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**Emphasis**
Academic, Research

**Brief Description of the Award**
AAUW awards support academic work in all fields of expertise and innovative community projects to empower women and girls.

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**ELIGIBILITY**

**Applicant Education Level:** See award guidelines for each program

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? Yes | No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? Yes | No

Open to (non-US) International Students? Yes | No | Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? Yes | No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? Yes | No

**APPLICATION**

**Date Application Available:** August 1

**Application Due Date:** November 15

Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes | No

Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: Yes | No

Institutional Endorsement Required: Yes | No

Institutional Cover Letter Required: Yes | No

**SELECTION**

Interview: not required

Interview Travel Costs Paid: Yes | No | N/A

Approximate Date Finalists Notified: April 15

Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: April 15
American Association of University Women (AAUW)

AAUW FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
THE AMERICAN-SCANDINAVIAN FOUNDATION

FELLOWSHIPS FOR AMERICANS IN THE NORDIC COUNTRIES

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research, Travel

Brief Description of the Award
Support for graduate students and academic professionals interested in pursuing research or creative arts projects in the Nordic region (Denmark, Faroe Islands, Greenland, Iceland, Finland, Norway, Sweden, and Sámi). Grants of $23,000 are given to long-term fellowships (up to a year) and $5,000 for short-term fellowships (1-3 month). Priority is given to candidates at the graduate level for dissertation-related study or research but faculty research (e.g., summer, sabbatical) is also considered. Awards are made in all fields.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Short-Term Fellowships (up to three months) $5,000; Long-Term Fellowships (up to a year) $23,000.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Enrolled in Ph.D. programs at dissertation level preferred

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ No

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: January 1
Application Due Date: November 1

Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☑ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☑ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☑ Yes ☑ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Letter of invitation from institutional sponsor in Nordic country required.
The American-Scandinavian Foundation
FELLOWSHIPS FOR AMERICANS IN THE NORDIC COUNTRIES

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 80
Number Awarded: 25
Interview: not required
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: April 15

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Additional Information Sessions
Webinars and consultations available on request.

Additional Comments
Students and advisers should feel free to get in touch with ASF for more information.
AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research

Brief Description of the Award
The Astronaut Scholarship Foundation awarded its first seven scholarships in 1986. Each founding Mercury 7 astronaut sponsored a $1,000 scholarship and they then began to fundraise to support future scholarships. Each astronaut would donate proceeds from their speaking engagements and shared the ASF mission wherever they went to raise awareness of both the mission and the scholarship program. Today, the Astronaut Scholarship Foundation awards more than 60 scholarships valued up to $15,000 to each selected scholar. Scholarship programming includes an Astronaut Scholar conference, mentorship, professional development, networking and recognition. This is the beginning of a life-changing experience for Astronaut Scholars that launches students to positively change and influence society through innovation.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Up to $15,000 during award year

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Rising Juniors and Seniors

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

STEM undergrad students heavily involved in graduate level research, leadership in community and on campus, with a commitment and goal to make our world a better place.
**APPLICATION**

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**SELECTION**

| Number of Applications Received: | 125 |
| Number Awarded: | 68 |
| Interview: | not required |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid: | ☑ N/A |
| Approximate Date Finalists Notified: | March 31 |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | May 20 |

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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| Website: | https://astronautscholarship.org/ |

**INFORMATION SESSIONS**

| Webinars for Candidates? | ☐ Yes ☑ No |
| Webinars for Advisors? | ☐ Yes ☑ No |
BANYAN IMPACT FELLOWSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Experiential, US-India Civic Diplomacy

Brief Description of the Award
Affirming that we are the generation to end extreme poverty, combat climate change, and conquer injustice, the American India Foundation's Banyan Impact Fellowship uses service for social impact, building a "living bridge" between the US and India. It's a fully-funded, interdisciplinary experiential learning program that places young and experienced professionals from India and the US in service with communities across India. Through collaboration and capacity-building, fellows and local communities exchange knowledge and skills to steer projects that advance social and economic development. Fellows contribute through fieldwork, mentorship, and conferences over the course of the program. The core program runs for 10 months from September 1-July 2.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Fully funded program that trains, supports, and places fellows with communities in India for service projects. AIF provides professional development through mentorship, workshops, and thematic conferences throughout the program. Fellows receive a stipend, comprehensive insurance coverage, access to a private counselor, and 24/7 emergency support. AIF offers support for Fellows with disabilities who require special accommodations and/or assistive technology to participate. All program-related travel, visa support, language training, and international airfare is covered by AIF. Fellows enjoy access to a global network of 500+ Alumni.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Undergraduate and above
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Additional Requirements
Applicants must be either US citizens, US permanent residents, or Indian citizens. Must have completed a university degree before the start of the program.
## Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

To be successful, candidates must demonstrate leadership for social change, evidence of applicable skills and expertise, commitment to US-India civic engagement, potential for positive impact during and after the program, and a dedication to diversity, equity and inclusion. Candidates from all disciplines are encouraged to apply to join a truly interdisciplinary cohort. Key personal qualities of a successful fellow include creativity, resilience, maturity, grit, cultural sensitivity, humility, flexibility, curiosity, and adaptability. Fellows must be able to thrive in low-resourced organizational and geographical settings in India.

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## Selection

| Number of Applications Received: | 960       |
| Number Awarded:                 | 30        |
| Interview:                      | Zoom      |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid:    | No        |
| Approximate Date Finalists Notified: | April    |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | June |

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## Information Sessions

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BEINECKE SCHOLARSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research

Brief Description of the Award
The program seeks to encourage and enable highly motivated students in their junior year of college who have financial need to pursue opportunities available to them and to be courageous in the selection of a research- or creative-focused course of graduate study in the arts, humanities, or social sciences.

Each year approximately 135 colleges and universities are invited to nominate one student for a Beinecke Scholarship.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Each scholar receives $5,000 immediately prior to entering graduate school and an additional $30,000 while attending graduate school. Scholars are expected to use all funding within five years of completing their undergraduate studies.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: College Junior

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Additional Requirements
Students need to be enrolled in one of the participating institutions (https://beineckescholarship.org/institutions/).

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Candidates must demonstrate superior standards of intellectual ability, scholastic achievement, and personal promise during their undergraduate career. They must plan to enter a creative- or
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BEINECKE SCHOLARSHIP

research-focused master's or doctoral program in the arts, humanities, or social sciences. Candidates must also have a documented history of receiving or being eligible to receive need-based financial aid.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: First Monday in September
Application Due Date: Last Friday in March
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 100
Number Awarded: 20
Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: 
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Late May

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No
NATIONAL SECURITY EDUCATION PROGRAM

BOREN AWARDS

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research, Language

Brief Description of the Award
The Boren Award is for U.S. citizens who are or will be in degree seeking programs in a U.S. institution. We offer funding up to $30,000 for graduate students and help them get their foot in the door with the Federal Government post-graduation.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$25,000 - $30,000

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  In a degree seeking program in a U.S. university
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

APPLICATION

Date Application Available:  8/15/2023
Application Due Date:  1/25/2024
Candidates May Submit Directly:  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate:  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required:  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required:  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

SELECTION

Interview:  not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid:  ☐ Yes  ☐ No  ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: 4/15/2024

CONTACT INFORMATION
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INFORMATION SESSIONS
Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No
**CULTURAL VISTAS**

**CONGRESS-BUNDESTAG YOUTH EXCHANGE FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS (CBYX)**

**AWARD DETAILS**

**Emphasis**
Academic, Language, Experiential, Travel

**Brief Description of the Award**
Now in our 40th year, the Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange for Young Professionals (CBYX) is a fellowship funded by the German Bundestag and U.S. Department of State that annually provides 75 American young professionals between the ages of 18½–24 the opportunity to spend one year in each other’s countries, studying, interning, and living with hosts on a cultural diplomacy and professional development program. The program consists of three phases: a) Two months of intensive German language training; b) One semester of classes in one’s academic or career field at a university, technical or professional school; and c) Three-month internships in one’s career field. CBYX is open to candidates in all career fields who are interested in a year of academic, professional, and cultural exchange.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
This funded fellowship opportunity covers basic living costs including: Round-trip international airfare from Washington, D.C. to Germany; Language school costs for two months of intensive German language study; Tuition for four months of study; Housing costs for host family, apartment, or dormitory during the pre-internship phases; Monthly stipend to cover basic costs of living; Program-related travel within Germany; Basic health insurance in Germany.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

**ELIGIBILITY**

**Applicant Education Level:** College undergraduate

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

**Age Limit** 24

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☑ No
# CANDIDATE PROFILE

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

Interest in Germany (general, politics, and culture), clear link between a year's stay in Germany and candidate's future career/study plans, flexibility and maturity, ability to represent the USA abroad well, evidence of sustained academic and/or professional engagement with areas relevant to study and internship in Germany. No prior German language required!

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## SELECTION

| Number of Applications Received: | 500 |
| Number Awarded: | 75 |
| Interview: | Zoom |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid: | No | Yes | N/A |
| Approximate Date Finalists Notified: | January 1 |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | March 15 |

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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- **Email:** dvillanueva@culturalvistas.org
- **Website:** www.cbyx.info

## INFORMATION SESSIONS

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AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research

Brief Description of the Award
The Churchill Scholarship funds a year of Master's study in science, mathematics, or engineering at the University of Cambridge. The Kanders Churchill Scholarship is for science policy and has a different application process.

Award Stipend/Benefits
The Churchill Scholarship covers tuition, travel to and from the UK, visa, and a stipend set 5% above the UK Research Council studentship. Recipients can apply for a Special Research grant of up to $4,000 for research visits and conference travel.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Final year of undergraduate or just received bachelor's.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Science, math, and engineering

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Academic achievement, proven talent in research, and outstanding personal qualities.

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.98
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### Contact Information

- **Primary Contact:** Michael Morse
- **Position:** Executive Director
- **Phone:** 212-752-3200
- **Email:** mmorse@churchillscholarship.org
- **Website:** www.churchillscholarship.org

### Information Sessions

- **Webinars for Candidates?** ☑ Yes | ☐ No
- **Webinars for Advisors?** ☐ Yes | ☑ No
AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Experiential

Brief Description of the Award
The William D. Clarke, Sr. Diplomatic Security (Clarke DS) Fellowship is a two-year graduate fellowship designed for individuals who want to pursue a master’s degree and a career as a Diplomatic Security Service (DSS) Special Agent in the Foreign Service. One of several high-profile State Department diversity recruitment programs, this two-year graduate fellowship supports fellows by providing academic funding for a two-year master’s degree program, two summer practicums, professional development, and mentorship.

Award Stipend/Benefits
- Up to $42,000 annually (for two years) in academic funding for tuition, room and board, books/lab fees, other academic expenses, and some travel expenses.
- Two summer practicums (with stipends, housing, and travel allowances): one at a U.S. Department of State office in Washington, D.C., and one overseas at a U.S. embassy or consulate.
- Personalized mentoring and professional development opportunities throughout the program.
- An appointment as a Foreign Service Diplomatic Security Service (DSS) Special Agent upon successful completion of the fellowship program and Foreign Service entry requirements.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: As a State Department program, only U.S. citizens are eligible to apply. The Clarke DS Fellowship is a two-year cohort model, with the application opening annually. Because Clarke DS Fellows will be appointed as a DSS Special Agent (after successfully com

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Undergraduate degree or higher

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Age Limit 33

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Minimum GPA  3.2

Additional Requirements
Finalists must pass a Physical Readiness Test (PRT) and have a valid U.S. driver's license. After selection, Clarke Fellows must be able to obtain and maintain the Department of State security clearances, suitability requirements and minimum medical qualification standards, including supplemental physical qualification standards. They must agree to a three-year commitment with the Foreign Services as a DSS Special Agent upon successful completion of the program and the State Department’s requirements. They must maintain their status as a full-time student and maintain a minimum 3.2 GPA and stay on the timeline to graduate with the cohort.

APPLICATION

| Date Application Available:          | Summer 2023          |
| Application Due Date:               | Fall 2023            |
| Candidates May Submit Directly:     | ☑ Yes ☐ No           |
| Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: | ☐ Yes ☑ No           |
| Institutional Endorsement Required: | ☐ Yes ☑ No           |
| Institutional Cover Letter Required:| ☐ Yes ☑ No           |

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Dates for the application opening and closing have not yet been set for the 2024 cohort. It is expected to open in summer 2023 and close in fall 2023. One letter of recommendation is required. If the applicant was enrolled in a degree-granting program in the last two years, the letter must be from a professor or faculty member.

SELECTION

| Number Awarded: | 8 |
| Interview:      | in-person, Zoom |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid: | ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| Approximate Date Finalists Notified: | December 2023 |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | December 2023 |

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Finalist interviews will be likely be through a video platform such as Zoom. Finalists will be required to take an in-person Physical Readiness Test. Any travel costs are paid for. The Department of State does not disclose how many applications are received.

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### INFORMATION SESSIONS

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**Additional Information Sessions**

We coordinate with your college/university to host a 30-minute virtual info session for your students. The virtual info session is hosted on our platform, and we provide you with the email promotions and social media graphics to promote the session to your students. We also provide monthly webinars with various State Department speakers.
**AWARD DETAILS**

**Emphasis**  
Academic, Language, Experiential, Travel

**Brief Description of the Award**  
The CLS Program partners with universities and nonprofits around the globe to provide cohorts of U.S. students an opportunity to study the language and culture in a country/location where the target language is commonly spoken. The CLS Program, through its CLS Spark initiative, also provides beginner-level virtual instruction for Arabic, Chinese, and Russian for competitively selected U.S. undergraduate students whose home campuses do not offer these languages. CLS scholars are expected to continue their language study beyond the scholarship and apply their critical language skills in their future careers.

The U.S. Department of State sponsors and oversees the CLS Program, including CLS Spark, as part of a larger U.S. government effort to expand the number of Americans studying and mastering foreign languages that are critical to our national security, economic prosperity, and engagement with the world. CLS provides opportunities to a diverse range of students from across the entire United States at every level of language learning.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**  
The CLS Program is a full scholarship that for the duration of the program, and includes:

- Intensive group-based language courses (15+ hours per week for overseas, 10 hours per week for Spark)
- Undergraduate academic credit for a year’s worth of language classes
- Room and board, often with a host family (overseas only)
- Host community engagement opportunities
- Group cultural excursions organized by the host community
- Round-trip international travel to program site (overseas only)- Small stipend to cover incidental expenses and meals not otherwise provided by the Program (overseas only)
- Small stipend to bolster internet and computer technologies (Spark only)
- Certified American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) score (post-program)
- Non-competitive eligibility for employment with U.S. government agencies.

