.org) or fax (212) 852-8438.

Theme: Food Security

Program Goal: To improve the food security of the rural poor through the generation of agricultural policies, institutions and innovations that will provide sustainable livelihoods in areas of sub-Saharan Africa, Asia and Latin America

bypassed by the Green Revolution. Food Security's grantmaking falls into three distinct areas: enabling farmer participation in setting priorities for and in conducting plant breeding, developing seed production and distribution systems, and improving agronomic practices; accelerating the discovery, development and application of new genetic and agroecological strategies for enhancing yield stability, producing more resilient crops, improving human nutrition and preventing environmental degradation; and fostering national development of policies that support resilient and profitable smallholder agriculture, and strengthen institutions that integrate the scientific and participatory approaches to innovation development.

The work of the Food Security theme is global in scope, but has a special emphasis on sub-Saharan Africa and South and Southeast Asia. Most grants are made to organizations in these regions. Training of national scientists from these regions can be included in research grants, and postdoctoral fellowships may be awarded to candidates nominated by grantee institutions.

Inquiries at: [food@rockfound.org](mailto:food@rockfound.org) or fax (212) 852-8442, or refer to the Foundation Web site.

Theme: Health Equity

Program Goal: To advance global health equity by pursuing the reduction of avoidable and unfair differences in the health status of populations.

Health Equity's grantmaking falls into the following areas: acceleration of product development for neglected diseases afflicting the poor, including vaccines for children's diseases and for AIDS, microbicides to prevent sexually transmitted infections, and medicines for malaria and tuberculosis; training of public-health professionals and focused research partnerships related to disease surveillance and HIV/AIDS care; strengthening health-equity analysis, identifying best practices and tools for equitable health-sector reform, and promoting greater institutional responsiveness and accountability to the concerns of the poor in the context of new and emerging health problems such as tobacco-related illness; and continued support for women's reproductive and sexual-health projects.

The work of the Health Equity theme is global in focus, but has special emphasis on sub-Saharan Africa and South and Southeast Asia. Health Equity does not support fellowships or scholarships for higher education.

Inquiries at: [health@rockfound.org](mailto:health@rockfound.org) or fax (212) 852-8279, or refer to the Foundation Web site.

Theme: Working Communities

Program Goal: To transform poor urban neighborhoods into working communities—safe, healthy and effective neighborhoods—by increasing the amount and quality of available employment, improving the quality of all urban schools, and addressing inequities based on race, ethnicity, nationality and language; to increase the influence and voice of poor and excluded people in political decisions that affect their lives; and to expand public discourse to address problems of poverty, inequality and inequity.

Working Communities supports work in the following areas: research on the consequences of economic, technological and demographic trends on the structure

of work, and their impact on the least skilled; and into the structural components of racial and ethnic exclusion and their implications for democracy.

National initiatives, such as the National Community Development Initiative, which support community-development corporations, or city-specific initiatives, to increase the scale and impact of reform in poor school districts. Direct funding is provided to selected work- force development providers that serve very poor communities. Projects are funded by invitation only.

Well-designed and rigorously evaluated models to improve: employment access and advancement opportunities; the quality of education for poor and limited English-speaking children; and innovative locally based projects that increase voice and participation of the poor and excluded so as to address racial and ethnic exclusion. Projects are funded by invitation only.

Inquiries at: [work@rockfound.org](mailto:work@rockfound.org) or fax (212) 852-8273, or refer to the Foundation Web site.

#### Cross-theme: Global Inclusion

Program Goal: To help broaden the benefits and reduce the negative impacts of globalization on vulnerable communities, families and individuals around the world.

Global Inclusion (GI) makes connections among the four themes, regional offices and special programs. This cross-theme tackles issues that connect the themes and their constituencies, and identifies ways to strengthen the linkages between them.

This cross-theme seeks to frame issues and focus public will and resources on critical world issues. Grantmaking is designed to encourage a more open and productive atmosphere in current global debates and to enhance the participation and voice of developing-country actors in policymaking.

GI makes grants according to the following lines of work: transnational communities; peace, justice and security; intellectual-property rights; trade and development; labor conditions globally; and science in the service of the poor. Global Inclusion also serves as the Foundation's internal think tank, analyzing policy issues and global trends. It makes grants and supports these tasks. Funds are limited and will be primarily directed by Foundation staff. Large institutional grants will not be considered. Global Inclusion does not support educational fellowships. Inquiries at: [global@rockfound.org](mailto:global@rockfound.org) or fax (212) 852-8461, or refer to the Foundation Web site.

#### Regional Program

Special Program/Assets and Capacities

##### AFRICA REGIONAL PROGRAM

*Goal:* To contribute to the revitalization of the African continent by building the required human and institutional capacity and by providing critical information that will promote effective policies and programs to improve the lives and livelihoods of the poor.

Grantmaking supports work in three areas: activities aimed at closing the gender gap in school access and achievement, and at enhancing the effectiveness of school systems in countries where universal primary education is becoming a reality. The

program also supports efforts to improve the understanding of the challenges facing higher education in Africa and at helping universities become more relevant to the development of the continent.

Research is funded that informs policy development, program design and resource allocation by providing local-level, multifaceted information on food, health, work and other human conditions that is needed to understand and address the root causes of poverty. The Africa Regional Program is also engaged in a number of explorations that are not open to direct application, including an effort to address the broader contextual and developmental issues that shape the contribution of capacity building in the areas of food, health, culture and work. Staff located at the Foundation's Africa offices also makes grants in the subject areas in which they have special competence. The Africa Regional Program does not support fellowships or scholarships for higher education.

Inquiries at: [info@rockfound.or.ke](mailto:info@rockfound.or.ke) or fax +254 (2) 218 840, or refer to the Foundation Web site.

#### COMMUNICATION FOR SOCIAL CHANGE

*Goal:* To enhance the effectiveness of development initiatives that focus on improving the lives of poor and excluded people by fostering innovative, sustainable and empowering communication approaches aimed at engendering positive social change.

CFSC supports funding in three areas: developing new methods for implementation, analysis and dissemination of communication as a tool for development and social change especially as it affects the work of the Foundation and its grantees; researching and testing the effectiveness of communication for social change in addressing critical issues faced by poor communities and on developing innovative evaluation measures and methodologies; and strengthening the capacity of local media organizations and community-based communication professionals, primarily within developing countries, to better serve as tools by which poor and excluded people can participate in addressing their own development challenges.

Inquiries at: [csc@rockfound.org](mailto:csc@rockfound.org) or fax (212) 852-8441, or refer to the Foundation Website.

Website: <http://www.rockfound.org/display.asp?context=2&sectiontypeid=33&Preview=0&ARCurrent=1b> site.

#### **Rotary International Ambassadorial Scholarships**

The Rotary Foundation's oldest and best-known program is Ambassadorial Scholarships. Since 1947 more than 30,000 men and women from 100 nations have studied abroad under its auspices. Today it is the world's largest privately funded international scholarships program. More than 1,100 scholarships were awarded for study in 2002-03. Through grants totaling approximately US\$26 million, recipients from some 69 countries studied in more than 64 nations.

