FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS IN GERMANY

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KAS—Program for Foreign Students

Scope: The Konrad Adenauer Foundation awards fellowships to American graduate students to study or conduct research in Germany.

Eligibility: The fellowships are provided to American students enrolled in graduate programs at the following universities in the United States: American University, Georgetown University, Tufts University, and the University of Southern California. The course of study in the United States must be related to German affairs.

Provisions: The length of the fellowship and the amount of the award depend on the individual project.

Application: These fellowships are administered by the universities mentioned above. Candidates should contact the schools directly.

AIESEC

(L’Association Internationale des Etudiants en Sciences Economiques et Commerciales)

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AIESEC—International Internship Exchange Program

Scope: The AIESEC International Internship Exchange Program offers graduate students the opportunity to gain practical experience abroad. The program is organized by the local branches and coordinated at the national level. Local groups find internships with companies, nominate students for participation in the program, and help with visa and housing issues. In addition, activities and workshops organized by students help interns become familiar with the culture of the host country. The number of internships depends on availability in both countries.

Eligibility: Candidates are selected according to their preferences and their experience. Flexibility in the choice of internships is important. The internships are primarily for students in area studies, business administration, international economics, international relations, and the social sciences. Participants must be enrolled at a university. Generally, students have completed their undergraduate studies and/or have started their graduate studies when beginning the internship. Prospective candidates must attend an interview and pass a language exam.

Provisions: AIESEC does not offer any financial support for the time abroad. In most cases, interns receive compensation from the organization or company they work for in the host country. Interns pay their own travel expenses. Internships last between eight and seventy-eight weeks.

Application: Applicants living in the United States should apply through www.us.aiesconline.net, or contact a local AIESEC office through their university. When submitting the application, candidates must include a fee of €90.
AAB—Berlin Prize Fellowships

**Scope:** Fellowships are awarded to scholars working in a variety of disciplines, including history, political science, economics, German studies, art history, musicology, anthropology, law, and linguistics, as well as to writers, poets, public policy experts, journalists, composers, and artists. Fellowships include the Citigroup Fellowship, the DaimlerChrysler Fellowship, and the George Bush Fellowships, funded by the Axel Springer Verlag.

**Eligibility:** The American Academy in Berlin invites applications from all fields except the visual arts, music composition, and music performance. All candidates should be permanently based in the United States and must be either U.S. citizens or permanent residents. They must have completed their doctorate or equivalent professional degree. Candidates need not work on German topics, but their project descriptions should explain how residency in Berlin will contribute to their further professional development. Applications are welcome from younger as well as established scholars, artists, and professionals.

**Provisions:** Benefits include a stipend ranging from $3,000 to $5,000 per month of residency, roundtrip airfare, and a substantial apartment with partial board at the Hans Arnhold Center, an historic lakeside villa in the Wannsee district of Berlin. Fellows are expected to be in residence at the Hans Arnhold Center during the entire term of award, which may be a semester or a full academic year. Fellows are encouraged to work in association with a Berlin institution such as a museum, library, archive, university, government agency, studio, or media organization.

**Application:** All application materials and information are available online. The deadline for applications is usually in mid-October. Applicants should consult the Academy’s website for updated information.

AAB—Bosch Public Policy Fellowship

**Scope:** The American Academy awards one fellowship each year to public policy experts, journalists, or senior historians who work on relevant recent issues.

**Eligibility:** All candidates should be permanently based in the United States and must be either U.S. citizens or permanent residents. They must have completed their doctorate or equivalent professional degree.

**Provisions:** Benefits include a stipend ranging from $3,000 to $5,000 per month, roundtrip airfare, and a substantial apartment with partial board at the Hans Arnhold Center, a
historic lakeside villa in the Wannsee district of Berlin. Bosch Fellows may be in residence from six weeks up to a maximum of one academic semester.

Application: All application materials and information are available online. The deadline for applications is usually in mid-October. Applicants should consult the Academy’s website for updated information.

AAB—Internships

Scope: The American Academy offers internships to students interested in United States and German current affairs. The length of the internship can be agreed on individually. Tasks involve research, general office work, and help with the Academy’s events. Interns also evaluate press materials and assist the Academy’s fellows.

Eligibility: Graduate and undergraduate students may apply. Non-European citizens need a German work permit. A good knowledge of English is required, as are basic computer skills and a readiness to deal with different kinds of tasks spontaneously and competently.

Provisions: Interns will receive a €260 stipend per month. They work full-time, for a minimum of three months.

Application: Starting dates and application procedures are announced online.

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AAUW—American Fellowships

Scope: American Fellowships support women doctoral candidates completing dissertations and scholars seeking funds for postdoctoral research leave from accredited institutions. A total of twenty Postdoctoral Research Leave Fellowships are available in the arts and humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences. One is designated for a woman from an underrepresented group in any field. Limited additional funds may be available when matched by the fellow’s institution. They offer one-year support for women who have earned a doctoral degree by the time of application. Fifty-one Dissertation Fellowships are available to women who are in their final year of dissertation writing. Six Summer/Short-Term Research Publication Grants fund women college and university faculty and independent researchers to prepare research for publication. Applicants may be tenure-track, part-time, or temporary faculty. Both established and up-and-coming scholars may apply. Grants are available for eight consecutive weeks of final writing or editing.
Eligibility: The American Fellowships are not open to AAUW members. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Former recipients of awards are not eligible to apply for additional American Fellowships or Research Publication Grants. Applicants for dissertation fellowships must have completed all course work, passed all required preliminary examinations, and received approval for their dissertation project by the application deadline. Applicants for the Research Publication Grant must have received their doctorates by the application deadline.

Provisions: The Postdoctoral Research Leave Fellowship carries a stipend of $30,000. Limited additional funds may be available when matched by the fellow’s institution. The Dissertation Fellowship provides $20,000. Research Publication Grants are $6,000.

Application: Candidates may apply for only one of the awards. The application deadline is November 15. The fellowship year starts July 1 of the following year and lasts through June 30. Applications can be downloaded from the website. A hard copy can also be requested online.

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ACLS—Dissertation Fellowships in East European Studies

Scope: The American Council of Learned Societies offers support for dissertation research and write-up in the field of East European studies. The dissertations should relate to Albania, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, or the successor states of the former Yugoslavia in any discipline or disciplines in the humanities and the social sciences. Comparative projects are also welcomed. These fellowships are made possible with funding from the United States Department of State under the Research and Training for Eastern Europe and the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union Act of 1983 (Title VIII) and other sources.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. These fellowships are to be used for work outside East Europe, although short visits to the area may be proposed as part of a coherent program primarily based elsewhere. Projects must clearly demonstrate a need to conduct research at German universities or research institutes on countries in East and Central Europe or on Germany’s relations with those countries. Fellowships will be granted on the basis of the scholarly potential of the applicant, the quality and scholarly importance of the proposed work, and its importance to the development of scholarship on Eastern Europe.
Provisions: Matriculated graduate students who will have completed all requirements for the doctorate except the dissertation by June 2003 may apply for one year, non-renewable support for work on the dissertation. The stipend is up to $15,000. As a condition of the award, the applicant’s home university will be required (consistent with its policies and regulations) to provide or to waive normal academic year tuition or to provide alternative cost-sharing support.

Application: Completed applications are due November 1. Decisions are announced in late April.

ACLS—Fellowships

Scope: The American Council of Learned Societies supports scholarships in the humanities and related social sciences. Appropriate fields of specialization include (but are not limited to): anthropology, archaeology, art history, economics, film, geography, history, languages and literatures, law, linguistics, musicology, philosophy, political science, psychology, religion, rhetoric and communication, and sociology. Proposals in the social science fields listed above are eligible if their approach is predominantly humanistic (e.g., economic history, law and literature, political philosophy). Proposals in interdisciplinary and cross-disciplinary studies are welcome, as are proposals focused on a geographic region or on any cultural or linguistic group. The ultimate goal of the project should be a major piece of scholarly work that will take the form of a monograph or other equally substantial form of scholarship.

Eligibility: Candidates must have completed their Ph.D. prior to September 30, 2002. Established scholars who can demonstrate the equivalent of the Ph.D. in publications and professional experience may also qualify. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. They may apply to as many fellowships and grant programs as are suitable. However, no more than one ACLS or ACLS-joint award may be accepted in any one competition year. Applications are particularly invited from women and members of minority groups. Younger scholars and independent scholars who do not hold academic appointments are also encouraged to apply. Membership in an ACLS constituent society is not a requirement.

Provisions: Maximum awards are $50,000 for a Full Professor and equivalent, $40,000 for Associate Professor and equivalent, $30,000 for Assistant Professor and equivalent. The awards are given for six to twelve consecutive months of full-time research, to begin between July 1 and February 1 following the application deadline. Approximately twenty fellowships are available at each level.

Application: Completed applications must be submitted by September 30 through the ACLS Online Fellowship Application System, available through individual program links or at ofa.acls.org. Applications consist of an application form, a proposal (no more than five pages, double spaced), a bibliography (no more than two pages), a publications list (no more than two pages), and two letters of reference.

ACLS—Postdoctoral Fellowships in East European Studies

Scope: The American Council of Learned Societies offers support for postdoctoral research and writing in the field of East European studies. Applicants’ research should relate to Albania, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Roma
nia, Slovakia, or the successor states of the former Yugoslavia, in any discipline in the humanities or social sciences. Proposals dealing with Albania, Bulgaria, Romania, and the successor states of the former Yugoslavia are particularly encouraged. The program also supports comparative work which considers more than one Eastern European country, or that relates Eastern European societies to other parts of the world. These fellowships are made possible with funding from the United States Department of State under the Research and Training for Eastern Europe and the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union Act of 1983 (Title VIII) and other sources.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. These fellowships, however, are to be used for work outside East Europe, although short visits to the area may be proposed as part of a coherent program primarily based elsewhere. Projects must clearly demonstrate a need to conduct research at German universities or at research institutes on countries in East and Central Europe, or on Germany’s relations with those countries. Primary considerations in awarding these fellowships and grants include the scholarly merit of the proposal, its importance to the development of East European studies, and the scholarly potential, accomplishments, and financial need of the applicant.

Provisions: Postdoctoral scholars may apply for fellowships to undertake a period of at least six consecutive months of full-time research. The maximum amount of the award for postdoctoral research is $25,000. Applicants are required to hold a Ph.D. or equivalent (as demonstrated by professional experience and publications) as of the application deadline. The fellowships are intended primarily as salary replacement to provide free time for research; the funds may be used to supplement sabbatical salaries or awards from other sources, provided they would intensify or extend the proposed research.

Application: Interested candidates should contact the program office about the application deadline.

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ACG—Dr. Guido Goldman Fellowship for the Study of German and European Economic and International Affairs

Scope: Since reunification in 1990, Germany has gained greater economic and political significance, both in Europe and on a global level. A solid understanding of contemporary Germany is of great importance because of its status as a reunited sovereign nation, a leading member of the European Union, and a key partner in NATO. American scholars, journalists, and analysts can play a role in addressing the key issues in Germany and Europe.
as a whole. Eligible topics include German economic and foreign policy and the evolution of U.S.-European relations.

Eligibility: While applicants should demonstrate an interest in German and European affairs, no prior experience in Germany or Europe is required. Although it is not limited to them, the fellowship program aims to serve postgraduate students, including individuals enrolled in Ph.D. programs or who are in relatively early stages of their careers. Knowledge of the German language is not a prerequisite.

Provisions: The fellowship award covers the cost of pre-approved international and domestic travel and a per diem of $150 for up to twenty-eight days in Germany and elsewhere in Europe relevant to the research being conducted. Fellows are required to develop research itineraries in consultation with the American Council on Germany. Following the completion of the trip, fellows will submit a report summarizing their findings.

Application: Applicants should send a cover letter, a project proposal of at least two pages, a curriculum vitae, and two letters of reference. The application deadline is August 15.

ACG—Dr. Richard M. Hunt Fellowship for the Study of German Politics, Society, and Culture

Scope: Germany has made significant contributions to Western culture and society, yet its history also has had profound repercussions, which have been felt throughout the world. The writing of this history has been an international project. More specifically, North American scholars have joined with their German counterparts and made important contributions to an understanding of the German people. This fellowship provides support for individuals interested in the political, social, and cultural history of Germany.

Eligibility: Though it is not limited to them, the fellowship program aims to serve postgraduate students, including individuals enrolled in Ph.D. programs or who are in the early stages of their careers. This fellowship is open to scholars with an academic affiliation, as well as to independent scholars or those with other professional associations. Applicants should demonstrate an interest in German political, social, and cultural affairs. No prior experience in Germany is required. While helpful, knowledge of the German language is not a prerequisite.

Provisions: The fellowship award covers the cost of pre-approved international and domestic travel and a per diem of $150 for up to twenty-eight days in Germany. Fellows are required to develop research itineraries in consultation with the American Council on Germany. Following the completion of the trip, fellows will submit a report summarizing their findings.

Application: Applicants should send a cover letter, a project proposal of at least two pages, a curriculum vitae, and two letters of reference. The application deadline is August 15.

ACG—Journalism Fellowship for the Study of German Politics and Society

Scope: Since 1976, the American Council on Germany has sponsored American and German journalists traveling, respectively, to Germany and the United States to conduct research and to establish relationships with their professional counterparts. The American Council on Germany is now expanding its programs for American journalists. The Journalism Fellowship enables recipients to conduct research in Germany on current political, eco-
nomic, and social issues. Proposed research projects should address topics with current political or policy significance regarding Germany’s relations with the United States or within the European Union. The program seeks to promote a better understanding of transatlantic issues and to enable American journalists to gain new perspectives.

**Eligibility:** Applicants should demonstrate an interest in German and European issues. No prior experience in Germany or Europe is required. The fellowship program aims to serve American print or broadcast journalists in the early stages of their careers, including those with only limited exposure to Europe. Knowledge of the German language is not a prereq-uisite for the program.

**Provisions:** The fellowship award covers the costs of pre-approved international and domestic travel and a $150 per diem allowance for fourteen to twenty-eight days in Germany. Fellows are also encouraged to publish articles on their findings.

**Application:** Applicants should send a cover letter, a project proposal of at least two pages, a curriculum vitae, and two letters of reference. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis.

**ACG—Anna-Maria and Stephen M. Kellen Fellowships**

**Scope:** The Anna-Maria and Stephen M. Kellen Fellowship was created to provide professional opportunities in the United States for leading journalists from Berlin. The primary purpose of this program is to acquaint German journalists with the media in the United States and to provide them with opportunities to pursue individual reporting projects.