**Can the Award Be Deferred?**  
- Yes  
- No

**Can the Award be Renewed?**  
- Yes  
- No

**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** Languages offered through the CLS Program include Arabic, Azerbaijani, Bangla, Chinese, Hindi, Indonesian, Japanese, Korean, Persian, Portuguese, Russian, Swahili, Turkish, and Urdu. Languages offered through CLS Spark include Arabic, Chinese, and Russian.
ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Enrolled in an accredited U.S. degree-granting program at the undergraduate (associate's, bachelor's) or graduate (master's, doctoral, professional degree) level at the time of application.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☑ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☜ Yes ☑ No

Additional Requirements

Students planning to graduate before the beginning of the program are eligible to apply as long as they are enrolled at the time of the application. Applicants who are taking stand-alone or continuing education classes are not eligible.

Students at the graduate level (master’s, doctoral or professional degree programs) are not eligible to apply for CLS Spark (beginning Chinese, beginning Russian and beginning Arabic).

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Overseas recipients are selected on the basis of merit, with consideration for:

- Commitment to language learning;
- Connection between language and goals;
- Preparation for the CLS Program;
- Adaptability, sensitivity, and resilience; and
- Contribution to the CLS Program and program goals.

All other factors being equal, the CLS Program gives preference to veterans of the United States armed forces. All other factors being equal, applicants are selected with the goal of representing geographic diversity and a diversity of institutions and fields of study. Preference may be given to candidates with limited or no previous study abroad experience.

CLS Spark recipients are selected on the basis of merit, with consideration for:

- Impact of participation
- Motivation
- Readiness and resolve
- Unique background and experience

Preference will be given to veterans of the United States armed forces, and to applicants from states or institutions historically underrepresented in study abroad or in the CLS Program. Applicants will
be selected with the goal of representing geographic diversity and a diversity of institutions and fields of study.

Selection criteria are also available online: https://clscholarship.org/applicants/selection

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**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** An unofficial transcript must be submitted as part of the application. Courses can be entered in the application manually if a student cannot obtain an unofficial transcript (i.e. first semester students).

**SELECTION**

| Number of Applications Received: | 5000 |
| Number Awarded: | 500 |
| Interview: | not required |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid: | ☑ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A |
| Approximate Date Finalists Notified: | Semi-finalists notified in January |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | Finalists (selected) notified in March |

**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** Alternates are promoted on a rolling basis following finalist notification.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**INFORMATION SESSIONS**

| Webinars for Candidates? | ☑ Yes ☐ No |
| Webinars for Advisors? | ☑ Yes ☐ No |
Additional Information Sessions
A calendar of webinars for each application cycle is available on the CLS website: https://clscholarship.org/events
Recorded webinars, as well as separately prepared information sessions and application tips video are made available on the CLS YouTube channel: https://www.youtube.com/user/CLSscholarship/videos
Select in-person advisor workshops are offered each year.

Additional Comments
Campus contacts are invited to register as CLS advisors to receive program information, updates, and resources and serve as an evaluator during the selection process. More information is available at https://clscholarship.org/advisors/sign-up.
### GILMAN-DAAD GERMANY SCHOLARSHIPS

#### AWARD DETAILS

**Emphasis**  
Academic, Experiential, Travel

**Brief Description of the Award**  
DAAD Germany provides 40 additional scholarships for U.S. undergraduate students per year to study and/or intern for academic credit in Germany through the Gilman Program.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**  
Successful applicants will receive a study grant of up to $5,000 to be used toward tuition, housing, travel, and related costs for up to one academic year in Germany.

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#### ELIGIBILITY

**Applicant Education Level:** Undergraduates

**Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?**  
☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?**  
☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Open to (non-US) International Students?**  
☑ Yes  ☑ No  ☑ Some

**Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?**  
☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Limited to Specific Fields of Study?**  
☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Additional Requirements**  
Must be a Federal Pell Grant recipient

#### APPLICATION

**Date Application Available:** About 6 weeks before the deadline

**Application Due Date:** Early March / Early October

**Candidates May Submit Directly:** ☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Advisors Must Submit for Candidate:** ☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Institutional Endorsement Required:** ☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Institutional Cover Letter Required:** ☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** A study abroad advisor and a financial aid advisor must certify the application after it has been submitted by the student.
German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) & U.S. Department of State

Gilman-DAAD Germany Scholarships

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 11000
Number Awarded: 3000
Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Approximately two months after the deadline

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Additional Information Sessions
https://www.gilmanscholarship.org/news-events/events-2/
GERMAN ACADEMIC EXCHANGE SERVICE (DAAD)

DAAD RESEARCH GRANTS (SHORT- AND LONG-TERM)

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Research, Travel

Brief Description of the Award
Research grants for highly-qualified candidates who are completing research projects at German universities or research institutions.

Award Stipend/Benefits
A monthly stipend, a travel allowance, and payments towards health, accident and personal liability insurance (long-term only), among others

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Students who have completed a master's degree or, in some exceptional cases, a bachelor's degree. Postdocs may also apply for short-term grants.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No  ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Additional Requirements
Applicants should have completed their last degree no longer than 6 years before the application deadline.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Strong academic track record, well-developed research proposal, a convincing and feasible project, and passion for studying/researching in Germany.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available:  Long-term: Late Summer; Short-term: Approximately six weeks before the deadline
Application Due Date:  Long-term: Early November; Short-Term: May and November
Candidates May Submit Directly:  Yes  No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate:  No
Institutional Endorsement Required:  No
Institutional Cover Letter Required:  No

SELECTION
Interview:  not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid:  No
Approximate Date Finalists Notified:  N/A
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified:  Approximately 3-4 months after the deadline

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INFORMATION SESSIONS
Webinars for Candidates:  No
Webinars for Advisors:  No
# RISE Internships

**Emphasis**
Research, Experiential, Travel

**Brief Description of the Award**
Research Internships in Science and Engineering (RISE) internships offer undergraduate (RISE Germany) and graduate (RISE Professional) in STEM fields the opportunity to complete paid summer internships at top German universities and research institutions.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
Undergraduates: A monthly stipend, health insurance, and an international travel subsidy.
Graduates: A monthly stipend, an additional stipend of at least €500 net per month provided by the internship host, a travel allowance, health insurance, and funding towards a language course in Germany.

| Can the Award Be Deferred? | ☐ Yes | ☑ No |
| Can the Award be Renewed?  | ☐ Yes | ☑ No |

**Applicant Education Level:**
RISE Germany: Undergraduates who have completed at least two years of study at the time of the internship. RISE Professional: Full-time master’s or PhD students, undergraduates who are RISE Germany alumni or recent graduates.

| Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? | ☑ Yes | ☐ No |
| Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? | ☐ Yes | ☑ No |
| Open to (non-US) International Students? | ☑ Yes | ☐ No | ☐ Some |
| Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? | ☐ Yes | ☑ No |
| Limited to Specific Fields of Study? | ☑ Yes | ☐ No |

Biology, chemistry, physics, earth sciences, engineering, or a closely related field

**Date Application Available:** November 1
**Application Due Date:** December 15

| Candidates May Submit Directly: | ☑ Yes | ☐ No |
| Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: | ☐ Yes | ☑ No |
| Institutional Endorsement Required: | ☐ Yes | ☑ No |
**Institutional Cover Letter Required:** Yes No

**SELECTION**

Interview: not required

Interview Travel Costs Paid: Yes No N/A

Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: March

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**INFORMATION SESSIONS**

Webinars for Candidates: Yes No

Webinars for Advisors: Yes No
GERMAN ACADEMIC EXCHANGE SERVICE (DAAD)

STUDY SCHOLARSHIPS –

MASTER STUDIES FOR ALL ACADEMIC DISCIPLINES

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
Highly qualified final year undergraduate students or those who have received an undergraduate degree of all disciplines may apply for the DAAD Study Scholarship for a full Master’s degree program at a State or State-recognized university in Germany or for study at a German university as part of a postgraduate or Master’s degree program completed in the home country.

Award Stipend/Benefits
A monthly stipend, payments towards health, accident and personal liability insurance cover, a travel allowance (unless these expenses are covered another source), and one-off study allowance

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Graduating seniors or recent BA/BS or MA/MS graduates who completed their last degree no longer than 6 years ago.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Additional Requirements
Applicants may not have been living in Germany for more than 15 consecutive months by the time of application deadline.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Strong academic track record, well-developed research proposal, a convincing and feasible project, and passion for studying/researching in Germany.
APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Late Summer
Application Due Date: November 4
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Early April

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE & THE WASHINGTON CENTER

FOREIGN AFFAIRS INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FELLOWSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Experiential

Brief Description of the Award
Funded by the U.S. Department of State, the FAIT Fellowship is a path to a career in the Foreign Service as an Information Management Specialist by providing two years of academic funding in an IT-related degree program, two summer internships, mentorship, and professional development, and culminating in an appointment in Foreign Service

Award Stipend/Benefits
Up to $87,000 in academic funding over two years (undergraduate junior and senior years or a two-year master’s degree program), two summer internships (with stipends), professional development and mentorship.

Can the Award Be Deferred? □ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? □ Yes ☑ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: As a State Department program, only U.S. citizens are eligible to apply. FAIT Fellowship is a two-year cohort model.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: FAIT Fellowship is a two-year cohort model that offers both undergraduate and graduate fellowships. The next application cycle is for the 2024 cohort. For the undergraduate fellowship, applicants must be on timeline to earn a bachelor’s degree or combined

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes □ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes □ No

Age Limit 58

Open to (non-US) International Students? □ Yes ☑ No □ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes □ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes □ No

Degree programs must be in an IT-related field, such as, information technology, computer science, cyber security, information systems, and more.

Minimum GPA 3.2

Additional Requirements
After selection, FAIT Fellows must be able to obtain and maintain the Department of State security clearances, suitability requirements and minimum medical qualification standards.
APPLICATION

Date Application Available: September 2023
Application Due Date: January 2024
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes □ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: □ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: □ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: □ Yes ☑ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Dates for the application opening and closing have not yet been set, however, it normally opens in September and closes in February. A referral letter is required - if the applicant is a student, the letter must be from a professor or faculty member.

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received:
Number Awarded: 15
Interview: in-person, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes □ No □ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: March 2024
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: March 2024

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Interviews will be Zoom or in-person depending on the status of COVID. The Department of State does not normally disclose how many applications are received.

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes □ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes □ No

Additional Information Sessions
We coordinate with your college/university to host a 30-minute virtual info session for your students. The virtual info session is hosted on our platform, and we provide you with the email
promotions and social media graphics to promote the session to your students. We also provide monthly webinars with various State Department speakers.

Additional Comments
The FAIT Fellowship program has been described by Fellows in previous cohorts as an opportunity of lifetime. This program is for students who want to use technology to support diplomacy, travel the world, and learn about different cultures.
AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Experiential, Travel, Grad School, Internships, Professional Development Activities

Brief Description of the Award
The Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS) Diversity Fellowship program seeks individuals interested in careers in the FAS Foreign Service, where they will be supporting U.S. agricultural exports and assisting in providing food security in countries around the world. The fellowship supports two years of graduate school in Agricultural Economics or Agribusiness; two summer internships at FAS Headquarters and at a U.S. Embassy or Consulate overseas; mentoring and professional development; and a pathway into the Foreign Agricultural Service. The fellowship is worth approximately $106,000 over two years.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Approximately $106,000 over two years, including $48,000 toward tuition and mandatory fees, academic stipends of $36,000, and support for summer internships of approximately $22,000.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Fellowships can be deferred for up to a year for a limited number of reasons, including the Fulbright ETA or research program; military service; or a difficult personal situation. The U.S. Department of State must approve any deferral.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: College seniors or college graduates
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Age Limit 58
Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Applicants can have any undergraduate major; their graduate studies must be in Agricultural Economics or Agribusiness.

Minimum GPA 3.2
Additional Requirements
Must be a U.S. citizen and be planning to start graduate school in the fall of the year after application (e.g., applying in fall 2023 to start grad school in fall 2024).

CANDIDATE PROFILE
Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Interest in public service, agriculture, agricultural economics, business, agribusiness; welcome the application of members of minority groups historically underrepresented in the Foreign Service and those with financial need; geographic diversity; diverse experiences and perspectives highly valued; interested in working to promote U.S. exports and food security in embassies and consulates around the world, in addition to the United States.

APPLICATION
Date Application Available: Late June 2023
Application Due Date: October 10, 2023
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION
Number of Applications Received: 100
Number Awarded: 4
Interview: Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: early November
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: early December

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Additional Information Sessions
Webinars for fellows and advisors through July, August and September
FULBRIGHT-HAYS PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research, Language, Travel

Brief Description of the Award
The Fulbright-Hays Program -- a Fulbright Program funded by a Congressional appropriation to the United States Department of Education-- awards grants to individual U.S. K-14 pre-teachers, teachers and administrators, pre-doctoral students and postdoctoral faculty, as well as to U.S. institutions and organizations.

Award Stipend/Benefits
- Travel expenses, including excess baggage to and from the residence of the fellow to the host country of research;
- Maintenance and dependents allowances based on the cost of living in country(ies) of research for the fellow and his or her dependent(s);
- Project allowance for research related expenses such as books, copying, tuition and affiliation fees, local travel and other incidental expenses;
- Health and accident insurance premiums; and
- $100.00 administrative fee to applicant institution.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Can the Award be Renewed?  □ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Graduate students in doctoral programs in the fields of foreign languages and area studies must apply through the institutions in which they are enrolled.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  □ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?  □ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  □ No

foreign languages, area studies, and related fields

Additional Requirements
A student is eligible to receive a fellowship if he or she: Is a citizen or national of the United States or is a permanent resident of the United States; Is a graduate student in good standing at an institution of higher education in the United States who, when the fellowship begins, is admitted to candidacy
in a doctoral program in modern foreign languages and area studies at that institution; is planning a teaching career in the United States upon graduation; and possesses adequate skills in the language(s) necessary to carry out the dissertation project.

**CANDIDATE PROFILE**

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

Language skills, academic merit

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**Website:** https://www2.ed.gov/programs/iegpsddrap/applicant.html

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**FULBRIGHT UK SUMMER INSTITUTES PROGRAMME**

### AWARD DETAILS

**Emphasis**
Academic, Experiential, Travel

**Brief Description of the Award**
The Fulbright UK Summer Institutes are three to four week programmes for US undergraduate students, who have no or very little travel experience outside North America. Participants can explore the culture, heritage and history of the UK while experiencing higher education at a UK university.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
Students will have the opportunity to: study alongside leading academics and professionals; develop knowledge in specific fields; experience cultural and social events; visit UK cultural sites and areas of scenic beauty; depending on the Institute receive credit to transfer to their home institution; meet people from different backgrounds and cultures; become an ambassador for studying in the UK, for the Fulbright Commission and their host institution(s). The Institute costs covered by the Fulbright Commission and its partner institutions include: round-trip airfare, transfer from and to UK airport, tuition and fees at the host institution, accommodation and some meals, social and cultural programme with free activities, Fulbright support services, in some cases a small daily allowance.