The purpose of the Ambassadorial Scholarships program is to further international understanding and friendly relations among people of different countries. The

program sponsors several types of scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students as well as for qualified professionals pursuing vocational studies. While abroad, scholars serve as ambassadors of goodwill to the people of the host country and give presentations about their homelands to Rotary clubs and other groups. Upon returning home, scholars share with Rotarians and others the experiences that led to greater understanding of their host countries.

Generous contributions from Rotarians worldwide represent continued faith that the students who are Ambassadorial Scholars today will be tomorrow's community and world leaders.

For more information about the Ambassadorial Scholarships program, visit the appropriate section:

Website:

[http://www.rotary.org/foundation/educational/amb\\_scho/prospect/index.htm](http://www.rotary.org/foundation/educational/amb_scho/prospect/index.htm)

### **The Russell Sage Foundation**

The Russell Sage Foundation has established a center where Visiting Scholars can pursue their writing and research. Each year, the Russell Sage Foundation invites a number of scholars to its New York headquarters to investigate topics in social and behavioral sciences. The Foundation particularly welcomes groups of scholars who wish to collaborate on a specific project during their residence at Russell Sage. While Visiting Scholars typically work on projects related to the Foundation's current programs, a number of scholars whose research falls outside the Foundation's active programs also participate.

These research projects, and other work conducted by the Visiting Scholars, constitute an important part of the Russell Sage Foundation's ongoing effort to analyze the shifting nature of social and economic life in the United States.

#### *Applying as a [Visiting Scholar](#)*

A brief application form for Visiting Scholar positions can be obtained by writing the Foundation. Visiting Scholar applications should include a brief description of the project to be undertaken in residence at the Foundation and a current curriculum vitae. Visiting Scholar applications must be received by November 15th to be considered for the subsequent year beginning September 1.

[Download application in PDF format](#)

Website: [http://www.russellsage.org/about/how\\_to\\_apply.htm](http://www.russellsage.org/about/how_to_apply.htm)

### **Scholars at Risk Network**

Fellowships for threatened scholars via the **Scholars at Risk Network** and the **Institute of International Education's Scholar Rescue Fund**. We ask for your help in circulating it to your association's members and inviting them to nominate suitable candidates. We also invite their interest in hosting fellowship recipients at their institutions. For more information, visit <http://scholarsatrisk.uchicago.edu>, or e-mail [rquinn@uchicago.edu](mailto:rquinn@uchicago.edu). Deadlines: 15 September, 1 December, 1 April [rolling].

Website: <http://scholarsatrisk.uchicago.edu>

**Semiotics of the Encounter: Representations of Authenticity & Identity Construction Amongst the San & Zulu in Negotiations with Tourists and Other Observers: Post-Doctoral Position for 2002/2003**

Graduate Programme in Cultural and Media Studies (CMS), University of Natal, Durban. *Post-Doctoral Position for 2002/2003 - Semiotics of the Encounter: Representations of Authenticity & Identity Construction Amongst the San & Zulu in Negotiations with Tourists and Other Observers*. CMS has been awarded a post-doctoral fellowship by the National Research Foundation for the years 2002 and 2003 to work on the above project. CMS invites applications from suitably qualified researchers who hold a recently completed Ph.D. Applicants should have expertise in semiotic and field research methods, visual anthropology and/or anthropology, and cultural and media studies. Expertise in tourism, development and conservation studies will be added recommendations. The project requires knowledge of one or more of the following languages English, Afrikaans, Nama, any of the !Kung languages, Tswana and Zulu. Documentary video production experience will be an added recommendation. The incumbent will work with a dynamic team of academic staff and graduate students in a transdisciplinary research environment. The post-doctoral fellow will be expected to publish individually and contribute to team-authored articles in refereed journals and books, to assist in editing, with supervision of MA and Ph.D dissertations, and to tutor in CMS's Visual Anthropology/ Documentary Film course offered at Hons/MA levels. The incumbent will also be expected to mentor graduate students, to contribute to the life and work of CMS more generally, and to work with the project's San and Zulu partners in the field itself. The post is tenable on the Durban campus. The budget for the position is R40 000 per year. In addition, all approved research costs will be covered by the project. The incumbent must be in possession of a driver's licence and be prepared to travel the Kalahari (Northern Cape, Botswana, Namibia), Zululand, the North West and Western Cape being the main destinations. More details on the project can be obtained from the CMS Web Site [www.und.ac.za/und/ccms](http://www.und.ac.za/und/ccms). Go to the Anthropology hyperlink. Please send your full CV and application to Professor Keyan Tomaselli, Director, Graduate Programme in Cultural and Media Studies, University of Natal, Durban 4041, South Africa. Fax (031) 260-1519. Phone 260-2505. Or to e-mail [tomasell@nu.ac.za](mailto:tomasell@nu.ac.za). Deadline for submission of applications December 20, 2002, earlier if possible: Keyan G. Tomaselli, Professor and Director, Graduate Programme In Cultural and Media Studies, University of Natal, Durban 4041, South Africa; Tel +31 260 2505, Fax +31 260 1519; e-mail [tomasell@nu.ac.za](mailto:tomasell@nu.ac.za).

Website: <http://www.und.ac.za/und/ccms>

### **Sexuality Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Program**

The Social Science Research Council announces the 2003 competition of the Sexuality Research Fellowship Program, providing postdoctoral support for social and behavioral research on sexuality conducted in the United States. The Ford Foundation provides funds.

Fellowship Program seeks to cultivate new generations of scholars who address the complexity and contextual nature of human sexuality and explore links across disciplines, methods, and issues. Applicants are encouraged to submit research proposals that seek to investigate a wide range of sexuality topics as conceptualized by their respective disciplines. Designed to provide training experience, only joint Fellowship applications will be considered—from the applicant and a research advisor/associate who will be required to function in a mentoring capacity. The postdoctoral award will support the continuing development of a doctoral degree recipient; these Fellows may already have conducted research in the field of human sexuality or may be newly committing themselves to using their more general training to address sexuality issues.

The competition is open to scholars who hold the Ph.D. or its equivalent in a social or behavioral science from a state or nationally accredited university in the United States, or an equivalent Ph.D. degree from an accredited foreign university. The applicant may be a recent recipient of the doctorate or more advanced in the postdoctoral research process. However, postdoctoral candidates who have conducted research on sexuality for more than 8 years or who have obtained a Ph.D. degree more than 8 years ago, will not be considered. Persons conducting their research in nonacademic settings are welcome to apply.

Fellowship support will be provided for a minimum of 12 and up to 24 continuous months in the amount of \$38,000 to cover direct research costs, matriculation fees, and living expenses. Either 1 year or 2 year applications will be considered for postdoctoral candidates.

Application Deadline: December 2002

For more information, contact:  
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Website: [www.ssrc.org](http://www.ssrc.org)

### **Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute (STRI): Three-year Postdoctoral Fellowships in Tropical Biology**

To support research in ecology, anthropology, paleontology, evolution, behavior and physiology of tropical plants or animals. Research should be based at one of STRI facilities, but proposals that include comparative research on other tropical countries will be considered. **Deadline** - January 15, 2003.