**Eligibility:** The fellowship is intended for Berlin-based print or broadcast journalists in early stages of their careers.

**Provisions:** Each program includes an orientation period in Washington, DC, four weeks of work and study at American news organizations, and a final meeting, usually in New York. The program covers transportation and living expenses.

**Application:** Candidates should contact the Council directly for specific application instructions. The fellowship is administered by the International Center for Journalists.

**ACG—McCloy Fellowships in Environmental Affairs**

**Scope:** McCloy Fellows in Environmental Affairs analyze various facets of environmental policy. American fellows travel to Germany and German fellows come to the United States. In the past, fellows have examined issues ranging from Germany’s methods of balancing sustainable development and economic growth, to the Superfund, to systems of transportation.

**Eligibility:** The program is open to American and German applicants. Fluency in German is not required, although some background in that language is helpful. German fellows visiting the United States should have a basic knowledge of English. Applicants who wish to build on their experience while at an earlier stage in their careers are preferred.

**Provisions:** The schedule for the fellowship is determined by the fellow in coordination with the American Council on Germany, with an itinerary tailored to the given project. Fellows receive a per diem of $150 for a maximum of twenty-eight days. The American Council on Germany covers transatlantic airfare and approved domestic travel. Many fellows opt to undertake their projects in the early fall. The American Council on Germany
requires that fellows file a written report of approximately 4,000 words at the conclusion of their fellowship.

Application: Applicants must submit a curriculum vitae, a statement outlining the fellow’s expectations, two letters of recommendation, and a proposed project plan. The deadline for German applicants is January 10; the deadline for American applicants is April 15.

ACG—McCloy Fellowships in Journalism

Scope: McCloy Fellowships enable journalists to conduct on-site research and interviews abroad in a self-designed project, investigating a topic oriented toward current, historical, or future issues. American fellows travel to Germany and Germans come to the United States to pursue their respective programs. Past projects have touched on issues such as Turkish identity in Germany, trade relations, strides in fighting cancer in the United States, comparative perspectives on the growth of the Internet, and child labor in global markets.

Eligibility: The program is open to American and German applicants. Fluency in German is not required, although some background in that language is helpful. German fellows visiting the United States should have a basic knowledge of English. Preference is given to applicants who wish to build on their experience while at an early stage of their career.

Provisions: The schedule for the fellowship is determined by the fellow in coordination with the American Council on Germany, with an itinerary tailored to the given project. Fellows receive a per diem of $150 for a maximum of twenty-eight days. The American Council on Germany covers transatlantic airfare and approved domestic travel. Many fellows opt to undertake their projects in the early fall. The American Council on Germany requires that fellows file a written report of approximately 4,000 words at the conclusion of their fellowship.

Application: Applicants must submit a curriculum vitae, a statement outlining the fellow’s expectations, two letters of recommendation, and a proposed project plan. The deadline for German applicants is January 10; the deadline for American applicants is April 15.

ACG—McCloy Fellowships in Urban Affairs

Scope: McCloy Fellows in Urban Affairs are given an insider’s look at German or American government administrations. American fellows travel to Germany and German fellows come to the United States. Past German fellows have taken part in city council meetings, toured U.S. cities accompanied by various officials, and attended the annual convention of the U.S. Conference of Mayors. American fellows likewise enjoy access to German officials.

Eligibility: The program is open to American and German applicants. Fluency in German is not required, although some background is helpful. German fellows visiting the United States should have a basic knowledge of English. Preference is given to applicants who wish to build on their experience while at an early stage of their career.

Provisions: The schedule for the fellowship is determined by the fellow in coordination with the American Council on Germany, with an itinerary tailored to the given project. Fellows receive a per diem of $150 for a maximum of twenty-eight days. The American Council on Germany covers transatlantic airfare and approved domestic travel. Many fellows opt to undertake their projects in the early fall. The American Council on Germany
requires that fellows file a written report of approximately 4,000 words at the conclusion of their fellowship.

**Application:** Applicants must submit a curriculum vitae, a statement outlining the fellow’s expectations, and two letters of recommendation. The deadline for German applicants is January 10; the deadline for American applicants is April 15.

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**AHA—Bernadotte E. Schmitt Grants for Research in European, African, or Asian History**

**Scope:** The AHA provides modest grants to support research in progress on the history of Europe, Africa, and Asia. The funds for this program come from the earnings of a bequest from Bernadotte E. Schmitt, president of the Association in 1960.

**Eligibility:** Applicants must be members of the AHA. Preference is given to Ph.D. candidates, junior scholars, scholars without access to institutional funds, and to scholars with specific research needs, such as the completion of a project or of a discrete segment thereof.

**Provisions:** Individual grants do not exceed $1,000. The award is intended to be used for such expenses as travel to a library or an archive; microfilms, photographs, or photocopying; and coding and keypunching. It is not meant to cover the costs of hiring research assistants or typists, or as a partial salary replacement.

**Applications:** Applications may be obtained from the AHA and should include a completed application form, an estimated budget, a curriculum vitae, and a statement of no more than 750 words (typed, double-spaced) describing the project and indicating the support it has already received. The complete application must reach the AHA by February 15.

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LBI—LBI/DAAD Fellowships

Scope: These grants are intended to assist doctoral students working on their dissertations, scholarly essays, or books that require a period of research in libraries, archives, or research institutions in Germany. The research must fall within the scope of the Institute’s general interest, that is, the social, communal, and intellectual history of German-speaking Jewry. One six-month or two three-month graduate fellowships are available per year.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens and Ph.D. candidates or recent Ph.D.s (those who received their degrees within the preceding two years).

Provisions: The fellowship consists of a monthly stipend of up to €975, depending on the level of academic advancement, to cover expenses during the time abroad. The tenure of the fellowship must fall within the period July through January. Support for travel is a one-time sum of €520. The stipend will be paid in monthly installments upon arrival in Germany.

Applications: Applicants are asked to submit (in quadruplicate, except for transcripts) a curriculum vitae, official graduate and undergraduate transcripts, two letters of recommendation from scholars in the field, and a full description of the research project. The application deadline is November 1.

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BAA—Fellowships

Scope: The Bavarian American Academy grants fellowships on a rolling basis for graduate research in American Studies at universities in Bavaria. The fellowships are intended for scholars in the process of conducting research, and specifically as support for dissertations concerning issues of North American culture, history, society, and politics.

Eligibility: Graduate students who have completed the Staatsexamen or Magister within the past three years are eligible, as are scholars working on dissertations in a relevant academic discipline related to North America.

Provisions: The fellowships provide €1,000, which may be used to defray travel and research-related expenses. Office space is available upon request at the Amerika Haus in Munich, which houses a library and is in walking distance from the libraries and archives of the University of Munich. A short report is required after the completion of the fellowship project.

Application: Complete applications include a downloadable application form, a curriculum vitae, a description of the research project (maximum five pages), and a letter of reference.
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BAC—Professional Internship Program

Scope: The Bavarian American Center (BAC) offers a professional internship to a United States and Canadian graduate student pursuing a career in public administration or international relations. The program is designed to give first-hand insight into the German political system in general, political institutions, and the political process in Bavaria in particular. It is also intended to involve students in project work relating to their specialized field of study in any of the nine Bavarian State Ministries or the Bavarian State Chancellery. The program attempts to match specific fields of interest indicated by the applicants (e.g. refugee counseling, environmental protection, internal security, educational politics) with the internship positions available at the Ministries. The BAC hopes to further mutual knowledge and understanding of politics and culture in the respective countries, exposing young “decision-makers-to-be” to the daily process of public administration.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. graduate students or recent graduates with a masters degree, or Canadian graduate students (due to work authorization issues, Canadian recent graduates are not eligible). They should be in very good academic standing at or have a degree from an accredited institution and have a good working knowledge of German. Students of the following fields are primarily invited to apply: public administration, political science, international relations, law. Students from other fields, such as business administration, engineering, agriculture, etc., are welcome to apply but should clearly state how a government-based internship will relate to their professional development.

Provisions: One stipend is available per year. The stipend of €1,500 includes travel and living expenses. The internship last between two and three months, usually June through August.

Application: Applications should be requested from and submitted to CDS International. The application fee is $500, of which $100 are non-refundable. A personal or phone interview is required. The application deadline is March 1, and the notification is sent March 30.
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HBF—Scholarships for Undergraduate, Postgraduate, and Ph.D. Students

Scope: Support is provided to students, postgraduates, and doctoral candidates in all disciplines. A commitment to social policy issues is required. Another core objective of the scholarship program is the advancement of women.

Eligibility: These scholarships are awarded to German and foreign students pursuing a doctorate. Candidates must either have fulfilled the entry requirements for a state or state-recognized university or college in Germany or, if holding a foreign university or college degree, be eligible to study for a doctorate in Germany. Candidates must be matriculated at a state or state-recognized university or college in Germany, and, at the time they begin the scholarship program, may not have exceeded the maximum number of semesters prescribed for their respective course of study. Those applying for a Diplom, Magister, or Staatsexamen must, at the time of application, be able to provide evidence of having completed their intermediate diploma or intermediate examination. Those applying for a B.A. program must be able to provide evidence that they have completed half of their study components as specified in the study regulations. Those applying for a master’s program must furnish evidence of having completed their undergraduate studies. Those applying for other postgraduate or supplementary studies will only qualify for scholarships in rare cases, for example if such studies can be justified by the envisaged training objective or job qualification.

Provisions: As a rule, support is awarded for one year. It can be extended for an additional year. In exceptional cases, support is available for up to three years. Support is based on rates set by the German Foreign Ministry and the Federal Ministry for Education, Science, Research, and Technology.

Application: Detailed application information is available on www.boell.de. The application procedure is divided into two stages. The initial brief application deadline for all types of fellowships is September 1 for scholarships beginning April 1 (or March 1 for those beginning October 1) of the following year.

COUNCIL FOR INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE OF SCHOLARS (CIES)

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DBS—Grants for Young Scholars with Research Projects Abroad

Scope: The program supports foreign academics working towards a dissertation and planning a research stay at a German host institution.

Eligibility: Applicants may come from any country, must not be older than thirty, and must have been awarded their last academic degrees (M.A. or B.A./diploma) within the last year. Postdoctoral research, diploma theses, study visits, practical training, etc. is not supported. Applicants must have a clearly defined original research project and an invitation from a German institution.

Provisions: Grant awards are €970 per month. If necessary, the Foundation can provide support for a German language course. Fellowships are granted for a maximum period of two years. A third year of support can only be financed through a loan from the Foundation. Projects already supported by other sources for more than one year cannot be supported. Grant recipients meet once a year to discuss their projects.

Application: Application forms may be obtained from the Daimler-Benz Foundation. Deadlines for complete applications are April 1 and October 1. After an initial review of all applications, selected applicants will be invited to present their projects in a seminar at the Karl-Benz-Haus in Ladenburg. Representatives of the Foundation and outside referees then choose the finalists.

DEUTSCHE FORSCHUNGSGEMEINSCHAFT

See GERMAN RESEARCH FOUNDATION

DEUTSCHER BUNDESTAG

International Parliamentary Internship

See HUMBOLDT UNIVERSITY OF BERLIN

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CDS—Robert Bosch Foundation Fellowship Program

Scope: The objective of the program is to strengthen friendship and understanding between the United States and Germany. It provides young American professionals and executives with a comprehensive overview of the political, economic, and cultural environment of Europe, especially Germany. The goals of the program are to contribute to the professional development of the participants and broaden their cultural horizons, while advancing American-European relations.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens who have a graduate or professional degree, or equivalent professional experience in business administration, economics, public affairs, public policy, political science, law, journalism or mass media. Candidates should be between the ages of twenty-three and thirty-four.

Provisions: Fellows receive a monthly stipend of €1,800 to cover food and lodging for the nine-month Fellowship Program (September through May). Roundtrip transportation (within the United States) is provided for candidates invited for interviews. Participants receive all program-related travel costs, limited health and accident insurance, and financial support for an accompanying spouse. Program participants will be offered internships at a high executive level of business or government. The Foundation will make every reasonable effort to arrange internships that are related to the fellow’s professional goals and interests. If needed, language training will be provided.

Application: Application forms and instructions are available at the above website. The application deadline is October 15.

RBF—Career Training Program

Scope: This program is designed for people who want to gain in-depth experience in Germany in order to add an international perspective to their career. Participants in the program can spend six, twelve or eighteen months working in a company that matches their career goals. CDS provides individuals with the appropriate work documentation, after participants have secured a training position with a German company.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens, have a college degree in business, engineering, or a technical field, a minimum of one year of work experience, and two years of college German or equivalent proficiency. The maximum age is thirty.

Provisions: CDS provides pre-departure orientation materials, work permit, an orientation seminar in Cologne, a language course in Germany, and advice throughout the program.
Application: A program fee of $400 applies. Applications are accepted throughout the year. Materials should be submitted to CDS approximately two months prior to the intended departure. Qualified applicants are interviewed by telephone or in person (New York area). Applicants are notified of their status by mail one to two weeks following their interview.

RBF—Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange Program

Scope: CDS International, founded in New York in 1968, is a non-profit organization dedicated to developing and enhancing opportunities for Americans to gain meaningful, practical training abroad. The program is a twelve-month work-study program for Americans, designed to give participants an understanding of daily life, education, and professional training in Germany.

Eligibility: The program is intended for U.S. citizens aged eighteen to twenty-four. They must be high school graduates with a record of achievement, have a well-defined career goal, and some work experience related to their prospective career. It is intended primarily for young adults in business, technical, and agricultural fields. Previous knowledge of German is not required, but strongly recommended. Good communication skills are required.

Provisions: The program provides a work permit and assistance with a residency permit, school and housing placement, orientation seminars in Washington, DC and Cologne, program evaluation seminars in Berlin and New York, international airfare, partial domestic travel costs, mid-year and final seminars, host family compensation or other accommodation costs, language training, and health and accident insurance. The program consists of a two-month intensive language course, four months of classroom instruction at a professional or technical school, and a five-month internship in one’s career field.

Application: Print application materials are available in late August, PDF files in June. The application deadline is December 1. Approximately one hundred and twenty candidates will be interviewed. A maximum of sixty applicants will be selected for participation in the program. For more information, visit www.cdsintl.org/cbyx/cbyxfromusa.htm.

RBF—Summer Internship Program

Scope: This program is designed to provide American college juniors, seniors, and young professionals in business, hotel management, liberal arts, science, technical, or engineering fields with the required permission to work in Germany during the summer. In many cases individuals have made arrangements on their own with companies abroad, yet lack the necessary work authorization and residency permits.