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### ELIGIBILITY

**Applicant Education Level:** Undergraduate students: Freshmen or sophomores in college/university

**Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?**

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**Minimum GPA** 3.7

**Additional Requirements**
Be a US citizen and possess a US passport; Have had no or very little study/travel experience outside of North America; Have a minimum GPA of 3.7; Be at least 18 years old by the start of the programme; Be able to participate in the programme in its entirety; Have at least two years of undergraduate study remaining after the Institute finishes.
CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Evidence of leadership qualities and initiative, academic ability, character, adaptability, and ambassadorial qualities, as well as an interest in the UK and its culture. Strong applicants who have never left the US and are unlikely to without support will be prioritised: many of the selected participants are low income and/or first-generation students. The Fulbright Commission aims to select a diverse cohort and is therefore looking for a diverse range of backgrounds.

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.83

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: October 2023
Application Due Date: February 2024
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 681
Number Awarded: 39
Interview: Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: End of April 2023
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: End of March 2023

CONTACT INFORMATION

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE, BUREAU OF EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS & INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION (IIE)

FULBRIGHT U.S. STUDENT PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research, Language, Experiential, Travel, English Teaching Assistantships

Brief Description of the Award
The Fulbright U.S. Student Program expands perspectives through academic and professional advancement and cross-cultural dialogue. Fulbright creates connections in a complex and changing world. In partnership with more than 140 countries worldwide, the Fulbright U.S. Student Program offers unparalleled opportunities in all academic and artistic disciplines to passionate and accomplished graduating college seniors, graduate students, and young professionals from all backgrounds. Program participants pursue graduate study, conduct research, or teach English abroad.

During their grants, Fulbrighters will meet, work, live with and learn from the people of the host country, sharing daily experiences. The program facilitates cultural exchange through direct interaction on an individual basis in the classroom, field, home, and in routine tasks, allowing the grantee to gain an appreciation of others’ viewpoints and beliefs, the way they do things, and the way they think. Through engagement in the community, individuals will interact with their hosts on a one-to-one basis in an atmosphere of openness, academic integrity, and intellectual freedom, thereby promoting mutual understanding.

Fulbright is the flagship international exchange program sponsored by the U.S. Department of State in partnership with over 140 countries worldwide.

Grant lengths and dates vary by country. Please consult the specific country summary for details at www.us.fulbrightonline.org.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Grant benefits for all Fulbright U.S. Student grants include:

- Accident & Sickness Health Benefits
- 24/7 support line for urgent and non-urgent situations
- 12 months of non-competitive eligibility (NCE) hiring status within the federal government

Additional grant benefits for Fulbright U.S. Student grants to Post countries:

- round-trip transportation to the host country
- funding to cover room, board, and incidental costs, based on the cost of living in the host country
- pre-departure and/or in-country orientations

For additional grant benefits for Fulbright U.S. Student grants to Commission countries:
Please review the website of the appropriate Fulbright Commission as benefits may differ significantly.

Based on award and country, some grants may also include: book and research allowances*, mid-term enrichment activities, full or partial tuition, language study programs.

*Grantees with projects that require extensive research support, in-country travel, study materials, or equipment should explore additional funding from other sources to supplement the Fulbright funding.

All English Teaching Assistants (ETAs) receive an additional grant benefit: 60-hour online TESOL Fundamentals Course. This course must be completed prior to the pre-departure orientation in the United States for participants in Post countries or the in-country arrival orientation for participants in Commission countries. Those ETAs who already have TESOL certification or equivalent coursework are exempt from completing this online course.

Please review the relevant Award Description for specific details.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☑ Yes  □ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Award renewals are done on a country by country basis and may not be available to all awardees.

ELIGIBILITY

**Applicant Education Level:** Fulbright U.S. Student Program grantees must have a bachelor's degree prior to the start of their award. Persons with a PhD by the application deadline are not eligible to apply. PhD holders should view opportunities through the Fulbright U.S. Scholar (fa

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  □ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  □ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?  □ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Additional Requirements

Please see our website for a full list of Eligibility Requirements ([http://us.fulbrightonline.org/about/eligibility](http://us.fulbrightonline.org/about/eligibility))

CANDIDATE PROFILE

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

- Quality and feasibility of the proposal as described in the Statement of Grant Purpose.
- Academic or professional record.
- Personal qualifications.
- Language preparation.
- Preference factors as established by the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board (FFSB) and the Fulbright Commissions/Foundations.
- Extent to which the candidate and the project will help to advance the Fulbright aim of promoting mutual understanding among nations through engagement in the host community, among other activities.
- Ability of the supervising agencies abroad to arrange/confirm supervision and facilitate research clearance, if necessary.
- Requirements of the program in individual countries. In some countries, advanced-degree candidates are preferred, and in some countries, certain fields of study are not recommended. Check with IIE before filing an application if you do not meet country specifications.
- Desirability of achieving wide institutional and geographic distribution.

**APPLICATION**

Date Application Available: April 1, 2023  
Application Due Date: October 10, 2023  
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No  
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No  
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No  
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No  

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Enrolled applicants should submit through their institution. Fulbright Program Advisers submit a Campus Committee Evaluation (CCE) Form for all enrolled applicants. Non-enrolled applicants may apply "at-large" without a CCE Form.

**SELECTION**

Number of Applications Received: 9000  
Number Awarded: 2100  
Interview:  
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A  
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: Late January 2024  
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Mid-April 2024  
Specific Notes/Exceptions: Enrolled applicants will go through their campus review process. First round of selection (National Screening Committee): No interview. Second round of selection (Host country): Some countries may interview select semi-finalists virtually.
Countries notify on a rolling basis throughout the spring.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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Website: https://us.fulbrightonline.org/  

**INFORMATION SESSIONS**

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No  
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No  
Additional Information Sessions  
  https://us.fulbrightonline.org/applicants/information-sessions  
Additional Comments  
All applicant and FPA Webinars are recorded and posted to our website:  
https://us.fulbrightonline.org/resources/recorded-webinars.
AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Research, Experiential

**Brief Description of the Award**
The James C. Gaither Junior Fellows Program at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace is designed to provide a substantive work experience for students who have a serious career interest in the area of international affairs. Students who are selected will be hired to work as employees at the Carnegie Endowment in Washington, DC on a full-time basis for a period of one year.

James C. Gaither Junior Fellows provide research assistance to scholars working on Carnegie’s projects, which include areas such as Democracy, Conflict and Governance; Nuclear Policy; American Statecraft; Technology and International Affairs; Global Order and Institutions; Sustainability, Climate and Geopolitics and regional programs such as Asia, South Asia, Europe, Russia and Eurasia, Africa, and the Middle East. The selected junior fellows have the opportunity to conduct research, contribute to op-eds, papers, reports, and books, edit documents, participate in meetings with high-level officials, contribute to congressional testimony, and organize briefings attended by scholars, activists, journalists, and government officials.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
This award offers a one-year full-time position ($45,000 salary) with benefits at our office in Washington, DC. Junior Fellows also receive a $1,500 relocation stipend before the program begins.

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ELIGIBILITY

**Applicant Education Level:**
Within last year of Bachelor’s degree or within one year of graduation

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CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
- Superior research and writing abilities
- Academic rigor and relevant coursework
- Strong work, internship, and research experience (can be on-campus)
- Strong letters of recommendation
- Diversity in all forms

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.8

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Early-to-mid October
Application Due Date: January 15 (submit to Carnegie)
Candidates May Submit Directly: □ Yes ☑ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☑ Yes □ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: □ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: □ Yes ☑ No
Specific Notes/Exceptions: The nominating official may submit one of the two letters of recommendation, but there is no institutional cover letter.

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 214
Number Awarded: 18
Interview: Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: □ Yes □ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: Mid-to-Late February
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Early-to-Mid March

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes □ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes □ No
Additional Comments We started using Embark for applications in 2023.
GATES CAMBRIDGE

Gates Cambridge Scholarship

Award Details

Emphasis
Academic, Research

Brief Description of the Award
The Gates Cambridge Scholarship programme was established in October 2000 by a donation of US$210m from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation to the University of Cambridge; this is the largest ever single donation to a UK university.

Each year Gates Cambridge offers c.80 full-cost scholarships to outstanding applicants from countries outside the UK to pursue a range of full-time, postgraduate degrees at the University of Cambridge. From October 2023, part-time PhD applications will also be considered. Approximately two-thirds of these awards will be offered to PhD students, with approximately 20 awards available in the US selection round and 60 available in the International selection round.

There are at least 225 Scholars from c. 50 countries studying in Cambridge at any one time, who are spread across its departments and Colleges.

The Gates Cambridge mission is to build a global network of future leaders committed to improving the lives of others. It aims to achieve this mission by selecting outstanding scholars, providing them with financial and non-financial support at one of the world’s leading universities and facilitating community building at and beyond Cambridge.

Award Stipend/Benefits
A Gates Cambridge Scholarship covers the full cost of studying at Cambridge. It also provides additional, discretionary funding.

Core components:

1) the University Composition Fee (tuition fee) at the appropriate rate for the course.
2) a maintenance allowance for a single student (£20,000 for 12 months at the 2023-24 rate; pro rata for courses shorter than 12 months) – for PhD scholars the award is for up to 4 years.
3) one economy single airfare at both the beginning and end of the course.
4) inbound student visa costs and the cost of the Immigration Health Surcharge (to access UK national healthcare services).

Discretionary Components:

Once in residence, Scholars can apply for additional funding on a discretionary basis:

1) Academic development funding to attend conferences and courses – up to £500 per year (maximum £2,000 for a PhD student).
2) Childcare allowance – up to £11,604 for one child and up to £16,548 for two or more children (2023-24 rate) living in Cambridge. No funding is provided for a partner.
3) Maternity/Paternity funding – Scholars can apply to intermit their studies for up to 6 months and continue to receive their maintenance allowance during this time.
4) Hardship funding – for unforeseen difficulties.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Requests for a one year deferral are considered on a case by case basis and dependent on the student being admitted again to the University of Cambridge for the same course.

Scholars who wish to apply for a second degree and a second Scholarship must submit a new application by the relevant funding deadline. Their application will be dealt with in the same way as all new applications.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Minimum requirement of an undergraduate degree (or equivalent) - see individual University of Cambridge course entry requirements for exact details.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Minimum GPA 3.5

Additional Requirements
Applicants will need to submit a statement of interest or PhD research proposal and a Gates Cambridge Reference.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Applicants will be required to demonstrate:

1) outstanding intellectual ability
2) reasons for choice of course at University of Cambridge
3) a commitment to improving the lives of others
4) leadership potential

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.7
APPLICATION

Date Application Available: September 4, 2023
Application Due Date: October 11, 2023
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: There is no separate Gates Cambridge Scholarship application form. Applicants submit their application for admission and funding (Gates Cambridge and other University of Cambridge funding) via the University of Cambridge Graduate Application Portal.

To be considered for a scholarship you must complete and submit your University of Cambridge application by the relevant funding deadline. Gates Cambridge has access to the full application for admission and funding when reviewing applications.

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 5000
Number Awarded: 80
Interview: in-person, phone interview, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: December 8, 2023
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: February 1, 2024

Specific Notes/Exceptions: The earlier, US round is only for applicants who are both US citizens and resident in the United States at the time of application. US citizens who are living overseas, either long term or temporarily for work or study purposes, should apply in the International round.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

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**Additional Information Sessions**
https://www.gatescambridge.org/our-scholars/films/

**Additional Comments**
Gates Cambridge participates in the University of Cambridge Postgraduate Open Day - https://www.postgraduate.study.cam.ac.uk/openday
Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program

Award Details

Emphasis
Academic, Research, Language, Experiential, Travel, Study or Intern Abroad

Brief Description of the Award
The U.S. Department of State’s Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program enables students of limited financial means to study or intern abroad, providing them with skills critical to our national security and economic prosperity. A Gilman Scholarship enables American students to gain proficiency in diverse languages and cultures, skills that are critically important to their academic and career development.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Nearly 3,000 scholarships of up to $5,000 will be awarded this academic year for U.S. citizen undergraduates to study or intern abroad. Award recipients are chosen by a competitive selection process and must use the award to defray eligible study or intern abroad costs. These costs include program tuition, room and board, books, local transportation, insurance, international airfare, passport and visa fees.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Eligibility

Applicant Education Level: An undergraduate student in good academic standing at an accredited institution of higher education in the United States (including both two-year and four-year institutions)

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Additional Requirements
Must be a citizen or national of the United States, must be receiving a Federal Pell Grant during the time of application or provide proof that they will be receiving a Pell Grant during the term of their study abroad program or internship, is in the process of applying to or accepted to, a credit-bearing study abroad or internship program (proof of program acceptance is required prior to award disbursement), and must be applying for credit-bearing study abroad programs in a country or
location with an overall Travel Advisory Level 1 or 2, according to the U.S. Department of State’s Travel Advisory System.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Impact of program and destination on student’s academic and career trajectory, community impact abroad and upon student’s return home, academic preparedness, and diversity of background and experience.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Mid-August 2023 for applicants whose in-person programs or internships start between December 1, 2023, to October 31, 2024 or mid-January 2024 for applicants whose in-person programs or internships start between May 1, 2024 to April 30, 2025.