### *Short-Term Fellowships at the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute*

The Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute (STRI) offers short-term fellowships to enable selected candidates to work in the tropics and explore research possibilities at STRI. Fellowships are primarily for graduate students but awards are made occasionally to undergraduate and postdoctoral candidates.

### **For information and application procedures, write to:**

Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute  
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Website: [www.stri.org](http://www.stri.org)

### **South Africa Fellowship**

The Provost South African Fellowship Award is a two-year non-renewable and non-extendable fellowship awarded on a competitive basis to graduate students with citizenry in South Africa. It covers tuition and fees, a living stipend, a summer grant, and university-funded health insurance for the student for the two academic years.

Citizens of South African countries accepted to Cornell for graduate study in any of the eleven fields of study at Cornell, except the MBA, the DVM and any field related to Law, are eligible for the award. Good candidates from South Africa are encouraged to apply for the fellowship award.

Africans with permanent residency or citizenship outside South Africa are not eligible.

In order to get the fellowship, the applicant must first apply and get admitted to his or her field of study at Cornell. Applicants should enclose a statement of purpose indicating that they wish to be considered for funding from the Provost South African Fellowship Fund. The Field Admission Committee, who may nominate the applicant to the Graduate School for the fellowship, will review their application.

Applications forms for admission to Cornell may be obtained directly from the Cornell Graduate School or online at <http://www.gradschool.cornell.edu/>

Website: [http://www.einaudi.cornell.edu/Africa/funding/south\\_africa.asp](http://www.einaudi.cornell.edu/Africa/funding/south_africa.asp)

### **The South African Institute of International Affairs: Barratt Rotary Award**

This Fellowship is made annually as funds permit. The award is offered to a deserving researcher, usually under the age of 30, for a period of four months. The award usually covers the following costs:

- Basic student accommodation in Johannesburg
  - A monthly stipend
  - Limited local travel
  - A return economy class air ticket to Johannesburg from the place of origin
- Personal insurance and medical aid are the responsibility of the Fellow.

The Barratt Rotary Fellow is expected to play a full part in the day-to-day affairs of the Institute. This can include editing, research and general administrative tasks. The Fellow must also pursue original research on South Africa or Southern African issues in a field of his/her choice. This may be academically inclined, but could reflect the particular skills of the Fellow. This must be written up into a 20,000 word monograph before the conclusion of the Fellowship term. From time to time the Fellow may be asked to address various branches of SAIIA and Rotary on topics related to the research being undertaken.

Applications must include two copies of a full CV with 3 references, and a basic research proposal outlining the project to be undertaken during the course of the Fellowship.

*Applicants for the Barratt Rotary Fellowship should NOT be South African citizens.*

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### **The South African Institute of International Affairs: Bradlow Fellowship**

The Bradlow Fellowship enables top international scholars to spend up to six months at Jan Smuts House, researching an agreed topic. The stipend covers a return (economy-class) airfare from the place of residence, as well as living expenses. One Fellowship is awarded annually. Expressions of interest addressed to the Director of Studies should include a short (1,000 word) research proposal and a full CV.

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### **The South African Institute of International Affairs: SAIIA's Visiting Junior Researcher Facility**

The South African Institute of International Affairs considers, from time to time, applications from suitably qualified junior researchers to do research at Jan Smuts House. The award, which is available for a period of not less than two months and not more than three months, enables researchers to work at Jan Smuts House on a topic for publication by the Institute. The Institute offers the experience of working in an internationally prestigious foreign policy research institution and assistance in booking accommodation (either through the University of the Witwatersrand or at other modest venues). It is understood that the researcher will spend no more than two weeks on travel in South Africa. Transport and all living expenses (including telephone and fax calls) are the responsibility of the applicant.

Researchers will draw up a schedule of work in consultation with the Director of Studies and are expected to produce their agreed upon research output prior to departure and to involve themselves in as many Institute activities as possible.

In order to be considered, applications should include a full CV, a one-page Research Proposal, proposed dates and two contactable referees.

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### **Stanford University History Department Postdoctoral Fellowship**

The **Stanford University history department** invites applications for a one-year postdoctoral fellowship starting in the fall of 2003. The fellowship will involve assisting and participating in a Mellon-Sawyer seminar entitled "**Settlement, Race, and Sovereignty in North America, South Africa, and Israel/Palestine**" as well as teaching one class. The fellowship will follow Stanford guidelines in regard to salary and provide benefits. Please send a letter of application, c.v. and three letters of reference to the address below. Deadline for applications will be February 15, 2003. Prof. Joel Beinin, Department of History, Stanford University, Stanford, CA 94305-2024

Website: <http://history.stanford.edu>.

### **Takemi Program in International Health Fellowships at the Harvard School of Public Health**

The Takemi Program seeks applications for a limited number of fellow-ships for research and advanced training on critical issues of international health, especially those relating to developing countries. This interdisciplinary program focuses primarily on mobilizing, allocating, and managing scarce resources to improve health, and creating sound strategies for disease control and health promotion. To address these issues, the Program brings together at Harvard a small group of future leaders from around the world and from diverse disciplines. Through its fellowships for highly qualified individuals the Takemi Program seeks to contribute to institutional development and to improvement of national health policy as well as to the advancement of knowledge.

The Program is named for the late Dr. Taro Takemi, the distinguished physician-scientist, who served for more than 25 years as President of the Japan Medical Association. Dr. Takemi also worked energetically to encourage people from many nations to address common issues, particularly the development and allocation of resources for health improvement.

The Takemi Program has three major objectives:

1. to create better methods for mobilizing and using health resources in both rich and poor countries;
2. to promote cooperative research and comparative analysis of health policies and programs in different countries, including the promotion of Essential National Health Research;
3. to contribute to individual and institutional development by bringing together leading health professionals and scholars from many nations for research and training.

If you are interested in applying, please visit our web site listed below for a downloadable application form, requirements, and additional information. The application deadline for September 2003 admission is Feb. 1, 2003.

Contact: Program Coordinator Takemi Program in International Health Harvard School of Public Health 665 Huntington Avenue Boston, MA 02115, USA Tel: +1-617-432-0686 Fax: +1-617-432-1251  
E-mail: [takemi@hsph.harvard.edu](mailto:takemi@hsph.harvard.edu)

Website: <http://www.hsph.harvard.edu/takemi>

### **UNESCO-ICSU-TWAS Short-term Fellowship Programme in Basic Sciences**

The UNESCO-ICSU-TWAS Short-Term Fellowship Programme was established in 1990 and aims at promoting capacity-building through international co-operation in the basic sciences. Specifically, it will enable scientists, particularly young scientists, from developing countries, Central Europe and Eastern Europe, to carry out short-term studies in well-established scientific centers and to learn and use techniques not accessible to them in their own country. Fellowships will not be awarded to attend scientific meetings or training courses.

The Programme will now be conducted within the framework of follow-up to the World Conference on Science (WCS) organized jointly by UNESCO and ICSU in Budapest, Hungary, from 26 June to 1 July 1999, at which the importance of training young scientists as a contribution to national development was underscored.

