

Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange

The Foundation's grants provide support for research on Chinese Studies in the humanities and social sciences

Research Grants Scholars at academic institutions are eligible to apply for research grants. Researchers focusing on the political, social, economic, or cultural development of Taiwan over the past few decades are especially encouraged to apply. Priority will be given to collaborative projects involving institutions in Taiwan. Research grants are usually given for no more than three years and should not exceed US\$120,000 for a three-year period. Grant funds may not be used to pay salaries to directors or co-directors.

Conference & Seminar Grants The Foundation will consider applications from institutions for grants to support conferences or seminars on specific subjects related to the Foundation's goals and objectives. Applicants are urged to seek matching funds. Applicants should submit the names of all participants, as well as titles and abstracts of papers to be presented. The academic background of the participants and the significance of the meeting will be key factors in the evaluation process. Budgets for conferences should not exceed US\$25,000. The Foundation will not support annual meetings held in consecutive years.

Senior Scholar Grants This program supports full professors or senior scholars wishing to take one year's sabbatical leave in order to do research and writing. Senior scholar grants, which range up to US\$40,000, are intended to supplement a professor's sabbatical pay. A letter of recommendation from the chairman of the department, the dean of the college, or the provost of university should be included in the application. Only a limited number of senior scholar grants are available annually.

CCK Junior Scholar Grants The Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation provides postdoctoral scholars and assistant professors without tenure who have taught for no more than 6 years since receiving their Ph.D. degree with grants for time off for research and writing. Applications should be accompanied by a letter of recommendation from the chairman of their department. These grants will be for one year. The maximum amount of each award is \$30,000.

Application Procedure All applicants are requested to <http://www.cckf.org/e-americaSS.htm>. Applicants in the American region should submit their applications to the foundation's regional office in McLean:

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THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMMES AND APPLICATIONS

1. The Chinese Government Scholarship Scheme - provides both full and partial scholarships for international students and scholars. The scheme supports students to study in China as undergraduates, postgraduates, Chinese language students, visiting scholars and senior visiting scholars. Applicants may apply for scholarship through education authorities, designated institutions or Chinese diplomatic missions in their home countries.

2. CHINA/UNESCO the Great Wall Fellowship Scheme- It is a full scholarship scheme established by the MOE for candidates recommended by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO). Only visiting and senior visiting scholar candidates are eligible. Applicants may apply either to UNESCO headquarters or to the UNESCO national committee in the applicants' home countries.

5. Chinese Cultural Research Fellowship Scheme - This scheme was established by the MOE to sponsor overseas scholars and specialists in Chinese culture to conduct short-term research in China. Applicants may apply to the CSC directly, or through the recommendation of relevant Chinese institutions, professors or Chinese diplomatic missions in their home countries.

http://www.cscse.edu.cn/Portal20/InfoModule_1684/1344.htm

Henry Luce Foundation – Asia Responsive Grants

Asia Responsive Grants provide opportunities to improve understanding between the United States and the Asia-Pacific region. These grants typically support research, create new scholarly and public resources, or promote the exchange of ideas and information between Americans and Asians.

Asia Responsive Grants are limited to work in the humanities and social sciences concerned with Northeast and Southeast Asia, typically for longer-term programs or projects that respond to the needs and priorities of the Asian studies field and benefit a wide range of scholars and institutions. Most awards are made to colleges, universities and organizations based in the United States.

<http://www.hluce.org/asiarespongrant.aspx>

The China-Cornell Fellowship Program/ China Bridges International (CBI)

The China-Cornell Fellowship Program supports the advancement of modern science in Chinese higher education and research by enabling young Chinese scientists living abroad to return to their country as part-time adjunct professors at selected institutions in China. CBI is committed to promoting international exchanges and collaboration between China and the rest of the world by strengthening existing and developing new fellowship programs. CBI consists of a spectrum of fellowship programs to support the best qualified and most highly committed scientists, educators, and engineers in the United States and other western countries to develop collaborative projects of scientific research, teaching, and technology transfer with fellow scientists in China. To date, CBI has awarded more than 60 multi-year fellowships involving more than 100 collaborative visitations by participating fellows. **For more information** Please contact:

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Fulbright Hong Kong General Education Program

Applications are invited for the Fulbright Hong Kong General Education Program (FHKGEP). This is a Traditional Fulbright Program for U.S. Scholars, which is designed to support Hong Kong universities as they prepare to introduce new four-year undergraduate degree programs in 2012.