Application Due Date: Thursday, October 5, 2023 at 11:59pm Pacific Time or Tuesday, March 7, 2024 at 11:59pm Pacific Time

Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 15000
Number Awarded: 3000
Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: N/A
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: December 2023 and May 2024

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Position: Lead, Outreach & Recruitment
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Website: https://www.gilmanscholarship.org/
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AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
The Goldwater award provides scholarship support to undergraduate students majoring in the natural sciences, engineering, and mathematics who intend to pursue research careers in these fields. The award provides support for tuition, room and board, books, and mandatory fees.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Sophomores who are awarded the scholarship may receive up to $7,500 in each of their junior and senior years; juniors who are selected for the scholarship may receive up to $7,500 in their senior year.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Sophomore or Junior

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No  ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Yes-Natural Sciences, Engineering, and Mathematics

Minimum GPA  3.0

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Involvement in research as an undergraduate is highly desirable
# APPLICATION

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# SELECTION

| **Number of Applications Received:** | 1300 |
| **Number Awarded:** | 420 |
| **Interview:** | not required |
| **Interview Travel Costs Paid:** | ☑ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A |
| **Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified:** | Last Friday in March |

# CONTACT INFORMATION

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# INFORMATION SESSIONS

- **Webinars for Candidates?** ☑ Yes ☐ No
- **Webinars for Advisors?** ☑ Yes ☐ No

**Additional Information Sessions**

Extensive guidance is provided to student applicants, campus representatives and letter writers on the Foundation’s web page. Careful review of these materials is highly recommended by all parties.
AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Experiential

Brief Description of the Award
The Hertog War Studies Program is an intensive two-week program run by the Institute for the Study of War in Washington, DC. The program aims to educate advanced undergraduate students about the theory, practice, organization, and control of war and military forces. Students will learn from and interact with distinguished senior leaders in the national security and military communities. This course bridges the civil-military divide and teaches students at the start of their careers how to assess military decision-making.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$1,500 stipend, plus room & board, travel, and course materials provided

Can the Award Be Deferred? □ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? □ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Exceptional undergraduates and recently graduated undergraduates who received their diploma no earlier than the December prior to the program

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? □ Yes ☑ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? □ Yes ☑ No
Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes □ No □ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? □ Yes ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? □ Yes ☑ No
Minimum GPA 3.5

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
1) Clear connection between program and applicant career path; 2) Outstanding writing sample that displays the applicant’s powers of analysis and independent thought, and not only their ability to do scholarly research or comment on a text; 3) Strong letters of recommendation that speak to a candidate’s performance in class; 4) Demonstrated leadership potential

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.7
APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Fall
Application Due Date: Early March
Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: No
Institutional Endorsement Required: No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 175
Number Awarded: 20
Interview: phone interview
Interview Travel Costs Paid: N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: March 15
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: April 10

Specific Notes/Exceptions: War Studies is an interdisciplinary program, and we seek applicants from many disciplines, not just history, political science, or international relations. Successful past participants have also majored in philosophy, math, computer science, engineering, biology, chemistry, physics, literature, foreign languages, political theory, classics, and psychology.

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? Yes
Webinars for Advisors? No
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MMUF DISSERTATION GRANTS

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Research

Brief Description of the Award
The dissertation grant offers up to $25,000 for a 12-month period. The MMUF Dissertation Grants are available to graduate students who participated in the Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Program. The grants provide graduate students at the critical juncture of completing their graduate degrees with support to spend a year finishing the writing of the dissertation.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Up to $25,000

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Graduate

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Additional Requirements
Awards are based on the scholarly merit of the individual applications received.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Dissertations that exemplify critical thinking, sound research design, and exploration of emerging issues that ultimately broaden perspectives.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available:  N/A
Application Due Date:  December
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION
Number Awarded: 5
Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: January
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: February

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INFORMATION SESSIONS
Webinars for Candidates? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Additional Comments
The Institute for Citizens & Scholars (citizensandscholars.org, formerly the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation) is a 75-year-old organization that has played a significant role in shaping American higher education. Now, with an expanded mission, Citizens & Scholars prepares leaders and engages networks of people and organizations to meet urgent education challenges. The overarching goal is to shape an informed, productively engaged, and hopeful citizenry.
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**MELLON MAYS GAP ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

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**Brief Description of the Award**

The Mellon Mays Gap Assistance Program (Mellon Mays GAP) helps Mellon Mays Fellows who have recently graduated maintain their graduate school ambitions and progress towards an academic career. Mellon Mays GAP provides the resources that Mellon Mays Fellows who are now successful graduate students and Ph.D.s cited as critical for getting through the gap year(s). Fellows are placed on one of two tracks—either a six-month or a full-year curriculum—based on their timeline to apply to graduate school.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**

Structured template of gap year activities with staff follow-up and accountability with peers on your track. Live and on-demand media resources including webinar courses, handouts, video interviews with more senior Fellows. Predoctoral coaching and mentoring, regional events and virtual conversations. Graduate school intensive bootcamps in spring and fall (most expenses paid) to prepare for graduate school.

- Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No
- Can the Award be Renewed?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No

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- Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No
- Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No
- Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No  ☑ Some
- Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No
- Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No

**Additional Requirements**

The program is only for those who participated in Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Program.

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Strong commitment to academic scholarship, interest in pursuing a doctoral degree and career goal of becoming a college or university faculty member.
APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Accepted on a rolling basis
Application Due Date: Accepted on a rolling basis
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Number Awarded: 0
Interview: not required
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: January/February
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: February/March

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Additional Comments

The Institute for Citizens & Scholars (citizensandscholars.org, formerly the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation) is a 75-year-old organization that has played a significant role in shaping American higher education. Now, with an expanded mission, Citizens & Scholars prepares leaders and engages networks of people and organizations to meet urgent education challenges. The overarching goal is to shape an informed, productively engaged, and hopeful citizenry.
# MMUF Travel & Research Grants

## Award Details

**Emphasis**  
Academic, Travel

**Brief Description of the Award**  
The MMUF Travel & Research Grants are available to graduate students who participated in the Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Program. The grants provide eligible graduate students with the financial means to complete their research prior to the start of dissertation writing. Funding is for one summer or one semester of travel and/or research support. Awards are based on the scholarly merit of the individual applications received.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**  
Up to $5,000

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## Eligibility

**Applicant Education Level:**  
Graduate

**Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?**  
☑ Yes  
☐ No

**Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?**  
☑ Yes  
☐ No

**Open to (non-US) International Students?**  
☑ Yes  
☑ No  
☐ Some

**Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?**  
☑ Yes  
☐ No

**Limited to Specific Fields of Study?**  
☑ Yes  
☐ No

**Additional Requirements**  
Awards are based on the scholarly merit of the individual applications received.

## Candidate Profile

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**  
Innovative research that explores critical questions within a discipline and provides a unique perspective that challenges existing narratives.

## Application

**Date Application Available:**  
N/A
The Institute for Citizens & Scholars
MMUF Travel & Research Grants

Application Due Date: March
Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes, No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: Yes, No
Institutional Endorsement Required: Yes, No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: Yes, No

SELECTION
Number Awarded: 13
Interview: not required
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: April
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: May

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INFORMATION SESSIONS
Webinars for Candidates? Yes, No
Webinars for Advisors? Yes, No

Additional Comments
The Institute for Citizens & Scholars (citizensandscholars.org, formerly the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation) is a 75-year-old organization that has played a significant role in shaping American higher education. Now, with an expanded mission, Citizens & Scholars prepares leaders and engages networks of people and organizations to meet urgent education challenges. The overarching goal is to shape an informed, productively engaged, and hopeful citizenry.
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THE CHARLOTTE W. NEWCOMBE DOCTORAL DISSERTATION FELLOWSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Dissertation Completion

Brief Description of the Award
The Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Dissertation Fellowships support the final year of work on Ph.D. dissertations dealing with ethical or religious values in fields across the humanities and social sciences.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$27,500

Can the Award Be Deferred? □ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? □ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Ph.D.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?
□ Yes ☑ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?
□ Yes ☑ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?
□ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?
□ Yes ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?
□ Yes ☑ No

Additional Requirements
Must be completing their dissertations during the academic year of the award.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Dissertation work in the humanities and social sciences by Ph.D. candidates displaying innovative and original research focused on questions of ethical or religious values. Successful candidates demonstrate the necessary level of preparation to carry out the proposal and expect to complete the dissertation during the spring or summer of the fellowship year.
The Institute for Citizens & Scholars  
The Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: August
Application Due Date: Mid-November
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes □ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: □ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: □ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: □ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Number Awarded: 21
Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: □ Yes □ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: Mid-March
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Late April

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? □ Yes ☑ No
Webinars for Advisors? □ Yes ☑ No

Additional Comments
The Institute for Citizens & Scholars (citizensandscholars.org, formerly the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation) is a 75-year-old organization that has played a significant role in shaping American higher education. Now, with an expanded mission, Citizens & Scholars prepares leaders and engages networks of people and organizations to meet urgent education challenges. The overarching goal is to shape an informed, productively engaged, and hopeful citizenry.
Awards Details

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
Since 1974, the Woodrow Wilson Dissertation Fellowship in Women’s Studies has been the only national program supporting original, significant, interdisciplinary doctoral dissertations on women’s issues. The WW Women’s Studies Fellowships support the final year of dissertation writing for Ph.D. candidates in the humanities and social sciences whose work addresses topics of women and gender in interdisciplinary and original ways.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$5,000

Can the Award Be Deferred?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Eligibility

Applicant Education Level:  Ph.D.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?  □ Yes  ☑ No  □ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  □ No

Women’s Studies

Candidate Profile

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Ph.D. candidates in the humanities and social sciences whose original and cutting edge research focuses on women’s issues and matters of gender. Successful candidates demonstrate the necessary level of preparation to carry out the proposal and expect to complete the dissertation during the spring or summer of the fellowship year.
The Institute for Citizens & Scholars
WW Dissertation Fellowship in Women’s Studies

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: August
Application Due Date: Mid-October
Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: No
Institutional Endorsement Required: No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: No
Specific Notes/Exceptions:

SELECTION

Number Awarded: 8
Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: No
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: January
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Early March

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? No
Webinars for Advisors? No
Additional Comments
The Institute for Citizens & Scholars (citizensandscholars.org, formerly the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation) is a 75-year-old organization that has played a significant role in shaping American higher education. Now, with an expanded mission, Citizens & Scholars prepares leaders and engages networks of people and organizations to meet urgent education challenges. The overarching goal is to shape an informed, productively engaged, and hopeful citizenry.
INSTITUTE OF CURRENT WORLD AFFAIRS (ICWA)

ICWA FELLOWSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Research, Experiential, Travel, Writing

Brief Description of the Award
ICWA advances deep knowledge of global cultures and affairs. We achieve that by supporting fellows for two-year immersive programs of independent research and writing abroad.

Award Stipend/Benefits
ICWA provides full financial support for its fellows and their immediate accompanying families. “Full financial support” does not mean unlimited financial support; fellows are expected to live and spend modestly.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: N/A
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Age Limit 36
Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Additional Requirements
Applicants must have excellent written and spoken English-language skills and must have completed the current phase of their formal education. (We do not accept applications from currently enrolled undergraduate students.)
We expect candidates to have the necessary language skills to allow to them to carry out their proposed projects. That means enough language proficiency for them to be able to function in the local language within a few months of arriving in country.
CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

We are looking for promise, curiosity and enthusiasm in candidates, and consider whether they are ready for the rapid personal growth the fellowship makes possible. Extensive professional experience in a proposed area is not always necessary; fellowships are aimed at developing local knowledge and writing skills, not necessarily awarding research or reporting opportunities to those who already possess them.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Late 2023
Application Due Date: Mid-2024
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Specific Notes/Exceptions:

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 100
Number Awarded: 1-2
Interview: in-person, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates?: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Webinars for Advisors?: ☑ Yes ☑ No
**THE KNIGHT-HENNESSY SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

**KNIGHT-HENNESSY SCHOLARS**

**AWARD DETAILS**

**Emphasis**
Academic, Research, Language, Experiential, Travel, Leadership Development

**Brief Description of the Award**
Knight-Hennessy Scholars cultivates and supports a multidisciplinary and multicultural community of graduate students from across Stanford University, and delivers engaging experiences that prepare graduates to be visionary, courageous, and collaborative leaders who address complex challenges facing the world. Our leadership program has three goals: to broaden our scholars’ multicultural perspective, to prepare scholars to drive meaningful results, and to deepen their commitment to a greater good. Each year we aim to select up to 100 graduate students based on their demonstration of independence of thought, purposeful leadership, and a civic mindset, and we fund up to three years of graduate study.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
With founding gifts totaling more than $750 million, Knight Hennessy Scholars is the largest fully endowed graduate fellowship in the world. Our endowment funds both the leadership development program and our scholars’ graduate studies. As a Knight-Hennessy scholar, students receive financial support that fully covers tuition and associated fees for up to three years of graduate study. If a degree program exceeds three years, then students will explore funding options with the Stanford department that offers their degree.

In addition to tuition and fees, scholars also receive a stipend for living and academic expenses and a travel grant to cover one annual economy-class ticket to and from Stanford. Scholars are also eligible to apply for supplemental funds supporting academic enrichment activities.

**Can the Award Be Deferred?**  
☐ Yes  ☑ No

**Can the Award be Renewed?**  
☐ Yes  ☑ No

**ELIGIBILITY**

**Applicant Education Level:**  To join the 2024 cohort, you must have earned your undergraduate degree in 2017 or later. For applicants who served in the military after their undergraduate studies, we extend the eligibility window by two years in acknowledgement of longer service comm

**Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?**  
☑ Yes  ☐ No

**Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?**  
☑ Yes  ☐ No

**Open to (non-US) International Students?**  
☑ Yes  ☐ No  ☐ Some

**Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?**  
☐ Yes  ☑ No

**Limited to Specific Fields of Study?**  
☐ Yes  ☑ No
The Knight-Hennessy Scholars Program
Knight-Hennessy Scholars

Additional Requirements
Knight-Hennessy Scholars applicants must also apply and be admitted to a Stanford degree program to be selected as a scholar.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

We seek scholars who demonstrate three evaluation criteria:

INDEPENDENCE OF THOUGHT: We seek visionary thinkers who are curious, open-minded, analytical, eager for cross-cultural perspective, and genuinely excited to boldly and creatively address our world’s important challenges.

PURPOSEFUL LEADERSHIP: We seek courageous leaders who are ethical, decisive, resilient, driven to achieve meaningful results, and motivated to inspire others to effect positive change at scale.

CIVIC MINDSET: We seek collaborative community members who are humble, empathetic, trustworthy, oriented to act in service of others, and deeply passionate about contributing to the greater good.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: June 1, 2023
Application Due Date: October 11, 2023
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Specific Notes/Exceptions: Institutional endorsements are optional

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 7000
Number Awarded: Up to 100
Interview: in-person, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: Late January 2024
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Mid-March 2024
Specific Notes/Exceptions: Immersion Weekend (interviews) returned to in-person this past year after two years online due to COVID-19. We plan to continue an in-person Immersion Weekend
experience for the 2024 cohort, although one of our two required interviews will take place online prior to our finalist weekend on Stanford’s campus.

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No  
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No  
Additional Information Sessions You can find all Knight-Hennessy Scholars information sessions online at https://apply.knight-hennessy.stanford.edu/portal/admission-events.
THE HENRY LUCE FOUNDATION
LUCE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Experiential

Brief Description of the Award
The Luce Scholars Program, a nationally competitive fellowship program, was launched by the Henry Luce Foundation in 1974. It offers a year of immersive living and working experience in Asia designed to introduce this diverse region to talented, public interest-minded young Americans. The program provides stipends, language training, and individualized professional placement in Asia for 15-18 Luce Scholars each year, and welcomes applications from college seniors, graduate students, and young professionals in a wide range of fields and from a variety of backgrounds who have had limited exposure to Asia.