Eligibility: Applicants need U.S. citizenship, a pre-arranged, confirmed job offer with a German firm, proficiency in German equivalent to two years of college German, and proof of full-time matriculation at a college or university. The maximum age is thirty.

Provisions: CDS International provides pre-departure orientation materials, work authorization, an orientation seminar in Cologne, assistance in obtaining a residency permit, and advice throughout the program. CDS also offers a language course in Germany, for an additional fee.

Application: A program fee of $200 applies, which includes a $50 non-refundable application fee. Application materials must be submitted to CDS International at least four weeks prior to departure. The Summer Internship Program normally starts in May or early June.
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FES—Fellowships

Scope: The foundation offers funding for foreign students matriculated at German universities for their first university degree, and for doctoral candidates or students wishing to pursue a second degree (Aufbaustudium) in Germany for at least four semesters. Doctoral candidates are supported for thesis research in Germany. A German university professor competent in the subject will assist fellowship holders and provide them with academic advice during their stay. This also applies to doctoral candidates who intend to spend most of their time engaged in archival, library, or other research outside the university. Special consideration will be given to socio-historical studies, studies in contemporary history, and current political issues, including comparative studies.

Eligibility: The fellowship is open to U.S. citizens. All applicants must already be accepted in a German university program. Undergraduates must have completed intermediate examinations (Vordiplom). Candidates for secondary degrees must prove the relevance of their chosen course of studies in relation to their previous degree as well as their future career plans. Ph.D. candidates at an American university must have completed all coursework and qualifying exams. They must also have an approved thesis proposal and proven ability in German suitable for their research purposes.

Provisions: The fellowships are granted for stays of five to twelve months and offer a stipend of €715 per month, plus a €38 monthly supplement for books and an additional monthly €260 for family dependents, if applicable. Other funding or earnings exceeding €325 per month will be deducted from the stipend. Recipients of fellowships are expected to actively participate in the programs of their German host universities and departments.

Application: Candidates should visit the Foundation’s website or contact one of the offices for application forms and detailed information about the application procedure, which includes an initial request for support, a formal application, and a personal interview. There are no deadlines; applications are considered on a rolling basis. Applicants should allow six months for the selection process.
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EMGIP—Bundestag

Scope: EMGIP Internships were founded in 1965 by Professors Louise Holborn and George Romoser with the assistance of many scholars of German affairs, especially in the social sciences and contemporary history, and with the financial and planning aid of various German offices also interested in encouraging the development of future generations of German experts. In view of the contributions of German émigrés, the experiential program was named Émigré Memorial German Internship Program. The program offers internship opportunities for U.S. and Canadian students in the German parliament, the Bundestag. The internships are two months long in positions matching the student’s interest and experience. Interns are placed with their preferred Fraktion, Ausschuss, with individual members of the Bundestag and their offices. In addition to contributing to the respective offices, interns have the opportunity to study legislative and administrative procedures in the German parliament.

Eligibility: Applicants should possess outstanding academic records and personal integrity as well as some knowledge of the German legislative process. Participants should be advanced undergraduate or graduate students in fields such as political science, international relations, law, history, economics, or German. Students must be able to fully communicate in German. U.S. and Canadian citizens and permanent residents are eligible to apply. International students who are enrolled in a full time course of study in the United States or Canada may also apply. German nationals are not eligible. Applicants must be younger than thirty-two at the start of the internship.

Provisions: The successful applicant will receive compensation of approximately €1,100 per month from the German Bundestag. Subsidized health insurance is available through DAAD for a monthly fee of about €3. DAAD can help the interns to obtain housing in Berlin (the
average rent for a room is €250/month) and make contacts with fellow international interns and German students. Travel expenses are the intern’s responsibility. Applicants should clearly state their placement interests in the essay.

**Application:** Interested candidates are required to submit the following documents (one original each, plus four copies): an application form, a résumé (in German), a short essay (in German and English, no more than three pages), three letters of recommendation, academic transcripts, and a DAAD language evaluation form. The application deadline is January 31.

**EMGIP—German State Parliaments**

**Scope:** The program provides internship opportunities for U.S. and Canadian students to complete one- to three-month internships with German state parliaments and ministries. Participants gain practical work experience, improve German language skills, and experience German culture firsthand.

**Eligibility:** Applicants must have U.S. or Canadian citizenship; be enrolled as undergraduate and graduate students may apply at a U.S. college or university (Canadian citizens may also be enrolled at Canadian colleges and universities); be under thirty years old; have intermediate German skills; have at least two years of study in international relations, public administration, political studies, law, European Studies with an emphasis on Germany, or German or German Studies; and have some practical experience.

**Provisions:** Participants receive a stipend of approximately €600/month to cover basic expenses such as housing, local transportation, and food. They should be able to provide additional funds for travel expenses, emergencies, and incidentals. Participants must have health insurance during the program. As an enrolled student during and after the program, they must either keep their U.S. insurance or purchase insurance coverage through a travel agent or CDS (currently at $40/month). Proof of insured status is required prior to the program start. Participants will stay with host families, in shared apartments, dorms, hostels, or rented apartments, depending on the location of the internship.

**Application:** Applicants must submit a completed CDS application, a current resume in English, a one-page German Lebenslauf, a passport-size photo wearing business attire, a personal statement entitled “What I expect from the EMGIP—German State Parliaments Program” (no more than one typewritten page), a letter of recommendation from a professor qualified to comment on German language skills, a letter of recommendation from a professor, a copy of college transcripts (official), diplomas and other professional certificates, a completed CDC diagnostic language test, and the EMGIP program fee of $400.00 (includes a $50.00 non-refundable administration fee). The program is available from March through May (spring semester) or September through December 2005 (fall semester).

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ECB Research Visitors Program

**Scope:** The European Central Bank seeks applications from leading economists from universities, central banks, and research institutions. The program offers prominent scholars the opportunity to gain insight into the policy-making environment of the ECB and gives the ECB research staff exposure to advances in economic research.

**Eligibility:** The program is open to recognized international experts who wish to take a leave or sabbatical from their current position. Research proposals must focus on issues relevant to the ECB’s institutional mandate.

**Provisions:** Successful candidates are offered short-term assignments (one month to one year). The monthly stipend ranges from €6,000 to €9,500. Research Visitors work on issues of relevance to the ECB in the Directorate General Research (DG-R). Research Visitors conduct their activities on the ECB’s premises in Frankfurt and are encouraged to interact with permanent staff members, both in DG-R and in other business areas. They have access to the ECB library, computing, and statistical facilities.

**Applications:** Applications must include a detailed curriculum vitae including a publications list and a two-page research proposal specifying the objectives, methodological, statistical and computing requirements, and the approximate time frame for completing the research in the form of one or more submissions to the ECB Working Paper Series. The application deadlines are September 30 and January 31.

EUROPEAN UNION IN THE UNITED STATES (EUUS)

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EUUS—European Union’s Visitors Program (EUVP)

**Scope:** The program invites young leaders from countries outside the European Union to visit Europe to gain a firsthand appreciation of the EU’s goals, policies, and peoples, and to increase mutual understanding between professionals from non-EU countries and their EU counterparts. It is jointly sponsored and administered by the European Parliament and the European Commission, and it has been in operation since 1974. About twenty visitors from the United States are selected each year; the total number of visitors worldwide is one hundred and sixty.

**Eligibility:** Government officials (local, state, and federal), journalists, trade unionists, educators, officials of non-profit, non-governmental organizations and other professionals in their mid-twenties to mid-forties with career-related interests in the European Union are eligible to apply. The EUVP is not open to students. Participants must have completed their university education or equivalent training and have been employed for several years in their chosen career field.
Provisions: An EUVP visit consists of an individual five- to eight-day program of meetings with EU officials in Brussels, Strasbourg, and/or Luxembourg. All programs are coordinated and arranged by the EUVP Secretariat, not by individual participants. Travel and per diem costs are covered by the EUVP.

Application: The Washington Delegation is responsible for applications from Americans living and working in the United States. For application forms and detailed information, candidates should check the above website.

EUUS—Internships

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Scope: The Delegation of the European Union offers a variety of internships at its offices in Washington and New York. The internships provide university students and recent graduates with the opportunity to acquire considerable knowledge of the European Union, its institutions, activities, laws, statistics, and relations with the United States.

Eligibility: Students enrolled in undergraduate and graduate programs providing academic credit are welcome to apply. A working knowledge of French is useful, but not essential.

Provisions: Internships at the Washington Delegation are unpaid. Interns work thirty-five to forty hours per week, Monday through Friday. Internships are offered three times a year: September through December (fall semester), January through May (spring semester), June through August (summer session). Interested candidates should check the website to find departments offering internships.

Application: An application form is available for download at the above website. Candidates must apply directly to the delegation where they want to work. Application deadlines are June 15 for fall, October 15 for spring, and February 15 for summer. Applications must contain a résumé, recent transcripts, an application form, and a cover letter explaining the candidate’s interest in pursuing an internship with the European Union.

FEDERAL MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

Friedrich Wilhelm Bessel Research Awards
See ALEXANDER VON HUMBOLDT FOUNDATION
Sofja Kovalevskaja Program for Outstanding Young Scientists and Scholars
See ALEXANDER VON HUMBOLDT FOUNDATION

TransCoop Program
See ALEXANDER VON HUMBOLDT FOUNDATION

FREE UNIVERSITY OF BERLIN (FUB)

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FUB—Berlin Program for Advanced German and European Studies

Scope: The program was established in 1986 to support and promote young North American scholars of modern and contemporary German and European affairs. The program supports anthropologists, economists, political scientists, sociologists, and other relevant social science and cultural studies fields, including historians researching the period after the mid-nineteenth century. Fellowships are awarded for doctoral dissertation research as well as postdoctoral research leading to the completion of a monograph. Approximately twelve fellows are selected.

Eligibility: The program accepts applications from U.S. and Canadian nationals or permanent residents. Applicants for a dissertation fellowship must be full-time graduate students, have completed all coursework for a Ph.D. and achieved A.B.D. status by the time the proposed research stay in Berlin begins. Scholars who have received their doctorates within the past two years are also eligible. Applicants should show an appropriate level of training and skill to undertake the proposed research, including evidence of language fluency adequate to complete the project and participate in a fellows seminar at the Freie Universität Berlin.

Provisions: Fellowships are awarded for a period of ten to twelve continuous months. The Berlin Program Fellowship stipends are €1,100 per month for fellows working on a dissertation project and €1,400 per month for fellows working on a postdoctoral research project. The program offers fellows €130 per month for each accompanying child and €130 per month as spousal support if the spouse is not working or is on a fellowship. The program provides one roundtrip airfare for each fellow between the fellow’s residence at the time of award and Berlin. In addition, funds for intra-European research travel may be granted upon request. Fellows are ensured access to the faculty of the university and to the broader intellectual community of the city. They are provided with work space, library privileges, and access to all university services. This residential program offers a stimulating academic
environment that combines research opportunities with intellectual and cultural interaction. An essential part of the program is the bi-weekly colloquium, which brings together American fellows with German scholars. Fellows are guided by an interdisciplinary committee of leading scholars from Berlin’s three universities.

**Application:** Applications should include a detailed research proposal, listing the major questions or issues to be examined, hypotheses to be tested, and work to be accomplished. All applications will be reviewed by German and American scholars who serve on independent selection committees. The application deadline is December 1.

**FREE UNIVERSITY OF BERLIN INTERNATIONAL SUMMER UNIVERSITY (FUBIS)**

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**North American Freshmen Scholarships**

**Scope:** FUBiS is an intensive summer program that seeks to bring together students from all over the world to promote international education and cross-cultural understanding. The program is designed to deepen an awareness of Germany and its role within the broader context of Europe and the world. The interdisciplinary approach that unites all FUBiS courses as well as the connection of different forms of learning, such as class discussions and excursions to various sites of interest, enrich the academic curriculum of each course and create an intense experience of German culture. The Free University, with funds from the European Recovery Program, offers twenty-five North American Freshmen Scholarships to attend FUBiS.

**Eligibility:** Courses are open to undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate students. Participants must have finished at least one year of college or university education to be eligible. Scholarships are available for students currently in their freshman year at an American or a Canadian college or university. Applicants to scholarships must hold either American or Canadian citizenship at the time of their application. In addition, students must be eighteen years of age at the beginning of the FUBiS program. Knowledge of German is not a prerequisite.

**Provisions:** The program is divided into two summer sessions. Students choose from a range of courses, including history, architecture, German culture, literature and art, environmental policy, EU development, and European studies, which are taught in English. The curriculum also offers German language courses on at least five levels of proficiency. All courses are part of the international European Credit Transfr System (ECTS). Students will
earn four to eight credit points for each course to transfer to their home universities. The North American Freshmen Scholarship encompasses 100 percent tuition waiver for two FUBiS courses, one from each category A and B; 100 percent waiver on the registration fee; and €1000 distributed in two instalments of €500 each.

Application: Interested candidates should contact FUBiS for application procedures, forms, and deadlines.

FREE UNIVERSITY OF BERLIN
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JFKI—Research Grants

Scope: Funded by the Free University of Berlin, the John F. Kennedy Institute for North American Studies awards grants of one to three months for scholars with permanent European residency. The extensive holdings of the Institute’s library enable European scholars working on topics related to the United States and Canada to pursue initial research in Berlin before they cross the Atlantic. The Guide to the Research Library of the John F. Kennedy Institute for North American Studies can be downloaded on their webpage or requested as a brochure.

Eligibility: Graduates at all stages in their career are invited to apply, as are scholars who are preparing a doctoral dissertation, a Habilitation, or other research-oriented publication related to the United States and/or Canada.

Provisions: The amount of the monthly payment will be determined by the qualifications and status of the fellow, ranging from €665 per month for guest fellows to €1,330 per month for full-time Ph.D. grantees with at least three years professional experience. In addition, every scholar receives a lump sum for travel costs and a lump sum of €52 for photocopies. Those with full stipends may not hold other jobs. The grantees are required to take out health insurance for the term of the stipend. All grants must be used in the year for which they are awarded.

Application: Applications must contain the completed application form, an invitation from a department member of the JFK-Institute, a brief curriculum vitae, and a two-page project
description with a list of the literature to be consulted in the library. Applications from graduate students and junior faculty require a letter of recommendation from a senior scholar. The deadlines for applications are October 31 and May 31.

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FK—Fulbright Distinguished Chair in American Studies

Scope: The Distinguished Chair in American Studies, designed to attract leading American scholars, was established in 1996 in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of the worldwide Fulbright Program. A maximum of one Distinguished Chair is selected each year. The chair has been committed to the Center for North American Studies at the University of Frankfurt through 2009.