To be eligible for a UNESCO-ICSU-TWAS short-term fellowship in the basic sciences, a candidate has to: be already engaged in research in the basic sciences (i.e. mathematics, physics, chemistry, biology or geology); return to his/her country of origin (i.e. the country in which the candidate is normally considered to be resident) upon termination of his/her fellowship so that his/her home country may benefit from his/her broadened knowledge; produce evidence that the theoretical and practical knowledge or training to be acquired in the foreign laboratory will be beneficial to his/her scientific development.

All applications have to be accompanied by a letter of recommendation from someone familiar with the candidate's work **and** a letter of acceptance from the receiving institute (i.e. the institute where the candidate will work during the time he/she is supported by a UNESCO/ICSU/TWAS short-term fellowship in the basic sciences). With the letter of acceptance, the receiving institute is confirming its willingness to provide the training required by the candidate. It is the responsibility of the receiving institute to obtain full particulars on the candidate before doing so.

Only a limited number of fellowships are available. Those applications not supported by a letter of recommendation from someone familiar with the candidate's work and a letter of acceptance from the receiving institute will therefore be disqualified.

A fellowship will be awarded to scientists wishing to spend 1-3 months in a scientific laboratory abroad. It will consist of a lump sum designed to either partially or fully cover the most economic air/railway ticket, a modest monthly subsistence allowance, or both. The funds will be provided by means of a contract established by UNESCO. Coverage for life, accident or health insurance will be the personal responsibility of the individual or the receiving institute. Resources from TWAS will be used exclusively for scientists from developing countries.

It is normally expected that the institute of origin or the host institute will contribute to defray the rest of the expenses incurred by the fellowship holder.

All applications should be made on the application form specially prepared for this purpose, which can be downloaded (see links at end of this page).

#### Reviewing of Applications

The UNESCO/ICSU/TWAS Short-Term Fellowship Committee will review the applications received. Selection will be based on the following criteria: scientific excellence of the applicant; scientific justifiability of the proposed project (priority will be given to those applications which cannot be considered under other existing well-known fellowship programmes);

the receiving institute's degree of specialization in the applicant's proposed field of research or training; commitment of financial resources the applicant has secured from the institute of origin and host institute; age of the applicant (priority will be given to scientists below the age of 30); geographical distribution (priority will be given to applicants from developing, Central European and Eastern European countries).

As soon as possible after the end of the visit, the fellowship holder is required to submit a report on the work accomplished to the UNESCO-ICSU-TWAS Short-Term Fellowship Committee (see address above). This report should not exceed 300 words. It should be prepared on the form specially designed for this purpose and should be co-signed by the trainee and his/her tutor. The report form is available for download (see below).

In any publication resulting from the stay abroad, it should be stated that (one of) the author(s) held a UNESCO/ICSU/TWAS Short-Term Fellowship in the Basic Sciences. The year in which the fellowship was held should be mentioned, as should the address of the institute of origin. One reprint should be sent to the UNESCO-ICSU-TWAS Short-Term Fellowship Committee.

#### Forms

The application form and the report form are available as MS Word documents for download here:

 [Application Form](#)  [Report Form](#)

or on paper from:

UNESCO, 1 rue Miollis, 75732 Paris Cedex 15, France -- Phone: +33 1 4568-3917, Fax: +33 1 4568-5818; E-mail: [y.nur@unesco.org](mailto:y.nur@unesco.org)

ICSU, 51 Boulevard de Montmorency, 75016 Paris, France -- Phone: (+33 1) 4525-0329; Fax: (+33 1) 4288-9431; Telex: 645554 F; E-mail: [icsu@paris7.jussieu.fr](mailto:icsu@paris7.jussieu.fr)

TWAS, c/o ICTP, Strada Costiera 11, 34014 Trieste, Italy -- Phone: +39 040 2240-387; Fax: +39 040 224559; E-mail: [info@twas.org](mailto:info@twas.org)

Completed applications should be received by **31 December 2002** by:

UNESCO-ICSU-TWAS Short-Term Fellowships

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## **Universite de Montreal Bourse Postdoctorale CICC-FCAR**

Centre International de Criminologie Comparée (CICC)

**Deadline:** June 30, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Anticipated deadline. The record will be updated when new program information becomes available.

**Amount:** \$25,000

**Amount Note:** The CICC offers two postdoctoral grants for CDN \$25,000 for one year. The postdoctoral training period will take place January to December 2003.

**Eligibility:** Applicants should have a Ph.D. from within the past three years, in a field related to criminology or in some way relevant, especially the fields of sociology, social work, psychology, psychiatry, law, history, anthropology, statistics as applied to social sciences, and criminalism.

Applicants must know French and English.

Applicants must be sponsored by a member of CICC who formally agrees to oversee the applicant's training in advanced research.

**Abstract:** The Université de Montréal's Centre International de Criminologie Comparée (CICC) offers one-year postdoctoral fellowships for work in one or more of the following areas:

- criminology and homeland security
- sexual delinquency
- history of penal control
- youth in difficulty
- native minorities in the penal system
- drug addiction
- victimology and reparative justice

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Secrétaire

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Website: <http://www.cicc.umontreal.ca/boursepdoc2000.html>

## **University of Cambridge Research Fellowship in Science, Mathematics or Engineering**

**Deadline:** February 01, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Application forms and letters of reference must be received by the deadline date.

In mid-February 2003, short-listed candidates will be invited to submit copies of a dissertation or other written work by March 1, 2003. Short-listed candidates will be interviewed in April 2003.

**Amount Note:** The research fellowship is tenable for three years from October 1, 2003.

Stipends from March 2002, for those without financial support from other sources, are £14,617 for resident post-Ph.D. research fellows (point 3 on the university academic salary scale), and £12,662 for resident pre-Ph.D. research fellows. Stipendiary research fellows may join the Universities Superannuation Scheme. If the salary of a non-stipendiary fellow falls below that of a stipendiary fellow, the college will underwrite the difference for the full three-year period of the fellowship.

Research fellows (stipendiary and non-stipendiary) are entitled to residence in the college free of charge, and to free meals (all meals if resident, and seven per week if non-resident). Research fellows living out of college, whether stipendiary or non-stipendiary, will receive a non-pensionable supplement of approximately £3,000 per annum. If non-resident they are entitled to the use of a study, free of charge, in college.

Non-stipendiary and stipendiary research fellows may apply for additional support towards certain research, information technologies, and conference expenses. Fellows are also eligible for assistance with childcare costs.

Research fellows are permitted to undertake up to six hours a week of teaching during full term, with remuneration at standard supervision rates.

**Eligibility:** Applications are invited from women graduates of any university.

There is no age limit, but the research fellowships are intended to support women with high potential, at an early stage of their academic careers, and will normally be awarded to those who have recently submitted or are near to submitting their Ph.D. or who have no more than a few years of full-time postdoctoral research experience.

