

# ANNOUNCEMENTS: FELLOWSHIPS, PRIZES, SEMINARS

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## DISSERTATION AND HABILITATION FELLOWSHIPS

The GHI awards short-term fellowships of one to six months' duration to German and American doctoral students as well as German post-doctoral scholars in the fields of German history, American history, and the history of German-American relations. The research projects must use source materials located in the United States. The monthly stipend amount is Euro 1480 for doctoral students and Euro 2650 for post-doctoral scholars. In addition, fellows based in Germany will receive reimbursement for their round-trip airfare to the U.S. All fellows are required to present their research at the GHI in Washington during their grant period.

The deadline for applications is May 31, 2002. Applications should include cover letter, curriculum vitae, project description, plausible research schedule for the fellowship period, and at least one letter of reference. All applicants will be notified by October 15. Please send applications to:

German Historical Institute  
Dissertation/Habilitation Fellowships  
1607 New Hampshire Ave., NW  
Washington, DC 20009-2562

## KADE-HEIDEKING FELLOWSHIP

Funded by the Annette Kade Charitable Trust, the Kade-Heideking Fellowship is awarded annually to a German doctoral student working in one of the three areas to which the late Jürgen Heideking made significant contributions: American history and German-American relations from the early modern period to the present; international history of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries, including the history of international relations and the comparative history of colonial systems and societies; and twentieth-century German history, with emphasis on America's influence on German society between 1918 and 1949.

This is a residential fellowship of twelve months' duration, and the recipient is expected to divide his or her time between the GHI and the University of Wisconsin in Madison. The stipend amount is \$30,000. Applications should include a cover letter, curriculum vitae, project description (8-10 pages), research schedule for fellowship period, and two letters of reference. The application deadline is November 1, 2002. Please send applications to:

German Historical Institute  
Kade-Heideking Fellowship  
1607 New Hampshire Ave., NW  
Washington, DC 20009-2562

### **THYSSEN-HEIDEKING FELLOWSHIP**

The German Historical Institute invites applications for a one-year post-doctoral fellowship in memory of the late Jürgen Heideking. The fellowship, supported by the Fritz Thyssen Foundation, is intended for American scholars working in one of the three areas to which Professor Heideking made important contributions: American history and German-American relations from the early modern period to the present; international history of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries, including the history of international relations and the comparative history of colonial systems and societies; and twentieth-century German history, with emphasis on America's influence on German society between 1918 and 1949.

The Heideking Fellow will receive a stipend of Euro 21,250 (plus a family allowance if applicable) for a fellowship period of six to twelve months in residence at the University of Cologne to begin in 2003. The fellow will be expected to give one public lecture on his/her research. Applications should include a cover letter, curriculum vitae, project description (8-10 pages), research schedule for fellowship period, and two confidential letters of reference. The application deadline is November 1, 2002. Please send applications to:

German Historical Institute  
Thyssen-Heideking Fellowship  
1607 New Hampshire Ave., NW  
Washington, DC 20009-2562

### **FRITZ STERN DISSERTATION PRIZE**

The Friends of the German Historical Institute are pleased to announce a competition for the best doctoral dissertations in German history, German-American relations, or the history of Germans in North America.

The two joint winners of the Fritz Stern Dissertation Prize will be given the opportunity to present their research at the Annual Symposium of the Friends in November of 2002 at the German Historical Institute in Washington, DC. They will each receive an award of \$2000 and reimbursement for their travel expenses.

Application is through nomination by the supervisor of the dissertation. Candidates must have completed their doctoral dissertation during the 2000–2001 academic year. The prize committee, composed of Professors Eric A. Johnson (Central Michigan University), Donna Harsch (Carnegie-Mellon University), and Steve Hochstadt (Bates College), will accept nominations through May 1, 2002 and announce the prize winners at the end of the summer.

Dissertation supervisors should send letters of nomination, along with a one-to-three page abstract of the dissertation, to:

Prof. Eric A. Johnson  
Department of History  
Central Michigan University  
Powers Hall 106  
Mount Pleasant, MI 48859  
Email: johns1ea@cmich.edu

## MEDIEVAL HISTORY SEMINAR

The second Medieval History Seminar of the German Historical Institute will take place at the Humboldt University, Berlin, from October 24 to 27, 2002. The seminar is designed to bring together American and German Ph.D. candidates and recent Ph.D. recipients (2000–2001) in medieval history for a weekend of scholarly discussion and collaboration.

The Medieval History Seminar welcomes proposals in all areas of medieval history. Participation is not limited to historians working on German history or the German-speaking regions of Europe. It is open to all epochs and methodological approaches. Applications from related disciplines such as art history, Byzantine studies or medieval literary studies are welcome if the projects have a distinct historical focus. Conveners for the 2002 Seminar will be: Michael Borgolte (Humboldt University, Berlin), Caroline W. Bynum (Columbia University, New York), Johannes Fried (University of Frankfurt), Patrick J. Geary (University of California at Los Angeles).

Successful applicants must be prepared to submit a paper of approximately twenty typewritten pages by September 14, 2002. They also are

expected to serve as commentators for two other papers presented at the Seminar. Papers and discussions will be in German and English. It is therefore necessary that participants have a working knowledge of both languages. Thanks to a generous grant from the Bundesministerium für Wirtschaft und Technologie, Bereich ERP-Sondervermögen, the German Historical Institute will cover participants' travel and lodging expenses.

Applications for participation in the Medieval History Seminar should include a curriculum vitae (including address and e-mail), a summary description of the proposed paper (4-5 pages, double-spaced), and one letter of recommendation. The deadline for submission is May 1, 2002. Please send applications to:

German Historical Institute  
Medieval History Seminar  
1607 New Hampshire Ave., NW  
Washington, D.C. 20009-2562

For further information, please contact Dr. Christoph Strupp, e-mail: [strupp@ghi-dc.org](mailto:strupp@ghi-dc.org).

## INTERNSHIPS AT THE GHI

For the last several years the GHI has had a highly successful internship program that has served the career goals of our interns and greatly benefited our Institute's operations. We are constantly looking for new interns from Germany and the U.S. at any stage of college or university education. For more information please email Raimund Lammersdorf at [R.Lammersdorf@ghi-dc.org](mailto:R.Lammersdorf@ghi-dc.org).