Eligibility: The program is open to scholars in economics, law, political science, U.S. history, and other related fields who have substantial research and teaching experience and a good publication record.
Provisions: The grant benefits include an incidental allowance of €500 per semester, a monthly stipend of €5,000, a spouse allowance of €260 per month, travel expenses, orientation and mid-year meetings, health insurance, and administrative and academic support through the Fulbright Commission in Germany. The position allows the recipient to teach two to three advanced courses and to use the research facilities of the host university and neighboring institutions.

Applications: Information and application forms are available from the Council for International Exchange of Scholars. The application deadline is May 1 for grants beginning in September.

FK—Fulbright Enterprise Scholarship

Scope: Each year, the Fulbright program selects up to three Enterprise Scholars to go to Germany. Applicants should come from the fields of law, business, or international relations. They should be interested in close cooperation with the private sector, in addition to university-based research or study.

Eligibility: American students who will have completed at least a B.A. or B.S. degree by the time of arrival in Germany are eligible. A solid academic background and a well-focused project are essential, plus adequate German language proficiency for the project.

Provisions: The Fulbright Commission will help with private sector contacts.

Application: Applicants still affiliated with a university should consult the Fulbright Program Advisor at their institution for application information and deadlines. At-large applicants no longer at a university should contact the Institute for International Exchange directly. Students should apply on the regular application forms and add a separate page to the project proposal explaining their interest in the Enterprise Scholar Award. For more information, applicants should consult the Institute of International Education website.

FK—Fulbright German Studies Seminar

Scope: Approximately twenty-five grants are offered to participants in a three-week seminar in June on contemporary German society and culture. Participants will examine Germany’s political, social and economic institutions. Each seminar has a specific thematic focus. The program will begin in Berlin and include visits to other cities across Germany. The CIES website or the German Fulbright Commission website should be consulted for seminar details as they become available each year.

Eligibility: The program is designed for U.S. scholars of German studies, German language and literature, and disciplines related to the seminar topic. Experts in the seminar topic, as well as non-experts with an interest in the topic, are encouraged to apply. Applications are welcome from college, university, and community college scholars, as well as from non-academic professionals, if the seminar topic is appropriate. German proficiency is required. Ph.D. candidates who hold full-time teaching appointments and meet other requirements are also eligible.

Provisions: The award includes roundtrip transportation, a daily allowance for meals, lodging, local travel and incidental expenses, and the opportunity to remain in Europe after the seminar to pursue individual research projects. Spouses and dependents cannot be
accommodated during the seminar. Participants will be asked to submit a brief report and evaluation.

**Application:** The CIES website or the German Fulbright Commission website (www.fulbright.de) should be consulted for seminar details and application instructions as they become available. The application deadline is November 1.

**FK—Fulbright Internship Program**

**Scope:** The Commission has recently developed an internship program for U.S. students, designed particularly (but not exclusively) for those in the fields of economics, finance, science, and law. This program allows grantees to intern with an internationally oriented company for several months following the academic year.

**Eligibility:** American students who will have completed at least a B.A. or B.S. degree by the time of arrival in Germany are eligible. A solid academic background and a well-focused project are essential, plus adequate German language proficiency for the project.

**Provisions:** Benefits include maintenance at approximately the regular U.S. student grant level and health insurance. Further details about this program are distributed to grantees during the course of the grant year.

**Application:** Applicants still affiliated with a university should consult the Fulbright Program Advisor at their institution for application information and deadlines. At-large applicants no longer at a university should contact the Institute for International Exchange directly. Applicants should contact their advisors in the spring preceding the year they wish to study in Germany.

**FK—Fulbright Lecture and Research Grants for Senior and Junior Scholars**

**Scope:** The program, for junior and senior faculty, sponsors lectures and/or research stays at various stipend levels. Approximately fifty grants are available.

**Eligibility:** The program is open to American scholars with adequate experience in teaching and/or research, who propose projects in cooperation with a German host institution (usually a university, Fachhochschule, or a postsecondary university level institution). For the benefit of German students, the Commission particularly encourages scholars with lecture projects or research projects with a regular lecturing component. Research-only projects will also be considered, however. In general, applicants should have established contacts with potential German host institutions and solicited an invitation. Junior faculty in American studies are encouraged to apply without a pre-arranged affiliation.

**Provisions:** The grants are usually for one or two semesters (three to ten months). The grants provide an incidental allowance of €100 per month, and a monthly spouse allowance of €260 where applicable. The grants also include international travel, intensive language courses of approximately six weeks, orientation and mid-year meetings, and health insurance. Full maintenance grants for senior scholars carry a monthly stipend of €2,050, or a travel-only grant when maintenance is provided by the scholar's host institution (sabbatical). Junior Faculty Grants carry a monthly stipend of €1,800. Junior lecturers are expected to teach two to three courses per semester, usually in English. Junior researchers are pro-
vided with a monthly stipend of approximately €1,500 for research in cooperation with leading German scholars.

**Application:** Information and application materials are available from the Council for International Exchange of Scholars. The application deadline is August 1 for grants beginning in September.

**FK—Fulbright New Century Scholars Program**

**Scope:** A relatively new program, the New Century Scholars Program annually brings together twenty-five to thirty outstanding researchers from the United States and abroad to engage in multidisciplinary collaboration on a topic of global significance under the leadership of a Distinguished New Century Scholar Leader. Each year, a new research topic is announced. The number of grants varies due to international competition.

**Eligibility:** U.S., German, and international scholars who have substantial research and teaching experience and a good publication record related to the annual theme are eligible to apply.

**Provisions:** The program offers an award in the amount of $37,000, international travel, and a per diem to cover participation in program seminar and meetings. NCS provides a unique opportunity for participants to pursue individual research objectives as well as to engage in ongoing collaboration and interaction focusing on the NCS research theme. NCS Fellows undertake a three- to six-month international research visit during the program year, and also come together for a pre-program orientation session, a mid-term meeting, and a final plenary seminar.

**Application:** Program details and application materials are available on the website of the Council for International Exchange of Scholars. Applicants may also contact Micaela S. Iovine, Senior Program Officer, at email: miovine@cies.iie.org. Applications are due February 1.

**FK—Fulbright Senior Specialists Program**

**Scope:** Fulbright Senior Specialist activities are designed to provide American faculty and professionals with opportunities to collaborate with their counterparts on curriculum and faculty development, institutional planning, and a variety of other activities. For example, grantees may take part in specialized academic programs and conferences in conjunction with other scheduled activities, present lectures at the graduate and undergraduate level, lead or participate in seminars or workshops at overseas academic institutions, and conduct teacher-training programs at the tertiary level.

**Eligibility:** This program does not fund via this program. Eligible fields and subdisciplines are listed online, and include anthropology, communications, journalism, law, political science, and sociology. At the time of application, an applicant selects one field and one subdiscipline from the list of available specializations in his/her field. Candidates must be U.S. citizens at the time of application. Permanent resident status is not sufficient. For academics, a Ph.D. or equivalent professional degree is required at the time of application, plus at least five years of postdoctoral teaching or professional experience in the field. For professionals and artists outside academia, recognized professional standing and substantial accomplishments are required, plus a minimum of five years of professional experience in the field.
Provisions: The program awards grants ranging from two to six weeks; serial grants are possible. Grants include international travel, a per diem, plus a $200/day honorarium. Per diem costs, which are in-country costs for lodging, meals, and in-country transportation, will be covered by the host institution.

Application: The deadline for submitting completed applications to the Berlin Fulbright Commission is at least three months before the envisioned arrival date. It is essential that applications are submitted through the electronic application form available online, or at least as an electronic document.

FK—Fulbright Study and Research Program for U.S. Students

Scope: The program facilitates university study and research for two academic semesters at a German university. Grants usually begin in September. Depending on a candidate’s academic level, he or she may pursue full-time study (graduating seniors) or independent research under the supervision of a German advisor (doctoral candidates). The Commission arranges for university affiliation and academic contacts if required. Approximately ninety grants are available annually.

Eligibility: American students who will have completed at least a B.A. or B.S. degree by the time of arrival in Germany are eligible. A solid academic background and a well-focused project are essential, plus adequate German language proficiency for the project.

Provisions: Full maintenance grants carry monthly stipends of €715 to €975, depending on the candidate’s academic level. Furthermore, an incidental allowance of €250 per semester is granted, as well as international travel, orientation and mid-year meetings, a host family program at the beginning of the grant, health insurance, and intensive language courses of approximately six weeks in Germany for those grantees whose German language ability is not sufficient at the beginning of the grant to pursue their projects. A spouse allowance of €260 per month is available to married grantees. For candidates with funding from other resources, Fulbright offers travel-only grants, in which case the benefits provided by Fulbright are restricted to international travel, orientation and mid-year meetings, and administrative support.

Application: Applicants still affiliated with a university should consult the Fulbright Program Advisor at their institution for application information and deadlines. At-large applicants no longer at a university should contact the Institute for International Exchange directly. Applicants should contact their advisors in the spring preceding the year they wish to study in Germany.

FK—Fulbright Teaching Assistantships at German High Schools

Scope: The program helps to improve the teaching of the American language and American studies at German secondary schools (Gesamtschule, Gymnasium, Realschule, Berufsbildende Schule). American teaching assistants usually cooperate closely with a German teacher of English and take over certain responsibilities in the classroom, especially with regard to projects on the United States. Approximately seventy grants are available per year.

Eligibility: U.S. students holding at least a B.A. at the time of arrival in Germany, typically in German or German Studies, are eligible. Married grantees can only be considered under exceptional circumstances. Adequate proficiency in German is required.
Provisions: The duration of the award is usually one school year, beginning in early September and ending in late June. University affiliation and part-time study may be feasible when the assigned school is located in or near a town with a university. The program provides a monthly stipend of €700, health insurance, international travel, orientation and mid-year meetings.

Application: Applicants still affiliated with a university should consult the Fulbright Program Advisor at their institution for application information and deadlines. At-large applicants no longer at a university should contact the Institute for International Exchange directly. Applicants should contact their advisor in the spring preceding the year in which they wish to teach.

FK—Fulbright U.S. Young Journalists Program

Scope: The program allows young U.S. journalists to come to Germany for research and practical experience. The approximately ten-month stay begins in September and typically consists of an initial research phase, during which the grantee becomes familiar with his/her project in a German setting, followed by an internship(s) with German print or broadcast media institutions.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens. Journalists in all fields of print and broadcast media with a few years of professional experience and solid academic training in journalism can apply. University graduates may be considered if they have a bachelor’s or master’s degree in journalism or other relevant fields and considerable practical experience in the field. Good to very good proficiency in German is essential.

Provisions: The program provides a monthly stipend of €1,380, international travel, an incidental allowance of €1,000, and health insurance. The Fulbright Commission offers intensive language courses of approximately six weeks in Germany to those grantees whose German language ability is not sufficient at the beginning of the grant to pursue their projects.

Application: Further information and application materials can be obtained from the Council for International Exchange of Scholars.

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DAAD—edu.de Undergraduate Scholarship Program

Scope: Highly qualified undergraduates are invited to apply for scholarships funding study, senior thesis research, and/or internships in Germany. The goal of this program is to support study abroad in Germany and at German universities. Scholarships are available for a semester or year abroad, either as part of an organized study abroad program, or as part of an individual, student-designed study abroad semester or year.

Eligibility: Students must be U.S. citizens; foreign nationals are eligible if they have been full-time students at an accredited U.S. university for more than one year at the time of application and will return to the United States or Canada after the scholarship period to complete their bachelor’s degree. Sophomores and Juniors in all academic fields are eligible. Preference will be given to students whose projects or programs are organized by a German university. All applicants must be able to receive academic credit for their activity in Germany.

Provisions: Scholarships may be granted for a minimum of four and a maximum of ten months. Recipients will be awarded a monthly stipend of €615, plus additional funds to help defray travel, research expenses, and health insurance.

Application: Applicants are required to submit the DAAD language certificate with their application, although German language competency is not mandatory. Applicants must submit all required materials in quadruplicate, except for the letter of recommendation, language certificate, and transcripts, which require one original only. A complete application consists of an application form, a curriculum vitae, a comprehensive description of the proposed project, one letter of recommendation from a professor in the applicant’s major field of study, a Statement of Support and Credit Eligibility Form, official transcripts, and the DAAD language certificate (Sprachzeugnis). The deadline for applications is February 20 for programs, internships, or research starting between the following October and April. Faxed applications will not be accepted. The results of the competition are announced by the beginning of May.

DAAD—German Studies Research Grants

Scope: These grants are offered to highly qualified undergraduate and graduate students. The grant may be used for short-term research in North America or Germany. The program is designed to encourage research and promote the study of cultural, political, historical, economic, and social aspects of modern and contemporary German affairs from an interdisciplinary perspective.

Eligibility: Grants are restricted to U.S. citizens enrolled full-time at the university that nominates them. Undergraduates with at least junior standing pursuing a German Studies track or minor may be nominated for the grant by their department or program chair. Applicants are expected to have completed two years of college German and a minimum of three courses in German Studies (literature, history, politics, or other fields). Master’s degree candidates in the humanities and social sciences working on a certificate or project in German Studies, and Ph.D. students in the humanities and social sciences preparing their dissertation proposals on modern German topics may also be nominated. Students whose dissertation proposals have already been formally accepted are not eligible for nomination.

Provisions: Research support ranging from $1,500 to $3,000 is available to scholarship recipients and is intended to offset living and travel costs during the active research phase.
Application: The application consists of the completed application form, a curriculum vitae, a detailed description of the research project or the pre-dissertation proposal with budget statement, a list of German Studies courses taken, two letters of recommendation, the DAAD language certificate (Sprachzeugnis), and official transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate work. Applications must be received by May 1 or November 1.

DAAD—Grants for Intensive Language Courses in Germany

Scope: These grants are for graduate students at North American universities to attend eight-week intensive language courses at leading institutes in Germany. Extensive descriptions of the institutes, their teaching philosophies, course content, as well as course dates are available on the website of each institute: Goethe-Institut, www.goethe.de; S+W speak + write, www.speak.de; did deutsch-institut, www.did.de; Carl-Duisburg-Centeren, www.cdc.de; InterDaF Leipzig: www.uni-leipzig.de/interdaf

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens. Foreign nationals may be eligible if they have been full-time graduate students at a U.S. university for at least one academic year at the time of application. Scholarships are awarded to graduate students in all fields of study except English, German, or any other modern language or literature. Applicants will be assessed on the basis of their academic record and statements of projected future academic and professional plans. Applicants must have completed three semesters of college German or have achieved an equivalent level of language proficiency. Applicants who have received a DAAD summer language grant in the past three years are not eligible.