**Abstract:** Applications are invited from women university graduates for a research fellowship in science, mathematics, or engineering to be held at Newnham College, Cambridge. The fellowship is available on a stipendiary or nonstipendiary basis, and it is possible to move from one basis to the other during the period of the fellowship.

Research fellows have freedom to develop their own research but normally choose to work within a department of the University of Cambridge, where they are usually welcome; candidates should make such arrangements themselves. Such candidates should also establish whether research facilities and expenses would be provided.

Research fellows wishing to spend significant research time outside Cambridge may request permission from the college council.

**Contact:**

The Principal  
Newnham College  
Sidgwick Avenue  
Cambridge, CB3 9DF  
United Kingdom  
Tel: +44 (0) 1223-335700  
Fax: +44 (0) 1223-335797  
Email: [principals.sec@newn.cam.ac.uk](mailto:principals.sec@newn.cam.ac.uk)

**University of Cape Town Centre for African Studies: Harry Oppenheimer Institute**

APPLICATION FOR A VISITING SCHOLARSHIP

GUIDELINES

The Harry Oppenheimer Institute for African Studies funds an annual scholarship for Scholars who are working from within the African Continent beyond South Africa's borders in the broad area of African Studies.

CONDITION OF THE AWARD

Tenure: 3-month minimum stay during teaching term

Value: R10, 000 per month

Eligible Applicant: Have a demonstrable track record in research and writing

Have obtained a qualification from a tertiary level institution

Apply now or before final closing date of 15 November 2002. Successful applicant will be asked to contribute seminars to students and staff.

Contact:

3.07 Oppenheimer Institute

Tel: (021) 650 4034

Fax: (021) 689 7560

E-mail: [ferozah@humanities.uct.ac.za](mailto:ferozah@humanities.uct.ac.za)

Website: [http://www.uct.ac.za/depts/cas/docs/hoi\\_visitingsch.doc](http://www.uct.ac.za/depts/cas/docs/hoi_visitingsch.doc)

## **University of Cape Town Postdoctoral Research Fellowships**

**Deadline:** July 30, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Anticipated deadline. The record will be updated when new program information becomes available.

The closing date for receipt of applications by departments is July 30 annually. Department heads are then requested to ensure that applications received are submitted to the Department of Research Development.

Any application received directly by the Postgraduate Funding Office will be forwarded to what appears to be the most relevant host department, but applicants are urged to contact the appropriate head of department in the first instance if at all possible.

**Amount Note:** The fellowships are tenable for a maximum of 12 months. The stipend is fixed at R85,000 for the full academic year, which includes any relocation expenses. Subject to approval from the SARS, stipends attached to the fellowships are exempt from income tax and are payable half yearly in advance. The fellowships carry no fringe benefits and no direct services to the university are expected from the candidates.

**Eligibility:** South African and foreign candidates are eligible, but applications from doctoral students or doctoral graduates from UCT will not be considered. Preference will be given to recently qualified applicants who are not yet in academic or research posts and who have not previously held postdoctoral appointments.

Applications from other African countries and from women will be given preference.

**Abstract:** The University of Cape Town (UCT), Department of Research Development, Postgraduate Funding Office, invites applications for a limited number of Postdoctoral Research Fellowships to be taken up at the university.

There is no restriction on any particular discipline or field of research. It is crucial that applicants' research interests and faculty needs are in line with those of the host department.

**Contact:**

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Postgraduate Funding Office  
Department of Research Development  
University of Cape Town  
Private Bag  
Rondebosch 7701  
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Email: [pgasvd@bremner.uct.ac.za](mailto:pgasvd@bremner.uct.ac.za)

## **University of Cape Town: Postgraduate Scholarships**

### THE SWISS AFRICA RESEARCH AWARD

#### Guidelines

Tenure: 1 year (renewable on satisfactory progress)

Value: R33,000.00

Level: Masters Degree and Ph.D.

The Carl Schlettwein Stiftung of Basle, Switzerland has made funds available for an award to a Masters or Ph.D. student.

The award will be made to a black student male or female, registered at UCT. Preferably a Namibian National, or thereafter to a black female or male South African National. All candidates should show promise of a future career in academe or research. The emphasis of the research should be on an historical study of Southern Africa, preferably Namibia.

The awards shall be payable in two installments. The second installment shall be paid on receipt of a satisfactory progress report, duly endorsed by the Student's Supervisor. A final progress report shall be submitted at the end of the year /tenure. The recipient of the award shall undertake to acknowledge this funding by means of

- i) a personal letter of thanks to the donor
- ii) sending a copy of the thesis produced to the donor, and
- iii) acknowledgement of the donor and using the address of UCT in any publication, which may arise from the study.

The award will be made by the Scholarships Committee, on the recommendation of the Department of History and the Centre for African Studies. No other award may be held concurrently with this award, unless prior permission has been granted by the Scholarships Committee.

To apply please submit the following information:

- A Research Proposal
- A Curriculum Vitae
- 2 referees reports
- The Swiss Africa Application Form
- An academic transcript.

The closing date for applications is Friday, 15 November 2002. Applications can be e-mailed to [Ferozah@humanities.uct.ac.za](mailto:Ferozah@humanities.uct.ac.za)

Website: <http://www.uct.ac.za/depts/cas/awards.html>

### **University of Chicago Human Rights Program Activity Fellowship**

Two residential fellowships from leading human rights activists in or outside of the US intended as a sabbatical period to reflect on experiences. 3-6 months duration.

Contact & Info: Contact [human-rights@uchicago.edu](mailto:human-rights@uchicago.edu) or visit their web site.

Website: [humanities.uchicago.edu/cis/hr](http://humanities.uchicago.edu/cis/hr)

### **The University of Western Australia: W. Alton Jones Foundation**

The goals of the W. Alton Jones Foundation are: to build a sustainable world by developing new ways for humanity to interact sustainably with the planet's ecological systems and, and to build a secure world by eliminating the possibility of nuclear war and by providing alternative methods of resolving conflicts and promoting security. The Foundation has two main programs:

*The Secure World program*, seeks to build a secure world, free from the nuclear threat, by promoting common security and strategies related to how nations can structure their relationships without resorting to nuclear weapons; devising and promoting policy options to control and eventually eliminate existing nuclear arsenals and fissile materials, and to stem their proliferation; preventing the massive release of radioactive material into the environment; and assessing and publicizing the full costs of being a nuclear-weapon state.

*The Sustainable World program*, which supports efforts to ensure that human activities do not erode the Earth's capacity to support living organisms by focusing on four inter-related themes: maintaining biological diversity; creating economic incentives and policies that will encourage environmentally sound development; developing energy resources that protect the climate; and avoiding contamination that undermines children's health.

Initial approaches for funding should be made via a Letter of Inquiry (2 pages max) describing the proposed project, its relevance to the goals of the Foundation, and the level of funding required. The Foundation can be approached for funding at any time of year. Prospective applicants should also refer to the UWA internal guidelines [Electronic Grants Guide](#).