More than twenty awards will be granted between 2008 and 2012. Early application is encouraged. If you are unable to participate, or if you want to apply with a friend, please forward this notice to your qualified associates who might be interested.

Please visit the Hong Kong General Education Initiative website: <http://www.hkgei.org> or the Hong Kong American Centre website: <http://www.cuhk.edu.hk/hkac> for more information about the goals and objectives of the program. Please visit the Council of International Exchange of Scholars website: http://www.cies.org/award_book/award2008/award/Bui8133.htm to view the official Fulbright (FHKGEP) Awards Announcement. For further information about how to apply for an award, please visit <http://www.cies.org> or contact David Adams at CIES: dadams@cies.iie.org or 202.686.4021.

Fulbright Grants for U.S. Faculty and Professionals

Program Summary The Fulbright Scholar Program is offering lecturing and research awards in some 140 countries. Traditional Fulbright awards are available from two months to an academic year or longer. A short term grants program—the Fulbright Senior Specialists Program—offers two to six week grants in a variety of disciplines and fields. While foreign language skills are needed in some countries, most Fulbright lecturing assignments are in English. Some 80 percent of the awards are for lecturing.

Get more information online at <http://www.cies.org>

National University of Singapore

3-Month Visiting (Senior) Research Fellowship Appointments from Asia Research Institute, NUS Applications are invited for 3-month Visiting (Senior) Fellowships at the Asia Research Institute (ARI), National University of Singapore to commence on **1 October 08**. The positions are intended for outstanding active researchers on Asian topics, with a balance anticipated between senior and junior, the Asian region and the world. At least one published outcome is expected, and applicants who do not normally publish in English will be encouraged and assisted to do so. Interdisciplinary interests are encouraged. "Asia" as a research field is defined loosely in terms of the region in which Singapore is positioned.

Visiting (Senior) Research Fellowship Appointments (ARI Sabbatical Leave Scheme) Applications are invited for Visiting (Senior) Fellowships (under ARI Sabbatical Leave Scheme) at the Asia Research Institute (ARI), National University of Singapore (NUS) to commence in **October 08**. The positions are intended for researchers who would like to devote the sabbatical term from their home institutions to conducting work in ARI, NUS. The positions are intended for outstanding active researchers on Asian topics.

(Senior) Research Fellowships, Postdoctoral Fellowships & One-Year (Senior) Visiting Fellowships Applications are invited for (Senior) Research Fellowships, Postdoctoral Fellowships and One-Year (Senior) Visiting Fellowships, at the Asia Research Institute (ARI) for commencement between **July 2008** and **December 2008**. The positions are intended for outstanding active researchers from both the Asian region and the world, to bring to completion an important program of research in the social sciences and humanities. Interdisciplinary interests are encouraged. "Asia" as a research field is defined loosely in terms of the region in which Singapore is positioned. Up to three months of a 12-month fellowship can be spent conducting fieldwork in the Asian region.

http://www.ari.nus.edu.sg/article_view.asp?id=6

China Studies Program

American Research in the Humanities in China This program is for scholars in the humanities to do research in China. US citizens and permanent residents who have lived in the United States continuously for at least three years prior to the application deadline are eligible to apply. This program supports individuals with the PhD or equivalent to do in-depth research on China or the Chinese portion of a comparative study. Grants are offered for 4 to 12 months of continuous research in China. Applicants should demonstrate that they have fully utilized the available resources in the United States and are prepared by virtue of study, training, and planning to take full advantage of an opportunity to do research in China. The program has been made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Chinese Fellowships for Scholarly Development Fellowships are available for Chinese scholars in the social sciences and humanities with the MA, PhD, or equivalent from a Chinese institution to carry out one or two semesters of individual or collaborative research at the invitation of a US host scholar. Candidates must be nominated by the US host; Chinese scholars may not apply directly. Nominees must currently reside in China. Scholars who have previously visited the United States for five months or more, or who are enrolled in degree programs, are not eligible. Funding for this program is provided by the Li Foundation.