Provisions: The scholarship of €2,650 includes tuition, accommodations (arranged by the host institute), and an allowance for meals and incidental expenses. DAAD provides health and accident insurance for the duration of the language course. In addition, DAAD provides a travel subsidy of €210. Scholarship recipients are expected to devote their full attention to the course and may not concurrently undertake individual research. A written report is requested within 4 weeks of the end of the course.

Application: All parts of the application should be submitted in duplicate (one original, one photocopy). A complete application is comprised of the DAAD application form, a curriculum vitae, a detailed statement of intent in English (approximately 500 words), a recommendation letter from a professor in the applicant’s major field of study, official transcripts of all postsecondary studies, the DAAD language certificate (Sprachzeugnis), a list of German language courses taken. Application forms must be received by January 31.

DAAD—Group Study Visits

Scope: DAAD offers financial support for academic information visits to Germany, which are organized by faculty members for groups of students. Group Study Visit grants are intended to encourage contact with academic institutions, groups, and individuals in Germany, and offer insight into current issues in the academic, scientific, economic, political, and cultural worlds.

Eligibility: All departments are eligible for this funding. The group should consist of ten to fifteen students, plus one accompanying faculty member, all affiliated with an accredited U.S. university. The trip should last seven to twelve days. Participants may be drawn from more than one institution. U.S. citizenship is a prerequisite. The visit should be organized
and arranged entirely by the home institution and should have a meaningful relationship to the curriculum. Groups will not be eligible for funding in successive years.

Provisions: DAAD offers €30 per person per day for room and board. Participants will have to supplement the funding provided by DAAD with resources of their own. Groups will not be eligible for funding in successive years. DAAD expects the submission of a report on the visit within six weeks after the return from Germany and would welcome copies of any publications resulting from the study tour.

Application: Applications must be filed by a faculty member and should include a total budget, a detailed itinerary, specific information about how this trip ties into the curriculum, as well as the application form. Applications may be filed at any time, but at least six months before the beginning date of the planned visit. Group Study Visits should not be planned for the July/August interval, when no classes are held on German campuses, or the end-of-year holiday period of December 22 to January 8.

DAAD—Guest Lectureships for Highly Qualified Academics at German Universities

Scope: The program assists institutions of higher education in supporting highly qualified international scholars for temporary teaching assignments at universities, Fachhochschulen, and arts colleges in Germany. The objective is to strengthen the international dimensions of teaching by co-financing lectureships for highly qualified postsecondary educators.

Eligibility: Scholars from all academic disciplines are eligible to apply.

Provisions: It should be noted that the German institution—as the applicant—receives the funding. International Guest Lecturers are paid by the host institution according to the salary scales for German university level scholars. Funding is available for a period of one semester to two years.

Application: Academics wishing to teach at one of the various types of German institutions of higher education must have an invitation from the institution. The application must be jointly completed by the scholar and the institution, and submitted by the German institution to the DAAD in Bonn. The application deadlines are July 15 for April through July and January 15 for October through March. More information is available at www.daad.de/hochschulen/de/5.2.3.html.

DAAD—Learn German in Germany for Faculty

Scope: The grants are offered to faculty members in all academic fields except modern languages and literatures to attend intensive language courses at Goethe Institutes in Germany. The four- and eight-week courses are offered year-round. Extensive descriptions of the Institutes, including teaching philosophy, course content, course dates, organization, and a map of Institute locations are available at the Goethe-Institut website www.goethe.de.

Eligibility: Scholars who hold a Ph.D. (or equivalent) and have been working in research or teaching full-time at a U.S. university or research institution for at least two years after receipt of the doctorate are eligible. Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of the United States or Canada. Preference will be given to applicants in the social sciences, natural sciences, engineering, and professional schools who are in mid-career and are under forty-six years of age. Faculty members who teach in the fields of English, German, or any
other modern language or literature are not eligible. Applicants must have a basic knowledge of German and be able to demonstrate a need for acquiring better German language proficiency for their future studies or research. Applicants should not have previously studied in a German-speaking country for more than two months or received a grant to attend a German language course from DAAD or any other organization within the last three years.

Provisions: The scholarship amounts to approximately €3,500 for the eight-week course and €1,700 for the four-week course. It provides tuition, room and partial board, and a cash allowance of €400 (€200) for additional expenses. The allowance for the two-month course will be paid in two installments. The DAAD covers health and accident insurance for the scholarship period. International or domestic travel is not included.

Application: Descriptions of the Institutes, including teaching philosophy, course content, course dates, organization, and a map of Institute locations are available at the Goethe-Institut website. A complete application consists of the DAAD application form, a curriculum vitae, a detailed letter of intent, a list of publications, a list of courses taught during the previous academic year, and a language evaluation. Application forms must be received by January 31.

DAAD—Scholarships for Study and/or Research in Germany

Scope: These scholarships are awarded to highly qualified graduate students, Ph.D. candidates, and postdoctoral researchers for study and research at universities or institutes in Germany.

Eligibility: All applicants must be U.S. citizens enrolled full-time in a degree program at an accredited U.S. university. Foreign nationals may apply if they have been full-time graduate students at an accredited U.S. university for more than one academic year. The scholarship is open to graduate students pursuing their master’s or doctorate degree, for study and/or research prior to completing their degree. Recent Ph.D. recipients may also apply to pursue postdoctoral research at libraries, archives, institutes or laboratories. Postdoctoral applicants must have completed their Ph.D. no more than two years prior to applying to DAAD for support. Applicants who are not enrolled in a graduate program must have remained scientifically, artistically or scholarly active since the completion of their graduate degree. Applicants must have no more than two years interruption in their scholarly activities. The scholarship is open to all fields except medicine. Preference will be given to applicants who have been invited by a faculty member at a German university to study or do research in a particular department, institute or laboratory.

Provisions: Graduate scholarships are granted from one to ten months. Ten-month scholarships must take place during the German academic year (October 1–July 31). Short-term scholarships (one to six months) must take place from July/August to January 31. A limited number of scholarship holders who receive seven- to ten-month grants may be awarded a two-month language course grant. Monthly stipends range from €795 to €975 depending on the level of academic advancement. In addition, limited funds are available to partially cover study and research expenses, health insurance, and travel costs.

Application: Students at DAAD partner universities should submit applications only through the DAAD Coordinator at their university. Otherwise, applications may be sent to the DAAD office in New York directly. All parts of the application must be submitted in sextuplicate (one original, five copies). A complete application consists of the completed
application form, a detailed curriculum vitae, a precise description of the study or research project, two original letters of recommendation from professors at North American institutions, evidence of any existing contact, or attempt at establishing contact, with academics at the chosen German host institution, a DAAD language certificate (Sprachzeugnis), and a complete official transcripts of all postsecondary studies. Applications must be received by November 15. Ph.D. applicants who wish to apply for the February–July period should submit their application by August 1.

DAAD—StADaF Funding for Conferences

Scope: StADaF (Ständiger Ausschuss Deutsch als Fremdsprache/Standing Committee for German as a Foreign Language) funds are made available by the German Foreign Office to encourage distinguished scholarly contributions to a deeper understanding in the United States about contemporary Germany. The program supports workshops, seminars, and conferences that embrace the interdisciplinary and/or comparative study of the history, politics, economics, law, society, culture, and arts of Germany.

Eligibility: Faculty members and advanced graduate students in the humanities, social sciences, and related fields are invited to apply.

Provisions: Grants may be made for specific projects. Grants cannot be used for publications or annual meetings. Projects to be funded must be of limited duration, have a clearly defined goal, and, as a general rule, must be carried out within the applicable fiscal (i.e., calendar) year. A minimum of 50% of project costs must be contributed from other sources, including the university hosting the event. In-kind contributions, such as the provision of meeting space or equipment, may not be counted towards this requirement. DAAD funds may not be used to defray administrative costs or to cover transatlantic travel.

Application: For application guidelines, candidates should check the DAAD website. Application must be received by the DAAD office in New York by June 15 for conferences from January through June and October 15 for conferences from June through December.

DAAD—Study Scholarships for Graduating Seniors

Scope: The DAAD offers Study Scholarships to outstanding bachelor’s degree recipients for study at universities in Germany.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens enrolled full-time in a degree program at an accredited U.S. university. Foreign nationals may apply if they have been full-time students at an accredited U.S. university for more than one academic year. All foreign nationals must contact the DAAD office in New York before applying to determine their eligibility status. Applicants must complete their bachelor’s degree prior to beginning a Study Scholarship. Applicants are requested to have a well-defined study or research project that makes a stay in Germany essential. Preference will be given to applicants who have been invited by a faculty member at a German university to study or do research in a particular university department. Applications are invited from all academic fields, except dentistry, medicine, pharmacy, and veterinary medicine. Applicants in the arts, humanities, and social sciences should have a good command of German.

Provisions: DAAD Study Scholarship recipients enroll in courses at a German university. Participants need to have completed at least two years of college-level German and work to improve their language skills prior to the scholarship period. A limited number of schol-
arship holders are awarded a two-month language course grant starting in August. The monthly stipend is €715, plus additional payments for travel, research expenses, and health insurance. Grantees are expected to return to the United States or Canada at the end of the scholarship period.

**Application:** Applications should be submitted to the DAAD Coordinator at the applicant’s university if it is a DAAD partner university. Otherwise, they may be sent directly to the DAAD office in New York. All parts of the application must be submitted in sextuplicate (one original, five copies). The complete application consists of the completed application form, a detailed curriculum vitae, a precise description of the study or research project, two letters of recommendation from professors at North American institutions, any record of contact with academics at the chosen German host institution, a DAAD language certificate (*Sprachzeugnis*), and complete official transcripts. Applications must be received by November 15.

**DAAD—University Summer Course Grants**

**Scope:** A broad range of three- or four-week summer language courses is offered at German universities, which focus on literary, cultural, political, and economic aspects of modern and contemporary Germany. Extensive extracurricular programs complement the core material. Details on current offerings can be found on the DAAD website or upon request as a brochure.

**Eligibility:** Scholarships are awarded to students pursuing full-time study at U.S. colleges or universities. They must be U.S. citizens or foreign nationals who have been enrolled as full-time students at an American university for at least one year. There are no restrictions as to field, but applicants must have attained at least junior standing (ten full-course equivalents) at the time of application. Applicants must have completed a minimum of four semesters of college German or an equivalent level of language proficiency; they must be able to participate in group projects and follow lectures in German. Preference will be given to students who are under thirty-two years of age.

**Provisions:** Scholarships are available for courses lasting a minimum of three weeks. The scholarship is €770 and covers tuition, room, and board in whole or in part. In addition, DAAD will provide an international travel subsidy of €210. Scholarship recipients are expected to devote their full attention to the course and may not concurrently undertake individual research. A written report is requested within four weeks of the end of the course.

**Application:** All parts of the application should be submitted in duplicate (one original, one photocopy). A complete application consists of a completed DAAD application form, an autobiographical essay in German, a detailed “letter of intent” of approximately 500 words, a DAAD language certificate (*Sprachzeugnis*), official transcripts of all postsecondary studies, and a recommendation letter written by a professor in the applicant’s major field of study. Confidential letters of recommendation and official transcripts may be in single copy and should be forwarded in sealed envelopes. Applications must be received by January 31.

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GHI—Medieval History Seminar

Scope: The seminar is designed to bring together up to sixteen American and German Ph.D. candidates and recent Ph.D. recipients in medieval history for a weekend of scholarly discussion. Participants have the opportunity to present their work to their peers as well as to distinguished scholars from both sides of the Atlantic. The seminar is held biannually in the fall, alternating between venues in Europe and the United States.

Eligibility: The GHI welcomes proposals on all topical and geographical areas of medieval history. Participation is not limited to historians working on German history or German-speaking regions of Europe. Nor is a particular epoch or methodological approach preferred. Applications from related disciplines (art history, literature, etc.) are welcome if the projects have a distinct historical focus. A working knowledge of both English and German is necessary.

Provisions: Participants receive a lump sum reimbursement for their travel and lodging expenses. They must submit a paper in German or English of up to twenty typewritten pages six weeks in advance of the seminar. They also comment on one other paper presented. The seminar will be conducted bilingually.

Application: Applications should include a curriculum vitae, a description of the proposed paper (four to five pages, double-spaced), and a letter of recommendation. All materials may be submitted by email, fax, or regular mail. Further information on application deadlines and requirements is available on the GHI’s website.

GHI—Summer Seminar in Germany

Scope: The seminar, organized by the GHI and supported by the German Department at the University of Wisconsin at Madison, is a program for advanced graduate students in German historical studies in a broad range of fields (art history, history, literature, musicology, etc.). The program trains participants to read the old German script, familiarizes them with German research facilities (archives and libraries), provides a forum for discussing research methods and practical tips, and helps prepare them for dissertation research in Germany.

Eligibility: Applicants must be enrolled in a Ph.D. program at a North American institution of higher education. The program seeks qualified applicants interested in historical studies in a broad range of fields (art history, history, literature, musicology, etc.). The program is looking for advanced graduate students whose projects require that they consult source material in archives and research libraries as well as handwritten materials in the old
German script. Preference will be given to those who have already chosen a dissertation topic, have already written a dissertation proposal, but have not yet embarked on actual research (A.B.D.). Successful candidates must have a very good knowledge of written and spoken German. All parts of the program are conducted in German.

Provisions: The program has practical and theoretical dimensions. The group will spend the bulk of their time in various German archives, thinking about research methods and discussing practical information on using archives and libraries. Students will learn how to contact archives, use finding aids, identify important reference tools, and become generally acquainted with German research facilities. In theoretical terms, participants will be exposed to various approaches that archivists, librarians, and scholars use to locate source material in an exceedingly complex repository landscape. They also will gain insight into how historical materials are acquired, stored, and made accessible to scholars. Participants will hear from scholars actively engaged in research, and will have the chance to ask them questions on research methods, strategy, and planning. Potential applicants should note that the program is exploratory in nature and should not be considered a predissertation research grant for a specific project. Participants will have limited opportunity to do their own work. Most institutions visited will not have materials specifically related to the topics of most of the participants. However, over the course of the seminar, participants will learn tips that are directly related to their projects as well as meet archivists and librarians who may be useful contacts in the future. Participants will gain an appreciation for the various kinds of archives and special collections located in Germany, either for future reference or for their general edification as scholars of German culture, history, and society. Students are welcome to extend their stay in Germany to do their own preliminary research after the tour ends.