Further information, including detailed guidelines and lists of previous grants awarded, is available on the Foundation's website:

Website: <http://www.wajones.org/grants>

### **University of Wisconsin-Madison African Studies Program Opportunities in African Studies: Post-Graduate and Faculty Fellowships**

Go to website: <http://polyglot.lss.wisc.edu/afrst/fellowpg.html>

## **Use of Fertility Enhancing Food, Forage and Cover Crops in Sustainably Managed Agroecosystems: The Bentley Fellowship**

This Fellowship provides assistance to Canadian or developing country students or researchers with a university degree in Agriculture, Forestry or Biology, who wish to undertake post-graduate applied on-farm research in a developing country with cooperating farmers. Projects should evaluate and/or promote the use of fertility enhancing plants such as leguminous forages, cover crops and grain legumes in subsistence tropical agriculture. The intent is to find innovative ways to enhance food security, improve farmers' livelihoods, and restore or maintain high levels of soil fertility. The research should evaluate the beneficial roles of these plants in farming systems that will lead to: sustainable and increased gross production from the land, production of more and improved animal feed, soil and water conservation, improved weed control, and/or biological fixation of nitrogen. Projects planned and executed in cooperation with an International Agricultural Research Centre or with a developing country institution involved in agricultural research and training and which has an applied on-farm orientation, will receive preferential consideration. The candidate's host research institution will be expected to certify that the research protocol has been reviewed by a qualified statistician and that it meets an internationally high standard in terms of experimental and survey designs used. The proposal must demonstrate that the research results have the potential to improve the lives of farming households and to preserve or enhance the capacity of their lands to sustain agriculture.

The value of the award is \$20,000 Canadian per year. Award tenure corresponds to the period of field research. In general, this will be no less than four months and not more than twelve months. The award may be renewable upon application. The recipients of the award are chosen by a selection committee.

The purpose of the fellowship is to promote participation of small farmers and sustainability in the local environments. The design of the research proposal should address the following elements:

### Participatory Research:

- evidence that a large part, or all of the research will be carried out on the farms of resource poor or small holder farmers. The award will not support research carried out on the farms of large land holders or on research stations.
- evidence that farmers will actively participate in the experimentation, hence the importance of simple on-farm experimental designs with appropriate controls to determine the practicality and profitability of introducing a leguminous crop in their cropping system.

The applicant must show awareness of the imperative need for him/her to have assured/confirmed resources/methods of making the frequent trips from the "home base" to the villages of his/her cooperating farmers. This is essential for successful execution of on-farm tests.

An explanation of how the research data obtained are expected to improve the economic benefits to farmers from introducing leguminous plants in their cropping systems.

Sustainability:

- evidence that the researcher has, or will be supported by local institutions that have a good working relationship with target communities, farmers and/or extension agencies.

The applicant must indicate that he/she will seek cooperation/help/support of the local "extension officers" for the identification of individual farmers who are likely to be suitable/good cooperators.

The applicant must show awareness of the desirability of having continuing contact with and help from the local extension officers throughout the duration of the experiments.

A bequest from Helen S. and C. Fred Bentley provided the initial capital for this Fellowship program. Members of the public who wish to support the Bentleys' vision may send contributions to the Fellowship program at the address given on the next page. Such donations will be tax deductible. As its contribution, IDRC provides the administration of the Fellowship at no cost to the program. IDRC will also add to the program fund when necessary.

Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of Canada or citizens of a developing country who are either: registered in a Canadian university or a recognized university in a developing country in Agriculture, Forestry or Biology, for a M.Sc. or Ph.D degree; or recent recipients of a Ph.D degree in Agriculture, Forestry or Biology wishing to do Post-Doctoral applied research in a developing country; or qualified applied researchers with a degree in Agriculture, Forestry or Biology working outside of universities, in agricultural extension, education or production.

Deadline for applications:

October 2nd, 2002. Complete applications must be received at the Centre by the deadline. Incomplete applications will NOT be considered for the competition. The award will be announced by mid-December, 2002. Tenure must be undertaken by December of the following year.

Applicants are encouraged to contact member institutions of The Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research (CGIAR) (<http://www.cgiar.org>) to explore the possibility of conducting their research in conjunction with one of the member institutions.

Application forms are available from the Deans of Graduate Studies and Faculties of Agriculture in Canadian universities or from the following address at IDRC:

The Bentley Fellowship

Centre Training and Awards Program

International Development Research Centre

250 Albert Street, Ottawa, Ontario K1P 6M1

P.O. Box 8500, Ottawa, Ontario K1G 3H9 Tel: (613) 236-6163 ext 2098

Fax: (613) 563-0815

E-mail: [cta@idrc.ca](mailto:cta@idrc.ca)

Applications can be downloaded from this site. Please ensure that you submit all the documents listed in the [checklist](#). Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Website: [www.idrc.ca/awards](http://www.idrc.ca/awards)

### **Vice-Chancellor's Postdoctoral and New South Global Postdoctoral Research Fellowships**

**Deadline:** October 11, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Anticipated deadline. The record will be updated when new program information becomes available.

**Amount Note:** The University is offering up to four Postdoctoral Research Fellowships and two New South Global Postdoctoral Research Fellowships. The period of appointment for Vice-Chancellor's Postdoctoral Research Fellowships will be for a maximum of two years. The period of appointment for NS Global Postdoctoral Research Fellowships will be for a maximum of three years. The appointments will be available from January 1, 2003, and should normally be commenced within six months of an offer being made.

Salary will be within the range AUD\$48,745 to \$52,324 per annum. A minimum cost airfare direct to Sydney, and return to point of departure on expiry of the fellowship, will be provided. Fares for dependants, and removal expenses, will not be provided. An annual amount of AUD\$8,000 is available for each of the two years duration of the fellowship for research materials and conference expenses.

**Eligibility:** Scholars from EEO groups and those who have had interrupted careers are encouraged to apply.

To be eligible to apply, candidates must

- have been awarded their Ph.D. degree by the closing date, October 11, 2002;
- have held a doctoral degree for no more than three years at October 11, 2002 (In cases of interrupted careers, the committee will determine the equivalence of the applicant's postdoctoral status.);
- not be a member of the tenured academic or teaching staff employed by UNSW at the date of application;
- submit proof of doctoral status or that all the requirements for the award of a doctorate have been met.

Ph.D. candidates who are writing up, or have submitted their thesis, but have not had their Ph.D. awarded by the closing date are not eligible to apply.

**Abstract:** The purpose of Postdoctoral Research Fellowships and New South Global Postdoctoral Research Fellowships is to support excellence in full-time research, undertaken independently or in collaboration with a research team, in any school or department of the University of New South Wales.