The program, with its focus on experiential and cohort learning, cultivates a unique brand of leadership based on intellectual curiosity, a capacity for learning, and a willingness to serve others. The Scholars' personal and professional growth is not only transformative for them during their Luce year, but also continues to impact their trajectories as they maintain their ties to Asia and make contributions to their fields and communities in the United States and elsewhere.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$32,000 base with an increased base amount for those placed in countries with a higher cost-of-living

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  College seniors, graduate students and young professionals

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Age Limit  32

Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Additional Requirements
- Candidates must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents.
Candidates may be graduating seniors, recent graduates, or young professionals under the age of 32, OR if older than 32, candidates must have received their bachelor’s degree within the past three years.

- Candidates who have spent a significant amount of time (18 weeks or more since beginning college) in more than one of the countries where we place Luce Scholars are not eligible to apply for the Luce.

- Candidates who have spent 18 weeks or more (since beginning college) in only one of the countries where we place Luce Scholars are eligible to apply but will not be placed in the country where they have spent significant time.

**CANDIDATE PROFILE**

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

The Luce Foundation is committed to nurturing a new generation of leaders with the humility, curiosity, and cultural competency needed to work collaboratively on a global stage. Successful candidates should have a record of high achievement, outstanding leadership potential, and clearly defined interests.

The Luce Scholars Program is experiential rather than academic in nature. Personal qualities such as resilience, flexibility, adaptability, humility, maturity, creativity, openness to new ideas, and sensitivity to cultural differences are as important as academic achievement. Candidates are not judged on the basis of whether or not they have developed specific plans for their year in Asia. A candidate may have general ideas about the kind of placement preferred, but this is not considered as either a negative or positive factor.

We strive for diversity, equity, and inclusion in all aspects of the Luce Scholars Program; they are critical to our mission of developing young leaders and to the future of American society. In the selection process, we broadly consider candidates’ unique perspectives and experiences, including but not limited to those of marginalization, disadvantage, or hardship, and how they faced or overcame such challenges, which may be rooted or reflected in race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender expression, economic status, disability, and/or religious belief, as well as family background (e.g. first-generation American, or first-generation to college).

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- Candidates May Submit Directly: ☐ Yes ☑ No
- Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☑ Yes ☐ No
- Institutional Endorsement Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No
- Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Specific Notes/Exceptions: The Luce Scholars application is open to US citizens and permanent residents. Candidates must first complete an eligibility questionnaire. If eligible, they will be prompted to complete the application. The application deadline is October 15 at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (or the following Monday should the 15th fall on a weekend). Late applications (including transcripts and letters of recommendation) will not be accepted.

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 400
Number Awarded: 15-18
Interview: in-person, Zoom, Semifinalist interview on Zoom / Finalist interview in person
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: Early December
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Late January

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Additional Information Sessions: Campus visits on request
JAMES MADISON MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP FOUNDATION

JAMES MADISON FELLOWSHIPS

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
James Madison Fellowships were created to honor Madison’s legacy and Madisonian principles by providing support for graduate study that focuses on the Constitution—its history and contemporary relevance to the practices and policies of democratic government.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$24,000

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Undergraduate and master’s degree

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Age Limit
Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Additional Requirements
Fellowship applicants compete only against other applicants from the state of their legal residence. To be eligible to apply for a fellowship, you must: Be a U.S. citizen; Be a teacher, or plan to become a teacher, of American history, American government, or civics classes where you will teach topics on the Constitution at the secondary school level (grades 7–12); Possess a bachelor’s degree or plan to receive a bachelor’s degree no later than August 31 of the year in which you are applying.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Commitment to teaching the U.S. Constitution at the secondary level.
# APPLICATION

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| Number of Applications Received: | 300 |
| Number Awarded: | 60 |
| Interview: | not required |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid: | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | April 15 |

# CONTACT INFORMATION

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# INFORMATION SESSIONS

| Webinars for Candidates? | ☐ Yes ☑ No |
| Webinars for Advisors? | ☐ Yes ☑ No |

Additional Comments

Full details about the James Madison Fellowships can be found at www.jamesmadison.gov.
## Award Details

**Emphasis**
Academic

**Brief Description of the Award**
Marshall Scholarships finance young Americans of high ability to study for a degree in the United Kingdom. Up to fifty Scholars are selected each year to study at graduate level at an UK institution in any field of study.

As future leaders, with a lasting understanding of British society, Marshall Scholars strengthen the enduring relationship between the British and American peoples, their governments and their institutions. Marshall Scholars are talented, independent and wide-ranging, and their time as Scholars enhances their intellectual and personal growth. Their direct engagement with Britain through its best academic programmes contributes to their ultimate personal success.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
University fees, cost of living expenses, annual book grant, thesis grant, research and daily travel grants, fares to and from the United States and, where applicable, a contribution towards the support of a dependent spouse.

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## Eligibility

**Applicant Education Level:** Undergraduate/Master’s degree

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Certain courses are not funded. See courses not funded section of Rules.

**Minimum GPA** 3.7

**Additional Requirements**
Open only to United States citizens who (at the time they take up their Scholarship) hold a first degree from an accredited four-year college or university in the United States with a minimum GPA of 3.7. To qualify for awards tenable from October 2024, candidates must have graduated from their
undergraduate college or university after April 2021. Persons already studying for or holding a British degree or degree-equivalent qualification are not eligible to apply for a Marshall Scholarship.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

ACADEMIC MERIT:

1. Quality of Programme of study. Is the proposed programme coherent and well thought through? Does the candidate’s writing give evidence of higher-order thinking skills and the ability to express thoughts clearly and without jargon?

2. Knowledge of Proposed Courses and Supervisors. Has the candidate established the relevance of the proposed academic programme to his or her scholarly and career plans and, in the case of a research proposal, provided evidence of substantive engagement with the proposed supervisor(s)? Is there a compelling academic rationale for doing the work at a British university with Marshall support?

3. Evidence of Academic Background that is Strong and Relevant. Does the transcript show evidence of high academic achievement? Does this coursework prepare the candidate for the planned field of study? Is there other evidence of high-level performance (e.g. merit scholarships, academic prizes, research results, artistic creations, publications)?

4. Quality and Breadth of Recommendations. Are the recommendations excellent and from people who know the candidate and can make informed comparisons with many other students? Do the recommendations, taken together, provide specific and well-documented details about leadership and ambassadorial potential as well as academic excellence?

LEADERSHIP POTENTIAL:

1. Ability to Deliver Results. Can the candidate demonstrate how he or she delivered results from a position of leadership - whether by organizing, mobilizing or inspiring others. This may have been through his/her intellectual or artistic contributions or in other ways. Is there evidence that the candidate initiated something and carried it through to an outcome? Is the candidate likely to attain a position of influence in his/her field of expertise?

2. Strength of Purpose. Has the applicant demonstrated courage of conviction, persistence, and determination in the pursuit of his or her goals? Do the candidate’s extra-curricular activities indicate commitment?

3. Creativity. Is there evidence of creativity and innovation in the candidate’s approach to answering questions or solving problems?

4. Self-Awareness. Is there evidence of a strong desire to contribute to society? Is the candidate aware of his or her role in particular activities and impact on other people? Can the candidate explain what changed as a result of his or her involvement in something?
AMBASSADORIAL POTENTIAL:

1. Knowledge of US/UK Relations. Is there evidence that the candidate understands the general US/UK relationship, as well as specific aspects of this relationship that are pertinent to his or her field of study? Is the candidate aware of opportunities for on-going relationships with UK counterparts?

The Commission are looking for candidates who have the potential to excel as scholars, as leaders and as contributors to improved UK-US understanding. In doing so, the Commission recognise the value of diversity among applicants and promote equality of opportunity.

The selection criteria are divided into three equally weighted categories:

- Academic Merit
- Leadership Potential
- Ambassadorial Potential

To be eligible, candidates should:

Be citizens of the United States of America (at the time they apply for a scholarship);

(By the time they take up their scholarship i.e. September 2024) hold their first undergraduate degree from an accredited four-year college or university in the United States;

Have obtained a grade point average of not less than 3.7 on their undergraduate degree at the time of application. We do not accept rounded GPA’s.

Have graduated from their first undergraduate college or university after April 2021.

Not have studied for, or hold a degree or degree-equivalent qualification from a British University or GCSE or A Levels taken at school in the UK

Candidates should understand the programme objectives and demonstrate their commitment to studying in the UK.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: June

Application Due Date: 5:00 pm in region where endorsing institution is located
26 September 2023 for applicants, 28 September 2023 for institutions

Candidates May Submit Directly: ☐ Yes ☑ No

Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☑ Yes ☐ No

Institutional Endorsement Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No

Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Endorsing institutions may only submit 24 applications.
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**Additional Information Sessions**

British Consulates run sessions for universities in their regions.

**Additional Comments**

- Please see the outreach section of our website: https://www.marshallscholarship.org/the-scholarship/outreach
- For guidance on interviews please see our website: https://www.marshallscholarship.org/apply/interviews.
MARSHALL AID COMMEMORATION COMMISSION

MARSHALL SHERFIELD FELLOWSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Research, Postdoctoral Fellowship

Brief Description of the Award
The Fellowships, which are funded by the Marshall Sherfield Fellowship Foundation, and administered by the Marshall Commission, enable American scientists or engineers to undertake post-doctoral research for a period of two academic years at a British university or research institute.

The Fellowships are named after Sir Roger Makins FRS, later Lord Sherfield (1904-1996), British Ambassador to the United States from 1953 to 1956 and the architect of the Marshall Scholarships programme. He went on to be the Chairman of the Marshall Commission, and of the UK Atomic Energy Authority, and from 1970-1992 was Chancellor of the University of Reading.

The aim of the Marshall Sherfield Fellowships is to introduce American scientists and engineers to the cutting edge of UK science and engineering. It is intended that this in turn will build longer-term contacts and international links between the United Kingdom and the United States in key scientific areas. The wider objectives are similar to those of the Marshall Scholarships programme:

- To enable intellectually distinguished young Americans, their country's future leaders, to study in the UK.
- To help fellows gain an understanding and appreciation of contemporary Britain.
- To contribute to the advancement of knowledge in science and technology at Britain's centres of academic excellence.
- To motivate fellows to act as ambassadors from the USA to the UK and vice versa throughout their lives thus strengthening British American understanding.
- To promote the personal and academic fulfilment of each fellow.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Full living costs, flights to and from the UK, allowances and a £4000 research support grant

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☑ Yes ☐ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Must have Completed their PhD before commencing the fellowship in October of the relevant year. Therefore, applicants are typically in the final year of their PhD at the time of application.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?
Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission
Marshall Sherfield Fellowship

☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to (non-US) International Students?
☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?
☐ Yes ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?
☑ Yes ☐ No
Post-doctoral research in any area of science and/or engineering

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

To be eligible to apply, candidates must:
- Be citizens of the United States of America normally resident in the USA.
- Hold a doctorate in a science or engineering subject by the time they take up their Fellowship.

In appointing Fellows, the selectors will look for distinction of intellect and character as evidenced both by their scholastic attainments and by their other activities and achievements. Candidates, who will be expected to pursue high level research during their Fellowship, should demonstrate an outward-looking disposition, good communications skills and the potential to promote British-American understanding. Preference will be given to candidates who combine high academic ability with the capacity to play an active part in the life of the United Kingdom university or research institute to which they go, and to those who display a potential to make a significant contribution to their own society. Selectors will also look for strong motivation and seriousness of purpose, including the presentation of a specific and realistic research programme. As such, candidates will be asked to outline the UK universities or research institutions and departments in which you they are proposing to work if awarded a Fellowship and provide details where research proposals have already been agreed with contacts at these universities or institutions. These Fellowships are not available for the study of a higher degree.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Applications are accepted every other year.
Next application cycle: June 2024
Application Due Date: October 2024
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION
Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission
MARSHALL SHERFIELD FELLOWSHIP

Number of Applications Received: 10
Number Awarded: 1
Interview: in-person, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: November 2022
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: December 2022

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☐ Yes ☑ No
MCCALL MACBAIN SCHOLARSHIPS AT MCGILL UNIVERSITY

**McCall MacBain Scholarships**

**Award Details**

**Emphasis**
Academic, Research, Experiential, Leadership

**Brief Description of the Award**
Full scholarships with mentorship and leadership skills development opportunities for students interested in applying to master’s and professional studies at McGill University. The scholarships are granted on the basis of character, community engagement, leadership potential, entrepreneurial spirit, academic strength, and intellectual curiosity. They fund over 150+ eligible master’s programs and three professional programs (law, dentistry, medicine). We offer 30 full scholarships and 100 other awards ($5,000 to $20,000 CAD) to students for the following year’s admission.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
- Full coverage of tuition and fees for an eligible master’s or professional program at McGill University (e.g. $22,000 per year)
- Living stipend of $2,000 CAD per month during academic terms (e.g. $16,000 - $24,000 per year)
- Relocation grant and summer funding options
- Participation in a diverse community of scholars with a leadership development curriculum, mentoring relationships, annual retreat, and other activities designed to help students develop their leadership skills and ability to make a positive impact

**Can the Award Be Deferred?**
- ☐ Yes
- ☑ No

**Can the Award be Renewed?**
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** These scholarships fund the normal duration of the program (1-4 years), but scholars submit renewal requests annually to maintain the scholarship.

**Eligibility**

**Applicant Education Level:** Undergraduate degree or higher. Students may be in their final year of studies when they submit their application; they must complete their degree requirements by August of the following year.

**Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?**
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

**Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?**
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

**Open to (non-US) International Students?**
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

**Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?**
- ☐ Yes
- ☑ No

**Limited to Specific Fields of Study?**
- ☐ Yes
- ☑ No
Additional Requirements
Two-thirds of scholarships are offered to students with Canadian citizenship, permanent residency, or refugee status, and one-third to students of any other citizenship/nationality.

CANDIDATE PROFILE
Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Character, community engagement, leadership potential, entrepreneurial spirit, academic strength, and intellectual curiosity.

APPLICATION
Date Application Available: June
Application Due Date: September for programs starting the following year
Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: Yes No
Institutional Endorsement Required: Yes No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: Yes No

SELECTION
Number Awarded: 30 + 100
Interview: in-person, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: Yes No N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: October/November for regional interviews, December for final interviews
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: March
Specific Notes/Exceptions: Travel costs covered for final interviews, which take place in Montreal. First round of "regional" interviews are mostly online.

CONTACT INFORMATION
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Website: https://mccallmacbainscholars.org
# McCall MacBain Scholarships at McGill University

## McCall MacBain Scholarships

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Additional Information Sessions: [https://mccallmacbainscholars.org](https://mccallmacbainscholars.org)
U.S. - IRELAND ALLIANCE

GEORGE J. MITCHELL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Experiential

Brief Description of the Award
The George J. Mitchell Scholarship Program is a nationally competitive post-graduate award for U.S. citizens sponsored by the US-Ireland Alliance. The Mitchell Scholarship is designed to introduce and connect future American leaders to the island of Ireland, while recognizing and fostering academic excellence, leadership, and a commitment to public service. After their Mitchell year, scholars remain a part of our active alumni community.