Application: The organizers will evaluate applicants’ German proficiency by telephone interview before participants are selected. A complete application consists of a cover letter that outlines the need for participation, a curriculum vitae, a dissertation proposal (four to eight pages), and a letter from the doctoral adviser. The application deadline is December 31. All applicants are notified by February 15.

GHI—Thyssen-Heideking Fellowship

Scope: The fellowship, in memory of the late Jürgen Heideking, is supported by the Fritz Thyssen Foundation and 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; and twentieth-century German and European history.

Eligibility: The fellowship is open to Ph.D. recipients.

Provisions: The fellowship carries a stipend of €25,000, plus a family allowance if applicable, for a period of six to twelve months in residence at the University of Cologne. The fellow will be expected to give one public lecture on his/her research.

Application: Applications should include a cover letter, a curriculum vitae, proof of academic degree, a project description (eight to ten pages), a research schedule for fellowship period, and two confidential letters of reference. The application deadline is November 15.

GHI—Transatlantic Doctoral Seminar

Scope: The seminar is organized jointly by the GHI and the BMW Center for German and European Studies at Georgetown University in Washington, DC. The seminar brings to-
gether young scholars from Europe and North America who are nearing completion of their doctoral degrees. Each year in the spring, eight doctoral students from each side of the Atlantic present their research to peers and mentors, alternating venues between Washington, DC, and various German universities.

Eligibility: Applications are accepted from doctoral students whose dissertations are at an advanced stage but who will be granted their degrees after the seminar. Each seminar focuses on a different period of modern German history, but doctoral students working in related disciplines—such as art history, legal history, or the history of science—are also encouraged to apply, as are students working on comparative projects or on the history of Austria or the German-speaking areas of Switzerland.

Provisions: The organizers provide a lump sum to cover travel and lodging expenses for all participants. The discussions will be based on papers (in German or English) submitted in advance of the conference. The seminar will be conducted bilingually, in German and English.

Application: Applications should include a short project description (two to three pages, in German or English), a curriculum vitae, and a letter of reference from the major advisor. Applications and letters of reference must be received by December 1. They may be submitted by email, fax, or regular mail.

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GMF—Journalism Fellowship Program

Scope: The Journalism Fellowship Program is intended to encourage the coverage of European and transatlantic issues and events by the U.S. media. Each year, between twenty and thirty grants will be awarded to journalists from all regions of the United States to enable them to investigate and report on European topics that they would not otherwise have been able to cover. The program, administered by GMF’s Washington, DC office, is intended to cover a broad range of European topics, including issues of European economic and political integration, transatlantic relations, and the internal affairs of individual European countries from the Atlantic seaboard to Russia.

Eligibility: Funds are available for writing projects for newspapers, magazines, radio, or television programs. Applicants may include both journalists with experience of European reporting and newcomers to the field. The GMF prefers candidates who have secured a publishing commitment in advance, although such a commitment is not necessarily required.
Provisions: The grants range from $2,000 for a feature-length report to $25,000 for a book project and include funds for European travel as appropriate. A typical grant finances a European trip of one to three weeks, but requests for longer visits are also considered. Grants are awarded throughout the year. Grant recipients are free to conduct their own independent research and analysis, and are not expected to conform to any editorial or other guidelines set by the GMF.

Application: Interested candidates should contact Ursula Soyez at usoyez@gmfus.org.

GMF—Marshall Memorial Fellowship

Scope: The Marshall Memorial Fellowship (MMF) program provides a unique opportunity for young policy and opinion leaders from fourteen European countries and the United States to gain an in-depth understanding of societies, institutions, and peoples across the Atlantic. Fellows on both sides of the Atlantic develop a broad knowledge of political, economic, cultural and social issues in their host countries through meetings with city officials, school teachers, police officers, government officials, business leaders, labor organizers, farmers, activists, religious leaders, academics, and members of the community who open their homes to fellows.

Eligibility: Candidates must be between the ages of twenty-eight and forty; be citizens or permanent residents of one of the fifteen MMF countries; demonstrate clear leadership, intellectual curiosity, independence, maturity, and initiative; have a strong record of civic involvement and must be well-positioned to be influential within their own societies in the coming years; and demonstrate the ability and commitment to share what they learn on the MMF program with a broader constituency.

Provisions: During the three to four week program, GMF helps each fellow set up a few personal appointments that match his or her own expertise and interest. The MMF for Europeans offers the opportunity to travel to Washington, DC in multinational groups of about twenty for briefings on American politics and policy. The group divides into smaller groups and continues to four geographically and demographically different cities and towns across the United States, completing the fellowship in New York. The MMF for Americans sends diverse groups of about twenty individuals to Brussels for briefings on European and transatlantic institutions before dividing into small groups to visit cities and small towns in northern, southern and central Europe. American fellows complete their fellowship as a group in Berlin or Paris.

Application: For detailed application instructions, required materials and deadline information, candidates should contact GMFUS directly.

GMF—Research Fellowship Program

Scope: Each year, the German Marshall Fund offers Research Fellowships to academics for research in Europe. This program seeks to improve the understanding of significant contemporary economic, political, and social developments relating to Europe, European integration, and relations between Europe and the United States.

Eligibility: Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. The Research Fellowship Program is available for dissertation and advanced research.
Provisions: The GMF has committed up to $480,000 for this program, which is administered directly by the GMF with the assistance and advice of two independent committees of scholars.

Applications: The application deadline is November 14.

GMF—Manfred Wörner Seminar

Scope: Founded in 1982 and sponsored by the German government, the Manfred Wörner Seminar is a professional development program designed to examine German/European security policy and to discuss common U.S./German security interests. Fifteen Americans are chosen from a diverse range of professional and educational backgrounds that generally reflect an interest in international, security, or political affairs to meet with German counterparts and to promote close personal contact between them. The seminar serves to deepen understanding between participants from these two countries and offers an excellent opportunity to broaden professional networks.

Eligibility: Extensive knowledge of Germany and security policy matters is not a prerequisite. Participants range from twenty-five to thirty-five years of age.

Provisions: Each participant must pay a $300 fee to attend the seminar (covering airfare from Brussels to Berlin). The German government pays travel, accommodation, and most meals, while other out-of-pocket costs (taxi fares, shopping, bar tabs, etc.) are left to the individual. The seminar does not provide participants a stipend or honorarium, nor are they financially compensated for their time on the program. It is the responsibility of each participant to arrange for professional, personal, or vacation leave from his or her current place of employment or study. To the extent possible, the American Seminar Director is available to address employer, supervisor, or faculty inquiries in order to facilitate a candidate's participation in the program. The ten-day program takes place in Bonn, Brussels, and Berlin. It is conducted by the German Ministry of Defense, specifically by the Seminar Division of Armed Forces Office, which is part of the Bundeswehr. Seminar-style discussions are led by experts and address important security and defense dimensions of the German-American bilateral relationship within a regional and transatlantic framework. The program is not, however, limited to these topics. It also examines business, economic, political, and cultural issues.

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GERMAN RESEARCH FOUNDATION (DFG)

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**DFG—Heisenberg Program**

**Scope:** The program provides outstanding researchers who fulfill the requirements for appointment to a long-term professorship with the opportunity to prepare for a leading position in science and research, and to use the time to work on an advanced research topic.

**Eligibility:** Researchers in all disciplines are eligible up to the age of thirty-five. They must qualify for a professorship by holding a Habilitation or an equivalent (second book or equivalent number of articles) and demonstrate an outstanding research record. Exceptions to the age limit are possible only in special circumstances and up to an absolute maximum age of thirty-nine.

**Provisions:** The fellowship carries a basic stipend (corresponding to the applicant’s professional standing), plus a monthly lump sum payment to cover living and travel costs. Additional funds are available for travel and research expenses, as well as for family dependents. The fellowship is tenable up to a maximum of five years.

**Application:** Proposals may be submitted at any time. Guidelines are available from the DFG website.

**DFG—Emmy Noether Program**

**Scope:** This program is designed to bring outstanding young postdoctoral scholars working abroad back to Germany by providing them with opportunities to gain the qualifications required for appointment as a university teacher. It consists of two stages, which extend over a period of six years. A two-year research stay abroad forms the foundation for a project, which is subsequently carried out in Germany during stage 2, together with an independent junior research group, which is headed by the researcher. This enables the researcher to quickly gain the credentials and qualifications required for a university teaching career.

**Eligibility:** Young researchers in Germany in all disciplines who have completed their doctorate are eligible to apply. Candidates must not be older than thirty by the start of stage 1. To be eligible for stage 2, candidates must not be older than thirty-two, and must have at least two years postdoctoral experience abroad. Decisions are based on the quality of the research project. In addition to an outstanding doctorate, at least one additional publication in an international specialist journal is desirable.

**Provisions:** Stage 1 provides a study-abroad fellowship and four trips to Germany to establish the independent junior research group. At stage 2, the fellow begins as head of the independent junior research group, in salary group BAT Ia/Ib. Additional funding for staff and materials is available for a period of four years. The maximum time for funding is six years (two years at stage 1, four years at stage 2).

**Application:** No submission deadlines apply. However, age limits must be observed.

**DFG—Research Fellowships**

**Scope:** The goal of this research fellowship is to enable young researchers to carry out a clearly defined research project at a place of their choice in Germany or abroad and thereby acquaint themselves with new scientific research methods or to complete a larger research project.

**Eligibility:** Young German researchers in all disciplines who have completed their doctorate are eligible. Young international researchers in all disciplines who have completed their
doctorate are eligible with proof of resident status in Germany for several years. They will be required to state that they wish to continue to do their research in Germany in the future. Older researchers holding a doctorate may submit proposals to allow them to dedicate themselves to an important research project.

**Provisions:** The fellowship provides a basic stipend, plus a monthly lump sum payment to cover travel costs. A supplement is provided for family dependents. The fellowship is awarded for up to two years; in the case of partial fellowships, extensions are generally possible for up to a maximum of two years.

**Application:** Proposals may be submitted at any time.

**DFG—Research Grants**

**Scope:** The purpose of the program is to enable scientists and academics to carry out a research project on a specific topic within a limited time period.

**Eligibility:** Qualified researchers (as a rule, those holding a doctorate) from all disciplines working at German research institutions are eligible. Researchers working at institutions, which serve purely commercial purposes or those who are not permitted to publish their findings in a generally accessible form are not eligible to apply.

**Provisions:** The program may cover staff costs, funding for the applicant’s own position, funds for scientific equipment and materials, travel, miscellaneous expenses (e.g. contracts awarded to third parties), and publication costs. The duration of funding is based on the individual project. Funding for the applicant’s own position is generally granted for two years.

**Application:** For initial proposals, no submission deadlines apply. Renewal proposals must be submitted at least four months before the approved funds have been exhausted.

**DFG—Travel Grants for Informational and Conference Trips**

**Scope:** The program provides support for young German researchers currently abroad to participate in scientific conferences in Germany and Europe, to give lectures and presentations abroad, or to visit research institutions, libraries, or archives (information trips).

**Eligibility:** Proposals are accepted from young German researchers who have a temporary employment contract abroad, who plan on returning to Germany, and are under the age of thirty-five.

**Provisions:** The program provides an international travel allowance, a lodging and board allowance according to DFG per diem rates, and conference fees.

**Application:** Depending on the project, the proposal must be received by the DFG up to three months prior to the start of the conference.

**JOHN SIMON GUGGENHEIM MEMORIAL FOUNDATION (GF)**

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GF—Fellowships to Assist Research and Artistic Creation

**Scope:** The John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation was established in 1925 by U.S. Senator Simon Guggenheim and his wife. The Foundation offers fellowships to further the development of scholars and artists by assisting them to engage in research in any field of knowledge and creation in any of the arts, under the freest possible conditions and irrespective of race, color, or creed.

**Eligibility:** One of the two annual competitions is open to U.S. and Canadian citizens and permanent residents. The fellowships are awarded to men and women who have already demonstrated exceptional capacity for productive scholarship or exceptional creative ability in the arts. The fellowships are for advanced professionals in all fields (natural sciences, social sciences, humanities, creative arts) except the performing arts. Fellowships are not available for students.

**Provisions:** The grants are made available for periods of six to twelve months. The average amount of a grant is $35,700. There are no special conditions attached to it, and fellows may spend their grant funds in any manner they deem necessary to their work. A report, however, is required at the end of the term.

**Application:** The fellowships are awarded by the Trustees, based upon nominations made by a selection committee.

HARVARD UNIVERSITY
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CES—Graduate Dissertation Research Fellowships

**Scope:** The program is intended as aid to conduct fieldwork in the region. The Center provides a year of support for dissertation research abroad as well as summer grants for graduate students who are in the preliminary stages of choosing a topic or who, at a late stage in writing, would benefit from a short trip to do final archival work or interviews. The fellowships fund graduate students from Harvard and MIT who plan to spend six to twelve months in Europe conducting dissertation research. Topics should focus on political, historical, economic, social, cultural, and intellectual trends and public policy in modern or contemporary Europe.

**Eligibility:** Applications are accepted from Harvard doctoral students in the Faculty of Arts and Sciences and MIT doctoral students in the social sciences or cultural studies. Recipients must have completed two years of graduate school and passed their general examinations, but they can be at any stage of research.
**Provisions:** The fellowships provide $20,000 and can be used to supplement external grants to a level not to exceed $30,000. In some cases, half-grants are awarded. The fellowships cannot be deferred and must be used within the twelve-month July-June period for which it is awarded.

**Application:** Downloadable applications are made available online in October. The application deadline is March 25.

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**CES—Graduate Dissertation Writing Fellowships**

**Scope:** These fellowships are intended to support doctoral students conducting dissertation research on contemporary Europe. The Center funds research in Western and Central Europe.

**Eligibility:** The fellowships are available to advanced Harvard and MIT doctoral students in history, the social sciences, or cultural studies. The dissertation must focus on modern or contemporary Europe.

**Provisions:** The stipend is $18,200. It cannot be deferred and it must be used within the twelve-month July-June period for which it is awarded. The fellowships can be used to supplement external grants to a level not to exceed $23,200. No other employment, beyond serving as an advisor for an undergraduate senior thesis or working as a part-time research assistant, is allowed during the grant period.

**Application:** Downloadable applications are made available online in October. The application deadline is March 25.

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**CES—Graduate Summer Travel Grants**

**Scope:** The grants fund summer research in Europe for doctoral students writing dissertations on political, historical, economic, social, cultural, and intellectual trends in modern or contemporary Europe.

**Eligibility:** Applications are accepted from Harvard doctoral students in the Faculty of Arts and Sciences and MIT doctoral students in history, the social sciences, or cultural studies. These grants are intended for students who have formulated a dissertation topic but do not require a long period of research abroad. Recipients must have completed two years of graduate school and have passed their general examinations.