ACLS/SSRC/NEH International and Area Studies Fellowships In order to encourage humanistic research in area studies, special funding by the National Endowment for the Humanities and the ACLS has been set aside for up to 10 ACLS/SSRC/NEH International and Area Studies Fellowships to be designated among the successful applicants to the central ACLS Fellowship competition. Scholars pursuing research and writing on the societies and cultures of Asia, Africa, the Middle East, Latin America and the Caribbean, Eastern Europe, and the former Soviet Union will be eligible for these special fellowships.

Charles A. Ryskamp Research Fellowships ACLS invites applications for the seventh annual competition for the **Charles A. Ryskamp Research Fellowships**. These fellowships support advanced assistant professors and untenured associate professors in the humanities and related social sciences* whose scholarly contributions have advanced their fields and who have well-designed and carefully developed plans for new research. The fellowships are intended to provide time and resources to enable these faculty members to conduct their research under optimal conditions. The ultimate goal of the project should be a major piece of scholarly work by the applicant that will take the form of a monograph or other equally substantial form of scholarship. ACLS does not fund creative work (e.g., novels or films), textbooks, straightforward translation, or pedagogical projects.

Archaeology and Early History of East and Southeast Asia The American Council of Learned Societies is pleased to announce the third annual competition for grants to individuals in the archaeology and early history of East and Southeast Asia. This program is undertaken in cooperation with the Henry Luce Foundation. Research fellowships and training grants will be awarded for study of the peoples and cultures of early East Asia. Comparative projects and those that build scholarly networks are especially encouraged. Proposals may cover prehistoric or historical periods, but must focus on research or training that involves excavations and/or excavated materials. For the purposes of this program, "East and Southeast Asia" refers to Brunei, Burma/Myanmar, Cambodia, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Laos, Macau, Malaysia, Mongolia, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, and Vietnam.

<http://www.acls.org/eaah.htm>

Young Scholars Competition

Four US Young Scholars will be selected on the basis of a nationwide competition to participate in the China-India-US Workshop on Science, Technology and Innovation Policy to be held on the campus of the Indian Institute of Science in Bangalore, India, July 7-9, 2008. They will also be encouraged to make visits of professional interest to

other parts of India following the workshop. The objective of the competition is to introduce a new generation to science, technology and innovation policy studies in China and India. Individuals with backgrounds in any science or engineering field (including social sciences) ranging from those who will have completed their junior undergraduate year by July 2008 to those who will have received their doctoral degrees up to two years prior to that date are eligible to apply. Preference will be given to applicants who have not had significant recent professional travel experience in China or India. Successful candidates will be expected to submit brief papers, based in part on their professional travel in India, for publication in the workshop proceedings. Applicants should submit a short (i.e., up to three page) justification for their desire to participate in the workshop based on their professional backgrounds and aspirations, including the proposed topic of their paper, and ask a senior mentor to submit a letter of recommendation. Applications and letters of recommendation should be submitted electronically to Dr. William Blanpie, Senior Research Scholar at George Mason University: wblanpie@gmu.edu, who will also respond to inquires about the competition. The deadline for applications is February 11, 2008, with results to be announced during the week of March 10.

http://www.law.gmu.edu/nctl/stpp/us_china.php#young_scholars_comp

●Taiwan Foundation for Democracy Fellowships

Every year, the Taiwan Foundation for Democracy grants a limited number of fellowships to applicants from around the world who wish to pursue research related to Taiwan's democracy and human rights. The TFD divides its fellowships into four categories: Dissertation Fellowships, for PhD candidates writing their thesis; Postdoctoral Fellowships, for those who have recently received their PhD; Democracy and Human Rights Service Fellowships, for those who want to be involved in democracy and human rights projects in Taiwan; and International Visiting Fellowships, for experienced democracy and human rights practitioners.

<http://www.tfd.org.tw/english/fellowships.php>

Language Grants for Advanced Asian Language Study

Blakemore Freeman Fellowships

Blakemore Freeman Fellowships fund a year of advanced study of an Asian language in Asia for American citizens and permanent residents of the United States who have a college degree and who plan to use an Asian language in their careers. Please refer to our [language grant main page](#) for grant guidelines and eligibility requirements. We also recommend our [FAQ](#) page, which has answers to many common questions. [Application forms](#) are printed from this website. For 2008 grants, study must start between June 2008 and May 2009.