Award Stipend/Benefits
The scholarship covers tuition, housing, and a monthly stipend for one academic year. There is a cohort of up to 12 Scholars in each Mitchell class, that participate in events together during the year.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Post-graduate

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Age Limit 30

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Additional Requirements
There is no minimum GPA. Applicants must have a Bachelor's degree and U.S. citizenship.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Academic excellence, Commitment to public service, Demonstrated leadership

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.9
APPLICATION

Date Application Available: March 17, 2023
Application Due Date: September 28, 2023
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Specific Notes/Exceptions: graduated applicants may not have an institutional endorsement, however; the school may write on behalf of the applicant as a recommender.

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 320
Number Awarded: 12
Interview: Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes ☑ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: November 6, 2023
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: November 18, 2023

CONTACT INFORMATION

Primary Contact: Serena Wilson
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Website: https://www.us-irelandalliance.org/mitchellscholarship/applicants

INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Additional Comments
The FAQs on the US-Ireland Alliance website should answer most questions. If you need additional assistance, e-mail the Director of the Mitchell Scholarship Program
NAACP LEGAL DEFENSE FUND (LDF)

MARSHALL-MOTLEY SCHOLARS PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
Established by the NAACP Legal Defense Fund (LDF), the Marshall-Motley Scholars Program (MMSP) is committed to identifying and investing in the next generation of aspiring lawyers dedicated to pursuing racial justice in the South, and for whom this work is a personal and professional calling. The MMSP will support and develop the next wave of civil rights lawyers in the South, where the majority of Black Americans live. Over the next five years, we will invest in the establishment of a corps of 50 civil rights attorneys equipped and prepared to advocate on behalf of Black communities in the South seeking racial justice and equity.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Scholars who demonstrate a commitment to the mission of the Marshall-Motley Scholars Program will be afforded: a full law school scholarship for tuition, room and board, and incidentals to alleviate the debt burden that can prevent future lawyers from pursuing a career as a civil rights lawyer; summer internships with national and regional civil rights organizations with offices in the South focused on racial justice to jumpstart training in civil rights law; two-year postgraduate fellowship at civil rights law organizations in the South fighting to achieve racial justice; and access to special trainings sponsored by LDF and the National Academy of Sciences.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  All applicants must be eligible to attend an ABA-approved law school the fall semester following the submission of their application

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Law
CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

- Purposeful & Committed: We want to understand why applicants care deeply about racial justice and why they are committed to pursuing the practice of civil rights law.
- Resilient: We want to understand how applicants foresee challenges, respond to them, and bounce back from them.
- Prepared to Lead: We want to understand how applicants are uniquely equipped to take on such a substantial leadership role in the world.
- Connected: We want aspiring lawyers who have a demonstrated commitment to working on issues of racial justice and equality and who have an interest in working in the South.

APPLICATION

Application Due Date: February
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 400
Number Awarded: 10
Interview: Zoom
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: March 15
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: April 15

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Website: https://marshallmotleyscholars.org/

INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No
INTRAMURAL NIAID RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES (INRO)

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Research

Brief Description of the Award
Intramural NIAID Research Opportunities (INRO) promotes biomedical research training in allergic, immunologic, or infectious diseases. Applicants for INRO should be talented senior-level undergraduate students, those who have recently completed a master’s degree, or those who are in their final year of a master’s degree program. Through INRO, the NIAID Office of Research Training & Development (ORTD) sponsors postbaccalaureate research trainees (postbacs) from U.S. populations underrepresented in the biomedical sciences and those dedicated to promoting diversity and inclusion — as defined by Notice of NIH’s Interest in Diversity Notice. Individuals from underrepresented populations and/or disadvantaged backgrounds are strongly encouraged to apply.

Candidates must demonstrate a strong commitment to the promotion of diversity and inclusion in the biomedical sciences and be actively pursuing a postbac research training position – also called an Intramural Research Training Award (IRTA) – in NIAID at the time of their INRO application.

If selected for INRO, finalists will have the opportunity to get to know the other finalists in their cohort and meet with prospective NIAID mentors, with the expectation that all finalists will join an NIAID laboratory and start their postbaccalaureate training on June 10, 2024.

Award Stipend/Benefits
NIH IRTA stipends are updated annually and available publicly online. Stipends vary depending on training and experience level. For specific information related to NIAID program stipends, contact NIAIDTraining@nih.gov.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☑ Yes ☐ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Postbaccalaureate (Undergraduate or Master's degree)

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Fields related to research conducted at the NIH - National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases (NIAID) - https://www.niaid.nih.gov/research/research-conducted-niaid

Minimum GPA 3.2

Additional Requirements
Applicants must be eligible for, and apply to, the NIH Postbaccalaureate IRTA Program. Applicants are expected to have a commitment to diversity in science and alignment with NIAID-specific research goals.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Candidates will be asked to provide a Diversity Statement to convey their commitment to diversity in science and a Research Statement outlining their passion for biomedical research and interest in NIAID-related fields.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: September 1, 2023
Application Due Date: November 27, 2023
Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: No
Institutional Endorsement Required: No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: There are two parts to the application - applicants must apply to the NIH Postbaccalaureate IRTA Program and submit a supplemental questionnaire specifically for INRO.

SELECTION

Number Awarded: 12
Interview: phone interview, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: N/A
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Early January 2024

Specific Notes/Exceptions: All selected candidates attend a virtual INRO event in February to meet with current fellows and prospective mentors.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Additional Information Sessions
Information sessions available on request. NIAID training office staff are always available to schedule information sessions or one-on-one discussions (with candidates or advisors) about INRO and other training opportunities available at the NIH - NIAID.

Additional Comments
Additional Point of Contact:
- Angela H Harris, Training Evaluation Specialist
- 301-761-5673
- angela.harris@nih.gov
NIH INTRAMURAL RESEARCH TRAINING AWARD (IRTA) & VISITING FELLOW PROGRAM (VFP)

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Research

Brief Description of the Award
The National Institutes of Health (NIH) Intramural Research Training Awards are designed to provide advanced training and practical research experiences for the principal benefit of the participant and to provide opportunities for developmental training and practical research experience in a variety of disciplines related to biomedical research, medical library research, and related fields.

To promote and develop the next generation of biomedical researchers, NIAID is committed to offering a broad spectrum of paid training opportunities, ranging from high school and undergraduate internships to postdoctoral fellowships. Trainees conduct research focused on understanding, treating, and preventing infectious, immunologic, and allergic diseases in NIAID labs located in Maryland and Montana, where they have access to a unique scientific research training environment in basic, translational, and clinical research. NIAID strives to promote diversity and inclusion by recruiting and supporting trainees from underrepresented communities and disadvantaged backgrounds.

Award Stipend/Benefits
NIH IRTA stipends are updated annually and available publicly online. Stipends vary depending on training and experience level. For specific information related to NIAID program stipends, contact NIAIDTraining@nih.gov.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☑ Yes  □ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Undergraduate, Postbaccalaureate, Graduate/Predoctoral, Medical School, Postdoctoral

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  □ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  □ No
Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  □ No  □ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  □ Yes  □ No
National Institutes of Health (NIH)

NIH INTRAMURAL RESEARCH TRAINING AWARD (IRTA) & VISITING FELLOW PROGRAM (VFP)

Fields related to research conducted at the NIH - National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases (NIAID) - https://www.niaid.nih.gov/research/research-conducted-niaid

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Trainees in the Intramural Research Program (IRP) in NIAID will conduct research focused on understanding, treating, and preventing infectious, immunologic, and allergic diseases.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Varies based on program
Application Due Date: Varies based on program
Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: Yes No
Institutional Endorsement Required: Yes No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: Yes No
Specific Notes/Exceptions:

SELECTION

Interview: in-person, phone interview, Zoom
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: Varies based on program
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Varies based on program
Specific Notes/Exceptions: The NIH Postbac IRTA and Summer Internship Programs require submission of an application to a centralized NIH application portal. Other programs' application process varies.
Not all programs require formal interviews. Interviews are typically coordinated with individual investigators.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Additional Information Sessions
Information sessions available on request. NIAID training office staff are always available to schedule information sessions or one-on-one discussions (with candidates or advisors) about the training opportunities available at the NIH - NIAID.

Additional Comments
Additional Point of Contact:
- Angela H Harris, Training Evaluation Specialist
- 301-761-5673
- angela.harris@nih.gov
AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research, Experiential

Brief Description of the Award
The Hollings Scholarship provides successful applicants with awards that include academic assistance of up to $9,500 per year for two years of full-time study and a 10-week, full-time, paid summer internship at any NOAA facility nationwide, with travel expenses included. Scholars also receive support to present their research at up to two national conferences.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Scholarship award of up to $9,500 per academic year, for two years of full-time study; a 10-week, full-time internship ($700/week) during the summer at a NOAA or partner facility; and travel support for up to two professional conferences

Can the Award Be Deferred?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  □ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Undergraduate sophomores
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Open to (non-US) International Students?  □ Yes  ☑ No  □ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  □ No

NOAA-mission aligned STEM fields, including, but not limited to: oceanic, environmental, biological, and atmospheric sciences, mathematics, engineering, remote sensing technology, computer and information science, physical and social sciences including ge

Minimum GPA  3.0

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
The review committee will evaluate each candidate’s application materials including responses to essay questions, reference forms, relevant coursework, and additional experience. Applicants should demonstrate in their personal statement interest in NOAA’s mission, creative solutions to
problems, ability to overcome challenges, leadership potential, impact of the scholarship on their academic and/or career goals, and motivation to persist in their academic and/or career goals.

**Average GPA of Recipients: 3.85**

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**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** Two references are required to be submitted with the application. At least one of the reference forms must be from a professor, visiting professor, teaching assistant, or lecturer who has taught the candidate at the undergraduate level, or a department chair, dean, or academic advisor. The second reference may be another academic reference or person who can speak to your capabilities and interests as they relate to this scholarship. References from former high school teachers, coaches, family members, or friends will NOT be accepted.

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**CONTACT INFORMATION**

Primary Contact: Hollings Scholarship Team
Position: Program Managers
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Website: https://www.noaa.gov/office-education/hollings-scholarship
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JOSÉ E. SERRANO EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM WITH
MINORITY SERVING INSTITUTIONS (EPP/MSI)
UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Research, Experiential

Brief Description of the Award
The EPP/MSI Undergraduate Scholarship provides awards of up to $45,000 to rising juniors at Minority Serving Institutions who are majoring in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields that are aligned with NOAA’s mission. EPP/MSI Scholars conduct research at NOAA facilities during two 10-week, full-time paid summer internships. Scholars also receive support to present their research at up to two national conferences.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Up to $45,000 in stipend, internship and travel support over two years.

Can the Award Be Deferred? □ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? □ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Undergraduate sophomores

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? □ Yes ☑ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? □ Yes ☑ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? □ Yes □ No ☑ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? □ Yes ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes □ No

NOAA-mission aligned STEM fields, including, but not limited to: oceanic, environmental, biological, and atmospheric sciences, mathematics, engineering, remote sensing technology, computer and information science, physical and social sciences including ge

Minimum GPA 3.2

Additional Requirements
Students attending Minority Serving Institutions as defined by the US Department of Education (Hispanic Serving Institutions, Historically Black Colleges and Universities, Tribal Colleges and
Universities, Alaskan-Native Serving Institutions, and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions) are eligible to apply for the program.

**CANDIDATE PROFILE**

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

The review committee will evaluate each candidate’s application materials including responses to essay questions, reference forms, relevant coursework, and additional experience. Applicants should demonstrate in their personal statement interest in NOAA’s mission, creative solutions to problems, ability to overcome challenges, leadership potential, impact of the scholarship on their academic and/or career goals, and motivation to persist in their academic and/or career goals.

**Average GPA of Recipients**: 3.75

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**SELECTION**

| Number of Applications Received: | 50 |
| Number Awarded: | 12 |
| Interview: | Zoom |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid: | ☑ N/A |
| Approximate Date Finalists Notified: | Second week of March |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | First week of April |
CONTACT INFORMATION

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Position: Program Manager
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Website: https://www.noaa.gov/office-education/epp-msi/undergraduate-scholarship

INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Additional Information Sessions
NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

GRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis

Academic, Research

Brief Description of the Award

The purpose of the NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP) is to ensure the quality, vitality, and diversity of the scientific and engineering workforce of the United States. GRFP seeks to broaden participation in science and engineering of underrepresented groups, including women, minorities, persons with disabilities, and veterans. The five-year fellowship provides three years of financial support, including an annual stipend of $37,000.

Award Stipend/Benefits

Fellowships provide the student with a three-year annual stipend of $37,000 along with a $12,000 cost of education allowance for tuition and fees (paid to the institution), as well as access to opportunities for professional development available to NSF-supported graduate students.

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Special Notes/Exceptions: Military and medical deferrals are accepted.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Applicants must be entering a graduate degree program, have completed no more than one year of graduate study at the time of application, or returning to graduate study after an interruption of two or more years. Full eligibility criteria is available in

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Chemistry, Life Sciences, Psychology, Computer and Information Sciences & Engineering, Materials Research, Social Sciences, Engineering, Mathematical Sciences, Geosciences, Physics & Astronomy, and STEM Education & Learning Research

Additional Requirements

Full eligibility requirements can be found in the most recent NSF GRFP Solicitation at www/nsfgrfp.org
National Science Foundation
Graduate Research Fellowship Program

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Reviewers evaluating applications submitted to the Graduate Research Fellowship Program may consider the following with respect to the Intellectual Merit Criterion: the potential of the applicant to advance knowledge based on a holistic analysis of the complete application, including the Personal, Relevant Background, and Future Goals Statement, Graduate Research Plan Statement, strength of the academic record, description of previous research experience or publication/presentations, and references.

Holistic review is a flexible, individualized way of assessing an applicant's interests and competencies by which balanced consideration is given to experiences, attributes, and academic achievements and, when considered in combination, how the applicant has demonstrated potential for significant research achievements in STEM and STEM education. Reviewers may consider the following with respect to the Broader Impacts Criterion: the potential of the applicant to benefit society and contribute to the achievement of specific, desired societal outcomes based on a holistic analysis of the complete application, including personal experiences, professional experiences, educational experiences, and future plans.