**Provisions:** The maximum award is $5,000. In some cases, funding will be shared with other grant programs.

**Application:** Downloadable applications are made available online in October. The application deadline is March 25.

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**CES—Opportunity Grants**

**Scope:** Opportunity grants are competitive and applications are considered once each semester.

**Eligibility:** Only current graduate affiliates of the Center are eligible for opportunity grants and priority is given to students who do not currently hold a fellowship from CES.
**Provisions:** The grants of up to $500 are intended to help defray the cost of travel associated with giving a conference paper or talk. In addition, opportunity grants may be used for expenses related to research, such as hiring assistants to help code or enter data.

**Application:** Applications are due on December 1 for the fall semester and April 1 for the spring semester. A letter of application must be sent to CES Executive Director, stating the amount of money requested, the name of the conference, an abstract of the paper being presented, or, in the case of data, the nature of the data to be acquired or coded and its relation to the applicant’s dissertation.

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**HAB—American Friends of the HAB Travel Grant**

**Scope:** The American Friends of the HAB offers travel grants to assist North American students who are writing dissertations to gain access to the rich collections of the Herzog August Library.

**Eligibility:** Competition is open to U.S. and Canadian students in all fields in which the Library has significant holdings. The travel grant may be used for an exploratory first visit to Wolfenbüttel, in conjunction with a doctoral fellowship from the library, or to fund a return visit in the writing stage of a dissertation.

**Provisions:** The American Friends of the HAB offer travel grants of up to $1,000. The travel grant may be used for an exploratory first visit to Wolfenbüttel, in conjunction with a doctoral fellowship from the library, or to fund a return visit in the writing-up stage of a dissertation.

**Applications:** Students may either apply directly or be nominated by their doctoral advisers. The easiest way is to request an application form from Prof. Gerhild Scholz Williams (Washington University, St Louis) Gerhild_Williams@aismail.wustl.edu. There are no deadlines.

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**HAB—Doctoral Fellowships**

**Scope:** The Herzog August Library awards fellowships to postgraduate students from all disciplines and countries whose dissertation projects require the historical book and manuscript holdings of the library. At least five fellowships are available, funded by the Dr. Günther Findel Foundation, the Rolf and Ursula Schneider Foundation, and the Dr. phil.
Fritz Wiedemann-Foundation, which specifically support doctoral research on the eighteenth century, especially on the Enlightenment, North German Jacobins, or the French Revolution.

**Provisions:** Fellows are required to be in residence in Wolfenbüttel for the duration of their fellowship. The Findel and Schneider Fellowships carry stipends of €700 per month, for research terms between three and six months. Accommodation in guest houses in Wolfenbüttel is also provided by the fellowship. Extensions can be granted in exceptional cases. The Wiedemann Fellowships provide €950 per month for three months of research. This fellowship does not offer additional funds for accommodation.

**Application:** Candidates for all three fellowships should request an application form from the Library, which contains all necessary information concerning procedures. The application deadlines for Findel and Schneider Fellowships are April 1 (November 1) for fellowship starting the following October 1 (April 1). The deadline for the Wiedemann Fellowship is April 1.

**HAB—Hans and Helga Eckensberger Postdoctoral Fellowship**

**Scope:** Funded by the Eckensberger Foundation, two fellowships are available annually for scholars whose research benefits from the holdings of the Herzog August Library and the State Archives of Lower Saxony. The fellowships specifically support projects by young scholars dealing with aspects of cultural history of the Braunschweig territory in early modern times. Research into the history of the former University of Helmstedt (1576–1815) is particularly welcome, as are diverse historical approaches (biographical, institutional, etc.).

**Eligibility:** Candidates should already hold their doctorate.

**Provisions:** Each fellowship carries a stipend of €1,600 per month, for six months of research at the Herzog August Library. Furthermore, grants-in-aid of up to €400 are available toward travel expenses. A report on the research conducted at the Library will be presented in a public lecture.

**Application:** For application information and procedures, candidates should contact the Library.

**HAB—Postdoctoral Fellowships**

**Scope:** The Herzog August Library awards fellowships to postdoctoral researchers whose projects can be carried out using the historical book and manuscript holdings of the library.

**Eligibility:** Postdoctoral researchers from all disciplines and all countries are eligible.

**Provisions:** Fellowships are €1,050 per month, plus travel to and from Wolfenbüttel. Fellows are required to be in residence during the fellowship, which ranges from two to twelve months.

**Application:** Applications for fellowships in the following calendar year are due by January 31.

**HAB—Summer Courses for Young Scholars**

**Scope:** The summer courses usually consist of seminars, workshops, and discussions. Participants will also have an opportunity to present their own research projects. Topics for these courses vary each year. A total of twenty scholars can be accommodated.
Eligibility: The summer courses are for post-B.A. or graduate students from Germany and abroad.

Provisions: The library offers free accommodations and breakfast. There are no additional fees.

Application: For information and application procedures for summer courses, candidates should contact Prof. Dr. Friedrich Niewöhner at (05331) 808-210 or niewoehner@hab.de.

Joint HAB-Newberry Fellowship

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AvH—Friedrich Wilhelm Bessel Research Awards

Scope: The Humboldt Foundation grants approximately ten Friedrich Wilhelm Bessel Research Awards annually to young scientists and scholars from abroad who are already recognized as outstanding researchers in their fields. The research award has been endowed by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research in recognition of their research achievements to date.

Eligibility: The initiative for bestowing a Friedrich Wilhelm Bessel Research Award (nomination) must be taken by established researchers working at universities or other research institutions in Germany. Direct applications are not accepted. Nominations for Friedrich Wilhelm Bessel Research Awards may only be made for Associate or Assistant Professors, or for researchers of equal standing engaged in non-university work, up to the age of forty-five. Researchers from all disciplines and all countries may be nominated.
Provisions: The award winners are invited to work on research projects of their choice in cooperation with colleagues in Germany for six months to one year. The scale of the award depends on a candidate’s academic status. It can amount to a maximum of €55,000.

Application: Detailed information on application procedures is available from the website. The deadline for complete applications is five months prior to the selection committee meeting (i.e. by the end of October and the end of May, respectively).

AvH—Humboldt Research Fellowships

Scope: Research fellowships are offered on a worldwide competitive basis. Scholars from all nations and all academic disciplines may apply. The fellowships are designed for long-term research projects in Germany. There are no quotas in respect to either country or academic discipline. Approximately five hundred research fellowships are available per year.

Eligibility: Applicants must have a doctoral degree and be less than forty years of age. Scholars in the humanities should have sufficient German proficiency to conduct the proposed research. Scholars in the sciences must provide proof that they have sufficient proficiency in English. Decisions are based primarily on the quality and feasibility of research projects proposed by candidates as well as their international publications.

Provisions: The program provides for a stay of six to twelve months in Germany for research. Applicants design their own research projects and select hosts at German institutions. Monthly stipends range from €2,100 to €3,000, and allowances are available for accompanying family members, travel expenses, and German language instruction.

Application: Research projects and German hosts are selected by the applicants themselves. Details of research projects and schedules must be agreed between applicants and proposed hosts prior to submission of applications. Applications may be submitted to the Humboldt Foundation in Bonn at any time. Applications to extend research stays in Germany that have already commenced can be considered only in exceptional cases.

AvH—Sofja Kovalevskaja Program for Outstanding Young Scientists and Scholars

Scope: Since 2004, the Humboldt Foundation has offered the Sofja Kovalevskaja Award, which is funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research to benefit young scientists and scholars from abroad with outstanding research records. The aim is to give award-winners an opportunity to concentrate on high-level, innovative research of their choice in Germany, in order to promote the internationalization of research in Germany.

Eligibility: The program is open to scientists and scholars from all countries and disciplines. The Humboldt Foundation particularly welcomes applications from young qualified female researchers. Applicants should be no more than thirty-five years of age. They should have completed their doctorates with distinction and published in prestigious international journals. Foreign researchers already in Germany as a rule should not have been engaged in research in Germany for more than three years by the time they apply. German nationals may apply if they have been engaged in academic work abroad for at least five years at the time of application. Exceptions are possible in special cases.

Provisions: The award is intended to enable its winners to finance their own work groups at German universities and research institutes of their choice and to cover living expenses.
The award is intended to sponsor award-winners’ research (including equipment, material, personnel, travel, etc.). Scientific equipment financed by the award will become the property of the host institution. Part of the award may be used to cover awardees’ living expenses (dependent on age and marital status as specified for the BAT Ia salary group or—in the case of qualification as university lecturer or equivalent—BAT I; this currently amounts to an annual average salary of approximately €75,000).

**Application:** Detailed information about the application procedures and required documents can be downloaded from the website. Completed applications must be received by March 15.

**AvH—Language Fellowships**

**Scope:** The success of research visits to Germany also depends on command of the German language. Research fellows whose knowledge of German is insufficient will be granted a language fellowship to enable them to attend an intensive language course at a Goethe Institute or other recognized language school in Germany.

**Eligibility:** The fellowship is open to recipients of a Research Fellowship. On application, language fellowships or language courses may also be granted to spouses of research fellows.

**Provisions:** The fellowship carries a stipend of €610 per month for up to four months. The Foundation also pays the course fees, plus the cost of bed and breakfast. The fellowship falls immediately prior to the actual research fellowship and can neither be interrupted nor taken up during the research fellowship. German language courses are, for example, offered by Goethe Institutes, interDaF e.V. at Herder-Institut Leipzig, BiBiS Bielefeld, speak + write Gesellschaft für Sprachunterricht Marburg, and Sprachinstitut Tübingen. Research fellows and spouses who have not taken advantage of a four-month language fellowship may be granted a subsidy toward the cost of a German language course. The language course should as a rule be attended during the first half of the research fellowship.

**Application:** Application forms and instructions are available from the website.

**AvH—Postdoctoral Fellowships for U.S. Scientists and Scholars**

**Scope:** The Alexander von Humboldt Foundation enables young, highly qualified U.S.-American scientists and scholars to carry out a research project of their own choice in Germany. A total of fifteen fellowships are available annually.

**Eligibility:** Applicants must have a doctoral degree and be less than forty years of age. Scholars in the humanities should have sufficient German proficiency to conduct the proposed research. Scholars in the sciences must provide proof that they have sufficient proficiency in English. Decisions are based primarily on the quality and feasibility of research projects proposed by candidates as well as their international publications.

**Provisions:** Long-term research stays up to twenty-four months are possible. Fellowship holders are expected to spend at least three consecutive months per year in Germany. Financial assistance in Germany includes support for German language course, conference and travel allowances, and allowances for spouses.

**Application:** Applications (consisting of the application form for a Humboldt Research Fellowship and the corresponding additional form for Two-Year Postdoctoral Fellowships
for U.S. Scientists and Scholars) may be submitted at any time. They may be forwarded either directly to the Humboldt Foundation, through diplomatic or consular missions of the Federal Republic of Germany, or the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD). Applications for Two-Year Postdoctoral Fellowships will automatically be considered for Humboldt Research Fellowships in case they cannot be approved within this program.

AvH—Summer Research Fellowships for U.S. Scientists and Scholars

Scope: The Alexander von Humboldt Foundation offers young highly qualified U.S. scientists and scholars the opportunity to carry out a research project of their own choice in Germany. Up to fifteen fellowships are available each year.

Eligibility: Applicants must have a doctoral degree and be less than forty years of age. Scholars in the humanities should have sufficient German proficiency to conduct the proposed research. Scholars in the sciences must provide proof that they have sufficient proficiency in English. Decisions are based primarily on the quality and feasibility of research projects proposed by candidates as well as their international publications.

Provisions: The fellowships enable recipients to conduct research for nine to eighteen months within a period of up to three years. Fellowship holders are expected to spend at least three consecutive months per year in Germany. Financial assistance in Germany includes support for German language course, conference and travel allowances, and allowances for spouses.

Application: Applications (consisting of the application form for a Humboldt Research Fellowship and the corresponding additional form for Summer Research Fellowships for U.S. Scientists and Scholars) may be submitted at any time. They may be forwarded either directly to the Humboldt Foundation, through diplomatic or consular missions of the Federal Republic of Germany, or the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD). The processing of applications takes several months. Applications for Summer Research Fellowships will automatically be considered for Humboldt Research Fellowships in case they cannot be approved for this program.

AvH—German Chancellor Scholarships

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Scope: Since 1990, the Foundation has awarded twenty German Chancellor Scholarships annually to prospective leaders from the United States and the Russian Federation. Successful candidates have come from such fields as government, social and policy sciences, law, journalism, communications, management, finance, economics, architecture, public service, humanities, arts and environmental affairs, enabling them to carry out research projects of their own choice in Germany. During one-year research stays, scholars are also
given an opportunity to gain an insight into the social, cultural, economic and political situation in Germany. The program sponsors individuals who demonstrate the potential to strengthen ties between Germany and their own country through their profession or studies.

Eligibility: Candidates must be citizens of the United States or the Russian Federation, possess a bachelor’s degree, and be under thirty-five years of age by the start of the award. Prior knowledge of German is not a prerequisite.

Provisions: The program begins September 1. Monthly stipends range from €2,000 to €3,500 and allowances for accompanying family members and travel expenses. German Chancellor Scholars take part in a four-week introductory seminar in Bonn and Berlin in September, a fact-finding tour of Germany, and an evaluation seminar in Bonn. The Foundation bears the costs for these.

Application: Applications must be sent to the headquarters in Bonn and must be postmarked no later than October 31.

AvH—TransCoop Program

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Scope: This program supports transatlantic research cooperation among German, American and/or Canadian scholars in the humanities, social sciences, economics, and law.

Eligibility: The research partners must at least hold a doctoral degree and should have conducted research since then. There is no age limit.

Provisions: Joint research initiatives can receive up to €45,000 each over a three-year period. The amount granted by TransCoop must be matched by funds from U.S. and/or Canadian sources. Funds can be used to finance short-term research visits, special conferences and workshops, material and equipment, printing costs, and research assistance.

Application: Application materials may be obtained from the Foundation’s website. Applications should be submitted jointly by at least one German and one U.S. and/or Canadian scholar. The application deadlines are April 30 and October 31.

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Unter den Linden 6
HUB—International Parliamentary Internship

Scope: The program, which is financed by the German Bundestag and has been carried out every year since 1999 with Humboldt University, offers qualified and politically interested young people the opportunity to get to know the German parliamentary system during a five-month stay in Berlin. The program’s aim is to augment future executives’ knowledge of international relations and thus to foster cooperation between nations.

Eligibility: The program is directed towards young international university graduates. A list of eligible nationalities is available on the website.