Blakemore Refresher Grants

Blakemore Refresher Grants are short-term grants available to former Blakemore Fellows, professors who are teaching in an Asian field at a university or college in the United States whose degree is in an Asian field, post-doctoral professionals whose degree is in an Asian field, and graduates of the regular academic-year programs at IUC-Yokohama, IUP-Beijing, and the ICLP-Taipei. Please refer to our [Refresher Grant](#) page for further information. [Application forms](#) are printed from this website. Applications from former Blakemore Fellows may be submitted for consideration at any time and are reviewed and awarded on a rolling basis.

<http://www.blakemorefoundation.org/>

General Asia Grants (Compiled by Asia Studies Association)

General Asia

[American Council of Learned Societies \(ACLS\) Competitions](#)

[Abe Fellowship Program](#)

[Asian Muslim Action Network \(AMAN\) Fellowship Program](#)

[Blakemore Foundation Grants](#)

[The Columbia Society of Fellows in the Humanities: Fellowships](#)

[Columbia University, Society of Fellows in the Humanities Postdoctoral Fellowships](#)

[Cornell University, Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowships](#)

[Council of American Overseas Research Centers](#)

[Council for International Exchange of Scholars: Fulbright Scholar Program](#)

[Council on Library and Information Resources: Mellon Fellowships for Dissertation Research](#)

[Duke University, Asian/Pacific Studies Institute Travel Grants](#)

[East-West Center, Hawaii, Visiting Fellowships](#)

[The Elie Wiesel Prize in Ethics Essay Contest](#)

[Emory University, Center for Humanistic Inquiry: Junior and Postdoctoral Fellowships](#)

[Fulbright Scholar Program \(Council for International Exchange of Scholars\)](#)

[George Washington University: Master of International Policy and Practice \(MIPP\) Program Fellowships](#)

[Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies: Academy Scholars Program](#)

[Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton: Membership Competition](#)

[Kiryama Book Prize](#)

[Library of Congress: Fellowships in International Studies](#)

[Library of Congress: John W. Kluge Center Fellowships](#)

[MacArthur Foundation: Program on Global Security and Sustainability](#)

[MLA Field Bibliography Fellowships](#)

[Naropa University, Frederick P. Lenz Fellowship Program for Buddhist Studies and American Culture and Values](#)

[Organization of American Historians Awards Program](#)

[Princeton Society of Fellows in the Liberal Arts](#)

[Reagan-Fascell Democracy Fellows Program, National Endowment for Democracy](#)

[Social Science Research Council and American Council of Learned Societies: International Dissertation Field Research Fellowship \(IDRF\) Program](#)

[Social Science Research Council, Dissertation Proposal Development Fellowship \(DPDF\): Call for Faculty Proposals](#)

[Stanford Institute for International Studies, Asia-Pacific Research Center: Walter H. Shorenstein Fellowships \(Fellowships in Contemporary Asia-Pacific Studies\)](#)

[United States Institute of Peace, Grant Program](#)

[Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars: Fellowships](#)

<http://www.aasianst.org/grants/main.htm>

East & Southeast Asia: Study Abroad & Fellowship & Scholarship Information

An extensive listing of funding for studying abroad in Asia – invaluable for students seeking support.

<http://newton.uor.edu/Departments&Programs/AsianStudiesDept/general-study.html>

Agriculture-Related International Exchange and Grants

[Grants I \(Citizenship Unrestricted\)](#)

[Grants II \(Citizenship Restrictions\)](#)

[Fellowships and Exchanges for Foreign Nationals in the United States \(Citizenship Unrestricted\)](#)

[Fellowships and Exchanges for Foreign Nationals in the United States \(Citizenship Restrictions\)](#)

[Fellowships and Exchanges for U.S. Scientists Abroad](#)

<http://www.fas.usda.gov/icd/grants/director.html>

Ford Foundation International Fellowships Program

The Ford Foundation International Fellowships Program (IFP) was launched by the Ford Foundation in 2000 to provide opportunities for advanced study to exceptional individuals who will use this education to become leaders in their respective fields, furthering development in their own countries and greater economic and social justice worldwide. To ensure that Fellows are drawn from diverse backgrounds, IFP actively seeks candidates from social groups and communities that lack systematic access to higher education. IFP's New York-based secretariat collaborates closely with partner organizations in 22 countries and territories highlighted on the map below. These groups supervise all recruitment and selection activities, and help ensure that the program's goals and implementation are grounded in local realities and reflect local needs.

<http://www.fordifp.net/>