Average GPA of Recipients: 0

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Early August
Application Due Date: October
Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: Yes No
Institutional Endorsement Required: Yes No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: Yes No
Specific Notes/Exceptions:

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 14000
Number Awarded: 2000+
Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: Yes No N/A
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Early April
CONTACT INFORMATION

Primary Contact: NSF GRFP Operations Center
Position: Operations Center
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Website: https://nsfgrfp.org/

INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Additional Information Sessions Please visit https://nsfgrfp.org/events
Donald M. Payne International Development Fellowship Program

Award Details

Emphasis
Academic, Foreign Service Career

Brief Description of the Award
The USAID Donald M. Payne International Development Graduate Fellowship Program seeks to attract outstanding individuals who have been historically underrepresented in the USAID Foreign Service and are interested in pursuing careers in the Foreign Service of the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID). The Payne Fellowship provides up to $104,000 in benefits over two years for graduate school, internships, and professional development activities, and a unique pathway to the USAID Foreign Service.

Award Stipend/Benefits
The Payne Fellowship Program awards up to thirty fellowships valued at up to $52,000 annually for a two-year program. The award includes up to $24,000 per year toward tuition and mandatory fees for completion of a two-year master’s degree in international development or another area of relevance to the work of the USAID Foreign Service at a U.S. institution; a $18,000 stipend for each academic year for room, board, books and other education-related expenses; and up to $10,000 per year in stipend, housing, transportation, and related expenses for summer placements. Fellows who successfully complete the Payne Program and USAID Foreign Service entry requirements will receive appointments as Foreign Service Officers with the U.S. Agency for International Development.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Eligibility

Applicant Education Level:
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Age Limit  57

Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Minimum GPA  3.2
CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

The Payne Fellowship Selection Panel judges each applicant based on a variety of different criteria. It seeks individuals who show clear interest in a Foreign Service career at USAID, along with a strong academic background, a commitment to service, leadership skills, financial need for graduate school, diverse interests in areas such as international affairs and development, cultural sensitivity, writing skills, and an ability to overcome obstacles. A good application introduces the individual to the panel and shows his/her unique motivations, experiences, accomplishments, and career goals. Thus, there is no specific formula for preparing a competitive application, as each applicant is unique.

For more information please see:
https://www.paynefellows.org/graduate-fellowship-program/application-tips/

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.65

APPLICATION

Date Application Available:  Last week of July
Application Due Date:  First week of Nov
Candidates May Submit Directly:  ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate:  ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required:  ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required:  ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received:  550
Number Awarded:  30
Interview:  in-person, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid:  ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified:  Early Winter
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified:  Early January after interviews
Specific Notes/Exceptions: Only in Zoom during Covid but typically in-person

CONTACT INFORMATION

Primary Contact: Eurica Huggins
Position: Program Director
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U.S. Department of State / Howard University

**Donald M. Payne International Development Fellowship Program**

**Email:** paynefellows@howard.edu  
**Website:** https://www.paynefellows.org/

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THOMAS R. PICKERING FOREIGN AFFAIRS GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Professional Development leading to a career in the Foreign Service

Brief Description of the Award
The Thomas R. Pickering Foreign Affairs Graduate Fellowship Program is a program funded by the U.S. Department of State, administered by Howard University, that attracts and prepares outstanding young people for Foreign Service careers in the U.S. Department of State.

Award Stipend/Benefits
- Up to $24,000 annually towards tuition and mandatory fees for completion of an approved two-year master’s program in international affairs or another area relevant to the Foreign Service at a university based in the United States.
- A stipend of $18,000 per year, for each of the two years of graduate study to help pay living expenses, books, and travel while in school under the Pickering Fellowship. Stipends are also provided for summer internships.
- A mandatory orientation to the Pickering Fellowship and the Foreign Service, in late May/early June 2024, in Washington, DC.
- A ten-week internship at the Department of State in Washington, DC, during the summer between the first and second years of graduate school (2024).
- The assignment of a Department of State Foreign Service mentor to each Pickering Fellow.
- A ten-week overseas internship at a U.S. Embassy or Consulate during the summer following your second year of graduate school (2025).

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:
Minimum Undergraduate

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☑ Yes ☐ No

MA/MS Degree programs that meet the Department of State standards
Minimum GPA 3.2

Additional Requirements
2. Have a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.2 on a 4.0 scale at the time of application.
3. Seek admission to a two-year, full-time, on-campus, master's degree program at a U.S.-based graduate institution to begin in the fall of 2023 in an academic field relevant to the work of the Foreign Service (public policy, international affairs, public administration, business, economics, political science, management science, organizational development/leadership, sociology, or regional studies).

CANDIDATE PROFILE
Average GPA of Recipients: 3.5

APPLICATION
Date Application Available: Late June/Early July
Application Due Date: Late September
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☐ No

SELECTION
Number of Applications Received: 900
Number Awarded: 45
Interview: Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: October 2023
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: November 22, 2023

CONTACT INFORMATION
Primary Contact: Sterling Tilley
Position: Director, Pickering Fellowship
Phone: 2028065902
Email: Sterling.tilley@howard.edu
Website: https://pickeringfellowship.org/

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**Public Policy and International Affairs Program (PPIA)**

**Award Details**

**Emphasis**
Academic, Graduate School Preparation

**Brief Description of the Award**
The Public Policy and International Affairs Program (PPIA) offer an assortment of rigorous academic fellowship programs for undergraduates looking to advance their careers in public service. Our Junior Summer Institute (JSI) Fellowship Program is a rigorous academic graduate-level preparation program for undergraduate juniors with the purpose of preparing students to obtain a Master’s or a joint degree in public policy, public administration, international affairs, or a related field. Beyond that we offer an assortment of public service expos, conferences, and consortiums.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
The JSI Fellowship offers a fully-funded experience at one of our JSI campuses, a minimum of a one-time $5,000 scholarship at a PPIA consortium school if admitted for a Master’s degree (PPIA Fellows often receive financial offers above and beyond this minimum from their graduate program), and fee waiver when applying to a PPIA consortium school.

**Can the Award Be Deferred?**
- ☐ Yes
- ☑ No

**Can the Award be Renewed?**
- ☐ Yes
- ☑ No

**Eligibility**

**Applicant Education Level:** Applicants must have an expected graduation date between December 2024 and August 2025 for the Summer 2024 application cycle.

**Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?**
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

**Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?**
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

**Open to (non-US) International Students?**
- ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some

**Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?**
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

**Limited to Specific Fields of Study?**
- ☑ Yes
- ☐ No

Public policy, international affairs, and/or a related field.

**Additional Requirements**
- Must be committed to pursuing a Master’s Degree in public policy and/or international affairs at one of the PPIA Consortium graduate schools.
- Must be committed to and demonstrate an interest in pursuing a professional career associated with public service such as government, nonprofits, and humanitarian and international organizations.
Public Policy & International Affairs (PPIA) Program

PUBLIC POLICY AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS PROGRAM (PPIA)

- Must be interested in contributing to the diversity of perspectives present in the PPIA Junior Summer Institute Program. You must specifically demonstrate involvement in working to improve historically underserved or underrepresented communities, including African Americans, Asian Americans, Hispanics, Latinx, Native Americans, and Pacific Islanders.
- Economic need is given consideration during the review of applications.
- All academic majors are welcome to apply!

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

- Dedicated to pursuing a graduate degree from a PPIA consortium school with a degree in public policy, public administration, international affairs, and/or a related field.
- Demonstrate a commitment to public service and expected to pursue a public service-related career.
- Impressive academically, and more importantly, they will be culturally aware, socially sensitive, and share a common vision about making the world a better place.
- Contribute to diverse perspectives in public policy and international affairs.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Early September
Application Due Date: Early November
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Interview: not required
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Early February

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Website: https://ppiaprogram.org/
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PRINCETON IN ASIA

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Experiential, Travel

Brief Description of the Award
Princeton in Asia Fellowships foster mutual appreciation and cross-cultural understanding between the United States and Asia through immersive work fellowships in host organizations and communities. PiA fellowships span a variety of focus areas, including arts and culture, economic development, education, environmental sustainability, peace, justice, and access to information, public health, sports, and STEM. PiA aims to contribute to building a world where individuals share a mutual appreciation and respect for the diversity of cultures and perspectives and cultivates life-long bridges to Asia. The fellowship program offers Fellows a change in perspective, a job that matters and a community for life.

Award Stipend/Benefits
As employees of partnering host organizations, Fellows receive a stipend that covers the basic cost of living. Some positions include accommodation and round-trip airfare. Princeton in Asia covers Fellows’ visa costs, fully subsidizes the cost of travel medical and emergency evacuation insurance and 24/7 medical and emergency assistance support, and offers grants for travel and language study.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: One-year Fellows may renew for an additional year with the agreement of their host organization.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Recent college graduates
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No  ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Additional Requirements
Some positions may require specific academic training, language proficiency, or professional skills.
CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Successful applicants are those who seek a transformative experience, want to contribute to their host organization, facilitate cultural exchange through relationship building, and demonstrate personal and professional readiness to function effectively and independently in a foreign living and work environment.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: Late August
Application Due Date: November 1, 2023
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Specific Notes/Exceptions: Applicants must submit a letter of recommendation from an academic or professional reference.

SELECTION

Number Awarded:
In the 2024-2025 fellowship year, we anticipate offering between 50-60 fellowships.
Interview: Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: Late February
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Late March - Early April

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Website: https://piaweb.princeton.edu/
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Quad Fellowship

Award Details

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
The Quad Fellowship supports 100 exceptional American, Japanese, Australian, and Indian master's and doctoral students in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) to study in the United States. The fellowship develops a network of science and technology experts committed to advancing innovation and collaboration in the private, public, and academic sectors, in their own nations and among Quad countries.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$50,000 USD personal award, travel to multi-day summit, and virtual programming throughout the fellowship year.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  Yes  No
Can the Award be Renewed?  Yes  No

Eligibility

Applicant Education Level: Prospective Graduate Student
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? Yes  No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? Yes  No
Open to (non-US) International Students? Yes  No  Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? Yes  No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? Yes  No

STEM

Application

Date Application Available: November 2023
Application Due Date: Early February 2024
Candidates May Submit Directly: Yes  No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: Yes  No
Institutional Endorsement Required: Yes  No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: Yes  No
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### CONTACT INFORMATION

Primary Contact: Danielle Holman  
Position: Senior Manager, Talent Selection  
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Website: quadfellowship.org

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE / HOWARD UNIVERSITY
CHARLES B. RANGEL INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic, Foreign Service

Brief Description of the Award
The Rangel Graduate Fellowship is a program that aims to attract and prepare outstanding young people for careers in the Foreign Service of the U.S. Department of State in which they can help formulate, represent and implement U.S. foreign policy. The Rangel Program selects outstanding Rangel Fellows annually in a highly competitive nationwide process and supports them through two years of graduate study, internships, mentoring, and professional development activities. This program encourages the application of members of minority groups historically underrepresented in the Foreign Service, women, and those with financial need. Fellows who successfully complete the program and Foreign Service entry requirements will receive appointments as Foreign Service Officers, in accordance with applicable law and State Department policy.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Up to $42,000 annually for a two year period for tuition, room, board, books and mandatory fees for completion of two-year master’s degrees. This includes up to $24,000 per year for tuition and mandatory fees and an academic year stipend of $18,000.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  Yes    No
Can the Award be Renewed?  Yes    No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Bachelor’s, Master’s
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  Yes    No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  Yes    No
Age Limit  57
Open to (non-US) International Students?  Yes  No  Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  Yes  No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  Yes  No
Minimum GPA  3.2
Additional Requirements
US Citizenship
### CANDIDATE PROFILE

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

The Rangel Fellowship Selection Panel judges each applicant based on a variety of different criteria. It seeks individuals who show clear interest in a Foreign Service career with the U.S. Department of State, along with a strong academic background, a commitment to service, leadership skills, financial need for graduate school, diverse interests in areas such as international affairs and government, cultural sensitivity, writing skills, and an ability to overcome obstacles. A good application introduces the individual to the panel and shows their unique motivations, experiences, accomplishments, and career goals. Thus, there is no specific formula for preparing a competitive application, as each applicant is unique.

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### SELECTION

| **Number of Applications Received:** | 1000 |
| **Number Awarded:** | 45 |
| **Interview:** | in-person, Zoom |
| **Interview Travel Costs Paid:** | Yes | No | N/A |
| **Approximate Date Finalists Notified:** | Mid November |
| **Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified:** | Mid November |

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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**Website:** https://rangelprogram.org/
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THE RHODES TRUST

RHODES SCHOLARSHIP FOR U.S.

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
The Rhodes Scholarships are international postgraduate awards for students to study at the University of Oxford. Rhodes Scholars are young leaders of outstanding intellect and character who are motivated to engage with global challenges, committed to the service of others, and show promise of becoming value-driven, principled leaders for the world’s future.

For Rhodes scholarships in other constituencies and countries (outside of the U.S.), please refer to https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/which-scholarship/

Award Stipend/Benefits
Covers Oxford University (and College) fees and provides an annual stipend. Full funding for two or three years, depending on degree program.

Can the Award Be Deferred? □ Yes ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed? □ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Enrolled undergraduate students and those who have completed a bachelor's degree.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes □ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes □ No

Age Limit 24, or up to 28 if the first undergraduate degree was earned within the last 2 years

Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes □ No □ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? □ Yes ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? □ Yes ☑ No
Minimum GPA 3.7

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
Rhodes Selection Committees are looking for young people of outstanding intellect, character, leadership, and commitment to service. Academic excellence; energy to use one’s talents to the full; truth, courage, devotion to duty, sympathy for and protection of the weak, kindliness, unselfishness
The Rhodes Trust
Rhodes Scholarship for U.S.

and fellowship; moral force of character and instincts to lead, and to take an interest in one's fellow beings.

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.9

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: July 1, 2023
Application Due Date: October 4, 2023
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes □ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☑ Yes □ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☑ Yes □ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☑ Yes □ No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 1000
Number Awarded: 32
Interview: in-person
Interview Travel Costs Paid: □ Yes ☑ No □ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: November 1
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Mid to late November

CONTACT INFORMATION

Primary Contact: Office of the American Secretary
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Website: https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/the-rhodes-scholarship/

INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? □ Yes ☑ No
Webinars for Advisors? □ Yes ☑ No
AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
Samvid Scholars invests in future leaders committed to effective positive change in the world. It provides substantial tuition support for students entering graduate schools in the United States. In addition, scholars will engage in leadership development, service projects, and other learning opportunities. The program awards about 20 candidates each year who have an exceptional record achievement and are driven to make an impact.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Up to $50,000 for graduate school tuition and fees for two years, for a total award of up to $100,000

Can the Award Be Deferred?  
☐ Yes  ☑ No

Can the Award be Renewed?  
☐ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  
Incoming graduate school students

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  
☑ Yes  ☐ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  
☑ Yes  ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?  
☐ Yes  ☑ No  ☐ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  
☐ Yes  ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  
☐ Yes  ☑ No

Minimum GPA  
3.5

Additional Requirements
Applicants must be a first year graduate student for the upcoming academic year. Applicants must pursue a full-time graduate program that is at least two years long at a university in the United States. Applicants must be U.S. citizens. PhD candidates are not eligible.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Academic achievement, potential for success in graduate school, leadership, ambition to make a positive impact.