The UNSW schools and departments involved are as follows:

1. Australian Defense Force Academy: School of Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering; School of Chemistry; School of Civil Engineering; School of Computer Science; School of Economics and Management; School of Electrical Engineering; School of Language, Literature, and Communication; School of Geography and Oceanography; School of History; School of Mathematics and Statistics; School of Physics; School of Politics
2. Australian Graduate School of Management (AGSM)
3. Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences: School of Education Studies; School of English; School of History; School of Media and Communication Studies; School of Modern Language Studies; School of Music and Music Education; School of Philosophy; School of Politics and International Relations; School of Science and Technology Studies; School of Social Science and Policy; School of Social Work; School of Sociology; School of Theatre, Film, and Dance
4. Faculty of the Built Environment: School of the Built Environment
5. College of Fine Arts: School of Art; School of Art Education; School of Art History and Theory; School of Design Studies
6. Faculty of Commerce and Economics: School of Accounting; School of Banking and Finance; School of Business Law and Taxation; School of Economics; School of Industrial Relations and Organizational Behavior; School of Information Systems, Technology, and Management; School of International Business; School of Marketing
7. Faculty of Engineering: Graduate School of Biomedical Engineering; School of Chemical Engineering and Industrial Chemistry; School of Civil and Environmental Engineering; School of Computer Science and Engineering; School of Electrical Engineering and Telecommunications; School of Geomatic Engineering; School of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering; School of Mining Engineering; School of Petroleum Engineering
8. Faculty of Law: School of Law; ATAX
9. Faculty of Life Sciences: School of Applied Bioscience; School of Biochemistry and Molecular Genetics; School of Biological Science; School of Microbiology and Immunology; School of Psychology
10. Faculty of Medicine: School of Anatomy; School of Community Medicine; School

of Health Services Management; School of Medical Education; School of Obstetrics and Gynecology; School of Pathology; School of Physiology and Pharmacology; School of Psychiatry; Women's and Children's Health; Prince of Wales Clinical School; St. George Clinical School; St. Vincents Clinical George; South West Sydney Clinical School

11. Faculty of Science and Technology: Department of Aviation; School of Chemistry; School of Geography; School of Geology; School of Materials Science and Engineering; School of Mathematics; School of Optometry; School of Physics; School of Safety Science

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Website: <http://www.ro.unsw.edu.au/funding/vcpdf03.shtml>

**Wenner Gren Foundation**

**Post-Ph.D. Grants** are awarded to individual scholars holding the doctorate or equivalent qualification in anthropology or a related discipline. Qualified scholars are eligible without regard to nationality or institutional affiliation. The scholar either as an individual or on behalf of an organization may make application for Post-Ph.D. Grants. Ph.D. candidates seeking postdoctoral support should file a Dissertation Fieldwork Grant application and indicate that support is being requested for postdoctoral research; if an award is approved it will be made after the Ph.D. is in hand.

[Download Application](#)

A limited number of **Richard Carley Hunt Postdoctoral Fellowships**, nonrenewable awards with a maximum of \$15,000, is available to scholars within five years of receipt of the Ph.D., to aid the write-up of research results for publication. Qualified scholars are eligible without regard to nationality or institutional affiliation. Applicants must hold the Ph.D. at the time of application.

[Download Application](#)

**Wenner Gren Foundation: Professional Development International Fellowships**

Please note: *this fellowship replaces the Developing Countries Training Fellowship, effective January 2001*

Professional Development International Fellowships are intended for scholars

and advanced students from countries in which anthropology or specific sub fields of anthropology are underrepresented and who therefore seek additional training to enhance their skills or to develop new areas of expertise in anthropology. The program offers three types of awards:

1. **Predoctoral Fellowship** for study leading to a Ph.D.;
2. **Postdoctoral Fellowship** for scholars wishing advanced training;
3. **Library Residency Fellowship** for advanced students and postdoctoral scholars within five years of receiving their doctorate to travel to libraries with outstanding collections in anthropology.

**Requirements for Predoctoral and Postdoctoral Fellowships:** Applicants must be prepared to demonstrate:

1. the unavailability of such training in their home country;
2. their provisional acceptance by a **host institution** that will provide such training;
3. their intention to return and work in their home country upon completion of their training.

The applicant must have a **home sponsor** who is a member of the institution with which he/she is affiliated in the home country and a **host sponsor** who is a member of the institution in which the candidate plans to pursue training. The host sponsor must be willing to assume responsibility for overseeing the candidate's training. Because the fellowship is intended as a partnership with the Host Institution in providing the fellow's training, it is expected that candidates will also be offered support by the host institution.

**Requirements for Library Residency Fellowships:** Applicants must be prepared to show that travel to a library is necessary for preparing a research proposal or completing a project designed to advance teaching and scholarship in the home country. They must also be able to obtain a letter from their home supervisor or chairperson attesting to the applicant's need of library materials not available in the home institution. The foundation has set up host sponsors at several libraries with excellent collections in different areas of anthropology, from which the applicant can choose. An applicant must be accepted by one of these sponsors before a library residency can be awarded.

**Amount and Duration of Awards: Predoctoral Fellowships** are made for amounts up to \$15,000 per year. Fellows may apply for up to two renewals. **Postdoctoral Fellowships** are made for amounts up to \$35,000 for one year, with the possibility of one renewal. **Library Residency Fellowships** are made for amounts up to \$5,000 for a maximum period of three months. They are not renewable.

**Budgetary Guidelines:** Professional Development International Fellowships may be used to cover travel, living expenses, tuition, student fees,

insurance, books, and any other relevant categories of expenditure. Aid is not provided for salary and/or fringe benefits of applicant or for institutional overhead.

**Application Information:** [Preliminary requirements](#) must be met to determine eligibility for a formal application. There is no deadline for these programs, however, those interested in receiving a **Predoctoral** or **Postdoctoral** Fellowship application must contact the foundation at least six months prior to enrollment in the host institution. **Library Residency Fellowship** candidates should contact the foundation at least three months before their intended starting date.

### **West African Research Association: Residencies for West African Scholars**

In the interest of enhancing transatlantic exchange and collaboration, the West African Research Association introduces a new program of Residencies for West African Scholars in WARA member institutions. Each residency will last 4-8 weeks and will provide the visiting scholar with opportunities for library research, guest lecturing or teaching, and/or collaborative work with American colleagues. Applications are made by WARA member institutions on behalf of scholars based in West Africa whom they wish to host. WARA will pay the round-trip travel costs of the selected scholars as well as a stipend of \$2,500 to cover their meals and local transport costs. Host institutions are encouraged to provide additional support (e.g. housing, conference participation) for the period of the residency. WARA will offer three (3) residencies in 2003.

Interested **member** institutions should submit a proposal of a maximum of 5 double-spaced pages, profiling the visiting scholar they wish to host, his or her proposed residency activities, expected impact or outcome of the residency, and any additional contribution or support the institution can offer. Application materials should also include the visiting scholar's curriculum vitae and a letter of interest from the scholar, as well as a letter of support from a relevant administrator (dean, department chair, etc.) at the host institution. Please send one original and three copies of all materials.

DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 1, 2002 for residencies to take place in Spring or Fall 2003. Notification will be made by 1 December.

Please direct inquiries about institutional membership and submit applications to:  
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Attn: Dr Leigh Swigart, WARA Director  
270 Bay State Road ~ Boston University  
Boston, MA 02215  
Tel: 617-353-8902 ~ Fax: 617-353-4915  
Email: wara@bu.edu

Website: <http://polyglot.lss.wisc.edu/afrst/wara/funding/residency.htm>

## **William T. Grant Foundation Faculty Scholars Program**

**Deadline:** July 01, 2003

**Deadline Note:** Anticipated deadline. The record will be updated when new program information becomes available.

Limited applications accepted. Only one candidate may be nominated in any given year from any major division of a university.

**Amount:** \$60,000

**Amount Note:** Awards are made to the applicant's institution to provide support of \$60,000 per year for five years, totaling \$300,000 per award recipient.

**Eligibility:** The eligibility requirements for this program are as follows

- faculty at all universities and nonprofit institutions, both in the United States and abroad, are eligible;
- nominated faculty should be in their first level or rank of appointment; and
- at least one mentor is to be identified.

**Abstract:** The William T. Grant Foundation announces its annual international competitive program to promote the research development of promising junior scholars in tenure-track positions whose research furthers the understanding of the development of adolescents and young adults and the conditions that enable these youth to reach their full potential.

The foundation is interested in investigators who use the award to bring a broad and innovative focus to their research on youth, for example, those from diverse disciplines as well as those who are underrepresented in research on adolescence and young adulthood. Consistent with these aims, the foundation invests in original research in health, social, and behavioral sciences, such as anthropology, economics, education, health services, political science, demography, history, and sociology; in marketing and communications disciplines; and in those fields traditionally concerned with youth development and mental health, such as pediatrics, psychology, psychiatry, and social work.

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## **The Wilson Center Fellowships**

The Center awards approximately 20-25 residential fellowships annually to individuals with outstanding project proposals in a broad range of the social sciences and humanities on national and/or international issues—topics that intersect with questions of public policy or provide the historical and/or cultural framework to illumine policy issues of contemporary importance. While the Center does not engage in formulating actual policy, it is particularly interested in those projects that help provide the essential background against which issues of the day can be more thoroughly understood.

Applications from any country are welcome. Men and women with outstanding capabilities and experience from a wide variety of backgrounds (including government, the corporate world, and the professions, as well as academia) are eligible for appointment. For academic participants, eligibility is limited to the postdoctoral level. It is expected that academic candidates will have demonstrated their scholarly development by publications beyond their doctoral dissertations. For other applicants, an equivalent level of professional achievement is expected. An applicant working on a degree at the time of application (even if the degree is to be awarded prior to the proposed fellowship year) is not eligible.

All applicants should have a very good command of spoken English since the Center is designed to encourage the exchange of ideas among its fellows.

Proposals that represent essentially advocacy are not eligible. Primary research in the natural sciences is not eligible, nor are projects that create musical composition, dance, or the visual arts. Further, the Center does not consider projects that represent essentially the rewriting of doctoral dissertations; the editing of texts, papers, or documents; or the preparation of textbooks, anthologies, translations, or memoirs.

The Center devotes significant attention to the exploration of broad thematic areas. Primary themes are: 1) governance, including such issues as the key features of the development of democratic institutions, democratic society, civil society, and citizen participation; 2) the U.S. role in the world and issues of partnership and leadership-military, political, and economic dimensions; and 3) key long-term future challenges confronting the United States and the world.

Priority will be given to proposals related to these themes. Within this framework, the Center also supports projects that provide the historical and/or cultural context for some of today's key public policy debates.

Fellows are expected to be in residence for the entire U.S. academic year (September through May, i.e., 9 months), although a few fellowships are occasionally awarded for shorter periods with a minimum of four months. The Center does not award fellowships for the summer months (June, July, August).

The Center tries to ensure that the stipend provided under the fellowship, together

with the fellow's other sources of funding (e.g., grants secured by the applicant and sabbatical allowances), approximate a fellow's regular salary. Stipends provided in 2001 ranged from \$29,500 to \$73,000. In 2002-2003, the Center expects to be able to award a few fellowships at a higher stipend level, up to a maximum of \$85,000. Stipends include round trip travel for fellows and for their spouses and dependent children who will reside with them during the entire fellowship period. In addition to stipends, the Center provides 75 percent of health insurance premiums for fellows and these accompanying family members.

Fellows in residence will be affiliated with one of the Center's programs/projects. As of March 2002, these include the United States Studies Division and the International Studies Division and programs on Africa, Asia, Brazil, Canada, Eastern Europe, Latin America, the Middle East, Russia and the former Soviet Union, and Western Europe; and projects on America and the Global Economy, Comparative Urban Studies, Conflict Prevention, Congress, Environmental Change and Security, Foresight and Governance, and History and Public Policy.

Each fellow is assigned a furnished office available every day around the clock. The Center is located in the heart of Washington, D.C., and includes conference rooms, a reference library, and a fellows' dining room. The building is a smoke-free environment. Professional librarians provide access to the Library of Congress, university and special libraries in the area, and other research facilities. Windows-based personal computers or manuscript-typing services are available, and each fellow is offered a part-time research assistant. Although fellows are responsible for locating their own housing in the Washington, D.C. area, the Center provides written materials to help facilitate the search process.

The Center holds one round of competitive selection per year. The deadline for receipt of fellowship applications is October 1, and decisions on appointments are announced by early April of the following year.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from:

Scholar Selection and Services Office  
Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars  
One Woodrow Wilson Plaza  
1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004-3027  
E-mail: [fellowships@wwic.si.edu](mailto:fellowships@wwic.si.edu)  
Phone: 202/691-4170  
Fax: 202/691-4001

Website: <http://wwics.si.edu/index.cfm?fuseaction=fellowships.welcome>

### **Womanist Scholars Program**

The Womanist Scholars Program is a component of the Black Women in Church and Society Program at the Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta Georgia.

The Womanist Scholars Program is one of a few much needed programs that provides affirming, creative, intellectual opportunity for womanist scholars to engage in scholarship that will impact the academy, church and community. To accomplish this, the program will appoint Black women, engaged in significant scholarly work on Black women and religion, and Black women and spirituality. The program is designed to assist scholars who are seeking sabbatical support, or support for a specific research project.

### **Responsibilities**

The Womanist Scholars Program invites two black female scholars annually to do research in residence at ITC. The position is a one academic year, August thru May, full-time appointment. The Program enables womanist scholars to pursue a research project of the individual's design. Additionally, the scholar will teach one course in her research area, present a public lecture, and facilitate a womanist dialogue session during her residency.

### **Eligibility**

Scholars whose research interest addresses Black women and religion, or Black women and spirituality, and who possess a Ph.D./Th.D., or its equivalent, in fields of religion, other humanities, or social sciences may apply. Senior scholars will be given priority though junior scholars are also encouraged to apply. Selection is based upon the proposed research project and the potential significance of the project for religious and academic life.

### **Award**

The Program awards a stipend of \$35,000, on-campus housing, and office space.

### **Application Procedure**

Applicants must submit: a completed application form; a research prospectus (not to exceed 4 typed pages) which describes the intended research project, the proposed methodology, and its significance for the academic and theological communities; a narrative of your philosophy of and commitment to Womanist scholarship (1 page), a course proposal, a current curriculum vitae; a writing sample (published or unpublished) and three letters of reference.

### **Deadline**

The application and supporting materials must be postmarked by **December 6, 2002.**

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