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.8
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### SELECTION

| Number of Applications Received:             | 708          |
| Number Awarded:                              | 20           |
| Interview:                                  | Zoom         |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid:                | ☑ N/A        |
| Approximate Date Finalists Notified:        | April 30     |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | Mid-May     |

**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** In future years, we may have in-person interviews

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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**Schwarzmans Scholars**

**Award Details**

**Emphasis**
Academic, Research, Language, Experiential, Travel, Global Leadership Development

**Brief Description of the Award**
Schwarzmans Scholars is an unparalleled graduate program, designed to ready the next generation of leaders to drive change. It is anchored in a fully-funded 10-month Master’s Degree in Global Affairs at Beijing’s Tsinghua University. The experience encompasses unique opportunities in and outside the classroom, providing Scholars with extensive leadership training, a network of senior mentors, opportunities to engage in high-level interactions with Chinese leaders and visiting speakers, optional internships, career development guidance, and travel seminars around China. Scholars learn about China’s importance on the global stage through a rigorous and dynamic core curriculum, delivered by world-class faculty and guest speakers. Schwarzmans Scholars readies young leaders for careers in which they will join a growing alumni network of leaders who are working to foster dialogue and build global understanding.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
Full Scholarship: Tuition and Fees; Room and Board; In-Country Study Tours; Travel to and from Beijing; Health Insurance; Stipend for Personal Expenses.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  □ Yes  ☑ No

**Eligibility**

**Applicant Education Level:** Bachelor’s degree

**Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?**  ☑ Yes  □ No

**Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?**  ☑ Yes  □ No

**Age Limit**  28

**Open to (non-US) International Students?**  ☑ Yes  □ No  □ Some

**Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?**  □ Yes  ☑ No

**Limited to Specific Fields of Study?**  □ Yes  ☑ No

**Additional Requirements**
English language proficiency
**CANDIDATE PROFILE**

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

Demonstrated Leadership; Exemplary Character and Integrity; Academic Aptitude and Intellectual Ability

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Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No

Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No

Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

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Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

Approximate Date Finalists Notified: June 2023 (China) | Mid-Oct. 2023 (U.S./Global)

Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Early July (China) | Late Oct/early Nov. (U.S./Global)

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**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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Additional Information Sessions

https://www.schwarzmanscholars.org/admissions/information-sessions/
THE PAUL & DAISY SOROS FOUNDATION

THE PAUL & DAISY SOROS FELLOWSHIPS FOR NEW AMERICANS

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans program honors the contributions of immigrants and children of immigrants to the United States. Each year, we invest in the graduate education of 30 New Americans—immigrants and children of immigrants—who are poised to make significant contributions to US society, culture or their academic field.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Each Fellow receives up to $90,000 in financial support over two years, and they join a lifelong community of New American Fellows.

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Bachelor’s degree

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Age Limit  30

Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No  ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
The candidate has demonstrated creativity, originality and initiative in one or more aspects of her/his life.

The candidate has demonstrated a commitment to and capacity for accomplishment that has required drive and sustained effort.

The candidate has demonstrated a commitment to the values expressed in the U.S. Constitution and the Bill of Rights. This would include, but not be limited to, support of human rights and the rule of
law, opposition to unwarranted encroachment on personal liberty, and advancing the responsibilities of citizenship in a free society.

APPLICATION

Date Application Available: April 25, 2023
Application Due Date: October 26, 2023
Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 2000
Number Awarded: 30
Interview: Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: Late January to Early February
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: Mid-April

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☑ Yes ☐ No
PAT TILLMAN FOUNDATION

PAT TILLMAN SCHOLARS PROGRAM

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
The Pat Tillman Foundation identifies remarkable military service members, veterans and spouses, empowering them with academic scholarships, lifelong leadership development opportunities and a diverse, global community of high-performing mentors and peers. Our scholars are making an impact as they lead through action in the fields of healthcare, business, public service, STEM, education and the humanities.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Annual renewable scholarship (award varies), professional development opportunities, global community

Can the Award Be Deferred?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Highly competitive merit based selection

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Full-time bachelor's degree or above.

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  ☐ No  ☑ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  ☑ Yes  ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☐ Yes  ☑ No

Minimum GPA  3.0

Additional Requirements
Veteran, Active Duty military service members, and current spouses enrolled as a full-time student in a bachelor's degree or above at an accredited U.S. based institution.

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
- Service: Dedication to service beyond self in and out of uniform
- Scholarship: A lifelong learner, passionate about intellectual growth
**Pat Tillman Foundation**  
**Pat Tillman Scholars Program**

- Humble Leadership: Selflessly committed to leading by example  
- Impact: Determined to unite others and advance ideas that change the world.

Tillman Scholars carry on Pat’s legacy and are making an impact with effects that will ripple outwards for years to come.

**Average GPA of Recipients:** 3.5

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**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** NOT ELIGIBLE: child dependents, cadets, current ROTC

**SELECTION**

| **Number of Applications Received:** | 2000 |
| **Number Awarded:** | 60 |
| **Interview:** | Zoom |
| **Approximate Date Finalists Notified:** | Mid May |
| **Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified:** | Mid June |

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**INFORMATION SESSIONS**

- **Webinars for Candidates?** | ☑ Yes □ No |
- **Webinars for Advisors?** | ☑ Yes □ No |
- **Additional Information Sessions**: YouTube videos and Resource tab on website
HARRY S. TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

HARRY S. TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Public Service

Brief Description of the Award
The Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation - the federal memorial to our thirty-third President - awards merit-based scholarships to college students who plan to pursue careers in government or elsewhere in public service. Truman Scholars receive up to $30,000 for graduate or professional school, participate in leadership development activities, and have special opportunities for internships and employment with the federal government.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$30,000 for graduate school, access to leadership development programs, opportunities for internships and employment with the federal government

Can the Award Be Deferred? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level: Junior year of undergraduate
Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Open to (non-US) International Students? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☐ Yes ☑ No
Additional Requirements
U.S. Citizen

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

We are looking for students with a record of leadership and commitment to a career in public service. Competitive applicants also have a vision for change and future leadership in the field of their choice.
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- **Candidates May Submit Directly:** No
- **Advisors Must Submit for Candidate:** Yes
- **Institutional Endorsement Required:** Yes
- **Institutional Cover Letter Required:** Yes

**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** Institutions limited to 4 nominations (can nominate up to 3 additional transfer students)

### SELECTION

- **Number of Applications Received:** 750
- **Number Awarded:** 60-65
- **Interview:** In-person
- **Interview Travel Costs Paid:** No
- **Approximate Date Finalists Notified:** 2/18/2024
- **Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified:** 4/15/2024

### CONTACT INFORMATION

- **Primary Contact:** Tara Yglesias
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- **Website:** www.truman.gov

### INFORMATION SESSIONS

- **Webinars for Candidates?** Yes
- **Webinars for Advisors?** Yes
- **Additional Information Sessions** Additional session for Finalists
UDALL FOUNDATION

UDALL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
The Udall Foundation awards scholarships to college sophomores and juniors for leadership, public service, and commitment to issues related to Native American nations or to the environment.

Award Stipend/Benefits
$7,000

Can the Award Be Deferred?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  □ Yes  ☑ No

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Undergraduate

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  □ No
Open to (non-US) International Students?  ☑ Yes  □ No  ☑ Some
Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  □ No

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

Strong career interests related to the environment, tribal policy, or Native health care. Demonstrated leadership, service, and integrity.

Average GPA of Recipients: 3.25

APPLICATION

Date Application Available:  September 2023
Application Due Date:  March 2024
Candidates May Submit Directly:  □ Yes  ☑ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate:  ☑ Yes  □ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☑ Yes  ☐ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes  ☑ No

SELECTION
Number Awarded: 55
Interview: not required
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: April 2024
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: April 2024

CONTACT INFORMATION
Primary Contact: Jason Curley
Position: Education Program Manger
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Email: curley@udall.gov
Website: https://www.udall.gov/OurPrograms/Scholarship/Scholarship.aspx

INFORMATION SESSIONS
Webinars for Candidates? ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☐ Yes  ☑ No
Additional Information Sessions Information sessions available upon request.
**UDALL FOUNDATION**

**NATIVE AMERICAN CONGRESSIONAL INTERNSHIP**

**AWARD DETAILS**

**Emphasis**  
Academic

**Brief Description of the Award**  
The Native American Congressional Internship Program provides Native American and Alaska Native students with the opportunity to gain practical experience with the federal legislative process in order to understand first-hand the government-to-government relationship between Tribes and the federal government.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**  
Housing, transportation to and from Washington, D.C., and $5,000 stipend

- Can the Award Be Deferred?  
  - Yes  
  - No

- Can the Award be Renewed?  
  - Yes  
  - No

**ELIGIBILITY**

**Applicant Education Level:**  
Undergraduate and graduate

- Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  
  - Yes  
  - No

- Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  
  - Yes  
  - No

- Open to (non-US) International Students?  
  - Yes  
  - No  
  - Some

- Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  
  - Yes  
  - No

- Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  
  - Yes  
  - No

**CANDIDATE PROFILE**

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

- Commitment to a career related to tribal public policy or supporting tribal communities;
- Leadership, public service, integrity, and consensus building;
- Knowledge and skills applicable to a federal agency or congressional office;
- Academic achievement; and
- An understanding of the Udall legacy, demonstrated through the application essay.

**Average GPA of Recipients:** 3.25
### APPLICATION

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### SELECTION

| Number of Applications Received: | |
| Number Awarded: | Up to 12 |
| Interview: | Zoom |
| Interview Travel Costs Paid: | Yes □ No □ N/A |
| Approximate Date Finalists Notified: | February 2024 |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: | March 2024 |

### CONTACT INFORMATION

- **Primary Contact:** Jason Curley
- **Position:** Education Program Manager
- **Phone:** 520-901-8564
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- **Website:** [https://www.udall.gov/OurPrograms/Internship/Internship.aspx](https://www.udall.gov/OurPrograms/Internship/Internship.aspx)

### INFORMATION SESSIONS

| Webinars for Candidates? | Yes □ No □ |
| Webinars for Advisors? | Yes □ No □ |
AWARD DETAILS

Emphasis
Academic

Brief Description of the Award
The Morris K. Udall and John S. McCain III Native American Graduate Fellowship in Tribal Policy (Native American Graduate Fellowship) recognizes outstanding Native American and Alaska Native graduate students who are currently pursuing advanced degrees in health care fields—including, but not limited to, health administration, health education, public health, medical practice, policy, research, or related-degrees—and who have demonstrated a commitment to Native health care. The Native American Graduate Fellowship Program honors the legacies of Morris K. Udall and John S. McCain III.

Award Stipend/Benefits
Native American Graduate Fellows will receive a monetary award of $25,000

Can the Award Be Deferred?  □ Yes  ☑ No
Can the Award be Renewed?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Specific Notes/Exceptions: Native American Graduate Fellowships may be used to fund academic expenses such as tuition and fees, professional development expenses such as field work and conference attendance, and cost of living expenses for the Fellowship year.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicant Education Level:  Graduate

Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree?  ☑ Yes  □ No

Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University?  ☑ Yes  □ No

Open to (non-US) International Students?  □ Yes  ☑ No  □ Some

Required to Demonstrate Financial Need?  □ Yes  ☑ No

Limited to Specific Fields of Study?  ☑ Yes  □ No

Healthcare related

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee
- Applicant's personal commitment to Native health care and engagement serving Native communities.
- Applicant's scholarly excellence, experience, and qualifications.
- Applicant’s potential to make a significant contribution to the field of Native health care.

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  □ No
- Advisors Must Submit for Candidate:  
  □ Yes  
  ✓ No
- Institutional Endorsement Required:  
  □ Yes  
  ✓ No
- Institutional Cover Letter Required:  
  □ Yes  
  ✓ No

### SELECTION

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- Interview Travel Costs Paid:  
  □ Yes  
  □ No  
  ✓ N/A
- Approximate Date Finalists Notified:  
  June 2024
- Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified:  
  July 2024

### CONTACT INFORMATION

Primary Contact: Jason Curley
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### INFORMATION SESSIONS

- Webinars for Candidates?  
  □ Yes  
  ✓ No
- Webinars for Advisors?  
  □ Yes  
  ✓ No
## WATSON FELLOWSHIP

### AWARD DETAILS

**Emphasis**
Travel

**Brief Description of the Award**
The Thomas J. Watson Fellowship is a one-year grant for purposeful, independent exploration outside the United States, awarded to graduating seniors nominated by one of 41 partner institutions.

**Award Stipend/Benefits**
$36,000 stipend, student loan reimbursement for a 12 month period, health insurance reimbursement, 24/7 Global health, safety and risk management support.

- Can the Award Be Deferred? ☐ Yes ☑ No
- Can the Award be Renewed? ☐ Yes ☑ No

**Specific Notes/Exceptions:** Medical deferrals are allowed

### ELIGIBILITY

**Applicant Education Level:** Bachelor’s degree

- Open to Applicants Who Have Completed an Undergraduate Degree? ☑ Yes ☐ No
- Open to Applicant Not Currently Enrolled in College/University? ☑ Yes ☐ No
- Open to (non-US) International Students? ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ Some
- Required to Demonstrate Financial Need? ☐ Yes ☑ No
- Limited to Specific Fields of Study? ☐ Yes ☑ No

**Additional Requirements**
Must be nominated by partner institution

### CANDIDATE PROFILE

**Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee**

Leadership, Imagination, Independence, Emotional Maturity, Courage, Integrity, Resourcefulness, Responsibility

### APPLICATION

**Date Application Available:** May
Udall Foundation
Morris K. Udall and John S. McCain III Native American Graduate Fellowship in Tribal Policy

Application Due Date: November

Candidates May Submit Directly: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Advisors Must Submit for Candidate: ☐ Yes ☑ No
Institutional Endorsement Required: ☑ Yes ☐ No
Institutional Cover Letter Required: ☐ Yes ☑ No

SELECTION

Number of Applications Received: 157
Number Awarded: 42
Interview: in-person, Zoom
Interview Travel Costs Paid: ☑ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
Approximate Date Finalists Notified: March
Approximate Date Selected Candidates Notified: March

CONTACT INFORMATION

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INFORMATION SESSIONS

Webinars for Candidates? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Webinars for Advisors? ☐ Yes ☑ No