Provisions: Participants are enrolled as students of Humboldt University for the duration of the program, and they are supervised jointly by the German Bundestag and Humboldt University.

Application: Applications should include a cover letter, a curriculum vitae, academic transcripts, and any further certificates or diplomas. The application should indicate the department in which he or she wishes to work. A Bundestag organigram is available at www.bundestag.de/parlament/verwalt/orgplan/index.html. There are no application deadlines. However, due to the amount of applications received, candidates should apply one year before they intend to commence their internship.

INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION (IIE)
See COUNCIL FOR INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE OF SCHOLARS
See FULBRIGHT COMMISSION

INSTITUTE OF WORLD POLITICS (IWP)

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IWP—Internships

**Scope:** Interns regularly include college students, recent graduates, and those who have already held professional positions but seek to move to a new field. The Institute seeks interns to help the faculty with their writing and research.

**Eligibility:** Applicants should be at least a rising junior in college, have effective oral and written communication skills and excellent research and writing abilities. Professional demeanor and the ability to work productively as a member of the staff are expected. Further selection criteria are good typing, computer literacy, internet research experience, and knowledge of Lexis-Nexis.

**Provisions:** This internship provides a stipend of approximately $400 per month (based on hours worked). Interns are continually exposed to expert scholar-practitioners, work as an integral part of the Institute’s staff, and may earn graduate credit in a course of their choice at no cost, along with reduced tuition on additional classes. Responsibilities include writing and research for the faculty and staff, general administrative assistance for the various departments, and representing the Institute at Washington events, lectures, and seminars.

**Application:** Application forms can be downloaded from the school’s website. It should be submitted together with a résumé, work references, official academic transcript, and brief writing sample. The application deadline for spring internships is November 1.

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AND EXCHANGES BOARD (IREX)

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IREX—Individual Advanced Research Opportunities Program

**Scope:** The program provides fellowships for individual long-term policy-relevant research in Europe and Eurasia. Limited funding is available for predoctoral humanities scholars.

**Eligibility:** The competition is open to professionals with terminal degrees, master’s students, and pre- and postdoctoral scholars. Candidates must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents for at least three years prior to the application deadline.

**Provisions:** The program provides varying stipends for living expenses depending on the host country and roundtrip airfare from the United States. Grants for pre- and postdoctoral U.S. scholars are for two to nine months of research in the social sciences in Europe and Eurasia. At the master’s level, grants of one to three months are available for research on policy-relevant theses or equivalent projects.

**Application:** Application information is available from the website. The application deadline is November 1.
IREX—Policy-Connect Collaborative Research Grants Program

**Scope:** Four grants to individual scholars or collaborative teams of up to three scholars are available for cutting-edge collaborative research on specific topics and regions each year. One grant will be awarded for research on Europe, two grants for research on Eurasia, and one grant for research with a cross-regional focus.

**Eligibility:** Postdoctoral scholars engaged in policy research are eligible. Candidates must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents for at least three years prior to the application deadline.

**Provisions:** The fellowship carries a stipend of up to $30,000 for up to twelve months of research. Upon completion of the project, scholars will be required to present their research findings at a policy forum at the U.S. Department of State.

**Application:** Application materials and information are available online a few months prior to the application deadline, which is April 1.

IREX—Short-Term Travel Grants

**Scope:** Travel grants are awarded for up to two months of independent or collaborative research in Europe and Eurasia. Successful projects must make a substantive contribution to knowledge of the contemporary political, economic, historical, or cultural developments in the region and must demonstrate how such knowledge is relevant to U.S. foreign policy.

**Eligibility:** The grants are intended for postdoctoral scholars and professionals with terminal graduate degrees. Candidates must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents for at least three years prior to the application deadline.

**Provisions:** Grants of up to $3,500, plus roundtrip airfare to the host country, are provided for periods of up to eight weeks.

**Application:** Application information is available online. The application deadline is February 1.

MEMORIAL FOUNDATION FOR JEWISH CULTURE (MFJC)

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MFJC—International Fellowships in Jewish Studies

**Scope:** The purpose of this scholarship is to assist qualified individuals with an independent scholarly, literary, or art project in a field of Jewish specialization that makes a significant
contribution to the understanding, preservation, enhancement, or transmission of Jewish culture.

**Eligibility:** Any qualified scholar, researcher, or artist who possesses the knowledge and experience to formulate and implement a project in a field of Jewish specialization may apply.

**Provisions:** The amount of the grant varies in accordance with the cost of living in the country in which the fellowship recipient resides. Grants range up to $7,500 per year. Grants are for one academic year. Applicants who wish to renew their grant for a second year must request this in writing and submit a new application during the year in which their current grant is in effect. Ordinarily, no more than two grants will be made to an individual.

**Application:** Applications can be obtained from the Memorial Foundation for Jewish Culture by individual written request, with a brief description of the project. The deadline for applications and renewals is October 31.

**NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR EURASIAN AND EAST EUROPEAN RESEARCH (NCEEER)**

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**NCEEER—National Research Competition**

**Scope:** The Council is a non-profit academic body that facilitates high-quality academic and field-based research on Eastern Europe and the newly independent states of the former Soviet Union in the social sciences and humanities, including history, geography, demography, and environmental studies. The Council conducts multiple research competitions to support projects that will contribute to the understanding of current regional developments and historical, political, and cultural trends. The National Research Competition provides funds for both collaborative and individual research projects. Research contracts support collaborative projects involving multiple postdoctoral scholars, including at least one U.S.-based scholar.

**Eligibility:** The competition is directed toward junior postdoctoral scholars. To qualify for funding, the principal investigators must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

**Provisions:** The maximum award for contracts (collaborative projects) is $70,000 and $40,000 for individual grants to U.S.-based postdoctoral scholars. While contracts provide funding to scholars via institutional awards, grants are awarded directly to the scholar.

**Application:** Contracts and grants involve different application forms and guidelines. Scholars who received their doctorates within the last ten years are encouraged to apply for
the NCEEER Policy Research Fellowship. The deadline for the submission of applications is February 15.

NCEEER—Policy Research Fellowship

**Scope:** These fellowships are awarded to support field research.

**Eligibility:** To qualify for funding, principal investigators must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. They must be at the postdoctoral level or possess equivalent experience.

**Provisions:** The fellowships carry stipends of up to $40,000.

**Application:** The application deadline is February 15.

NATIONAL HUMANITIES CENTER

SIAS Summer Institutes

See WISSENSCHAFTSKOLLEG ZU BERLIN

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FNST—Scholarship Program

**Scope:** This support program for gifted students and graduates is open to foreign students and doctoral candidates at German universities. In order to qualify, applicants must have a high level of academic talent and a fundamentally liberal commitment to political and social issues. Support is provided for first-degree courses, postgraduate courses, and doctorates.

**Eligibility:** Candidates must already be accepted by a German university for a postgraduate course or Ph.D. program, and have the ability to communicate fluently in German, both orally and in written format. Foreign students who have completed their academic intermediate examination (*Vordiplom*) are entitled to apply, but not immediately before completion of their studies. An academic degree obtained abroad is also a sufficient qualification if the German university or college formally confirms that it will recognize the foreign degree as at least equivalent to the German intermediate examination (in the main subject) and will place the foreign student in the appropriate semester for that subject.
Provisions: Support is initially awarded for one year; for concentrated studies, up to a total of three years. The scholarship is calculated according to German Foreign Office guidelines.

Application: Candidates should contact the Foundation for application materials. All applicants are subject to a preliminary selection process. A complete application consists of a cover letter explaining the applicant’s interest in the program, the application form, the name of the German university or college and the field, intermediate examination certificate, or translated equivalent of foreign qualifications. Doctoral candidates should supply the degree certificate and grades, the name of the German university that has accepted the applicant into its doctoral program, the doctoral topic, and two references from professors at German institutions of higher learning. All application materials must be received by May 31 for studies commencing the following winter semester or November 30 for studies commencing the following summer semester.

NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO)

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NATO—Parliamentary Assembly Research Assistant Program

Scope: The Assembly is the parliamentary consultative organization of the Atlantic Alliance, compromising about two hundred members of the national parlaments of the 26 NATO member countries, as well as legislators from thirteen associate member nations. The International Secretariat of the Assembly is based in Brussels and is staffed by some thirty people from the various NATO member countries. The NATO Parliamentary Assembly employs eight paid Research Assistants from NATO nations each year.

Eligibility: Candidates must possess a first degree and a master’s degree (or equivalent) in political science, international relations, or related subjects. Preference will be given to candidates who have recently completed their master’s degree. Ph.D. candidates are also welcome to apply but should recognize that during their tenure with the NATO-PA, their workday will be dedicated to Assembly defined projects. Candidates should be completely fluent in oral and written English and/or French.

Provisions: In general, four assistants start in late January and finish in June. The second group starts in August and finishes in late November or early December. The stipend is €620 per month. The Assembly provides a free small, furnished apartment and a basic health insurance policy for the duration of the internship. The main task of research assistants is to contribute, at the request of Committee Directors, to the research necessary for the drafting of Assembly reports and other documents.

Application: Applicants should apply by cover letter, indicating their areas of interest and competence, nationality, and period of availability. A curriculum vitae and two letters of recommendation from referees well acquainted with the applicants recent work should be forwarded to the International Secretariat. The application deadline is October 15.
NATO—Manfred Wörner Fellowship

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Scope: The purpose of the fellowship is to honor the memory of the late Secretary General of NATO and his leading role in the transformation of the Alliance, including efforts at extending NATO’s relations with Central Eastern European countries and promoting the principles and image of the transatlantic partnership.

Eligibility: The fellowship is open to candidates from the academic community, including think tanks, research centers and institutes, and the media. The fellowship is not intended to support research related to obtaining an academic degree. Ph.D.-holders are particularly encouraged to apply. Although individual (or institutional) applications by candidates from individual EAPC countries will be eligible, NATO is equally interested in applications jointly introduced by an individual (or institution) from at least one NATO country and one partner country.

Provisions: The annual fellowship is endowed with €19,800, including all travel costs. It is intended that the research findings undertaken under the fellowship shall lead to publication. Fellows are required to submit to NATO, before the expiration date of their fellowship (June 30), two hard copies of a final report, in English or French. Additionally, this report must be submitted in electronic form for the NATO website. Winners of the NATO Manfred Wörner Fellowship may be asked to speak at NATO-sponsored conferences and seminars.

Application: For detailed information concerning application procedures and materials, candidates should check the above website. Candidates must complete an application form available for download at the above website or upon request at the appropriate national authorities. The form and supporting materials must be submitted by December 31.

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RFE/RL—Internships

Scope: The purpose of the RFE/RL internship program is to offer meaningful voluntary work experience in order to support RFE/RL’s mission, assist RFE/RL’s outreach efforts,
and provide interns an opportunity to develop their skills through practical experience, thus increasing their prospects for employment. RFE/RL offers a limited number of places for interns, which are filled subject to the current needs of RFE/RL Divisions and Departments.

**Eligibility:** The internship is intended to provide independent journalism experience to people from RFE/RL broadcast regions, who will return to their countries to practice good journalism. University students and recent graduates are invited to apply. Applicants should have a working knowledge of English, both oral and written. Work experience in the field of expertise is not necessarily required.

**Provisions:** The internship usually lasts one to three months, subject to renewal. The internship is unpaid. All costs (flight, accommodation, per diems, health insurance, etc.) will be borne directly by the intern. The intern is responsible for any medical or other health costs that may be incurred. An internship does not, in any way, constitute a commitment to future employment with RFE/RL.

**Application:** Applicants should send either the completed Internship Application or a curriculum vitae and a short essay explaining his/her motivation for completing an internship at RFE/RL. Applications should be sent well in advance of the envisaged period of internship. Applications by email are strongly encouraged.

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**RI—Academic-Year and Multi-Year Ambassadorial Scholarships**

**Scope:** The purpose of the Ambassadorial Scholarships is to further international understanding and friendly relations among people of different countries. The program sponsors several types of scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students as well as for qualified professionals pursuing vocational studies. Academic-Year Ambassadorial Scholarships provide funding for one academic year of study in another country. Multi-Year Ambassadorial Scholarships are for two years of degree-oriented study in another country.

**Eligibility:** All applicants must be citizens of a country in which there are Rotary clubs, and must have completed at least two years of college-level coursework or equivalent professional experience before commencing their studies. The scholarships are not appropriate for students seeking to continue studies already begun at a foreign institution. Applicants must be proficient in the language of the proposed host country. Study or training must be undertaken in another country or territory in which there are Rotary clubs but not in the sponsoring Rotary country or district. Scholarships may be used for almost any field of study but cannot be used for unsupervised research, medical internships or residencies, or
employment. Rotarians and their relatives remain ineligible for scholarship awards for thirty-six months after a Rotarian has resigned from club membership.

**Provisions:** Academic-Year Ambassadorial Scholarships are intended to help cover roundtrip transportation, tuition, fees, room and board expenses, and some educational supplies up to $25,000 or its equivalent. Multi-Year Ambassadorial Scholarships are flat grants of $12,500 or its equivalent is provided per year to be applied toward the costs of a degree program. Scholars serve as ambassadors of goodwill to the people of the host country and give presentations about their homelands to Rotary clubs and other groups. Upon returning home, scholars share with Rotarians and others the experiences that led to greater understanding of their host countries. Scholars will be required to attend outbound and/or inbound orientation seminar(s) if offered in their district and/or region. Orientation seminars will include training on how to develop and make speeches and presentations. Although applicants are asked to list their preferred study locations, the Rotary Foundation Trustees reserve the right to make assignments to any suitable institution to ensure the widest possible geographical distribution of scholars. Scholars will not be assigned to study in a city, state, or province where they have previously lived or studied for more than six months. The scholarship may not be used in conjunction with a study-abroad program affiliated with a home country institution. Scholarships will not be increased to cover spouses, dependents or anyone other than the scholar.

**Application:** Initial application must be made through a Rotary club in the applicant’s place of legal or permanent residence or place of full-time study or employment. Application deadlines vary by club and district, they may be as early as March or as late as 15 July. Scholarship availability varies by Rotary district.

**RI—Cultural Ambassadorial Scholarships**

**Scope:** Cultural Ambassadorial Scholarships are intended to provide an opportunity for intensive language study and cultural immersion in another country.

**Eligibility:** Cultural Ambassadorial Scholarship applicants must have completed at least one year of college-level coursework or equivalent in the proposed language of study.

**Provisions:** Funding for roundtrip transportation, tuition and fees, and reasonable living expenses are covered by the grant. Scholars will stay with local families when possible or appropriate. Funding will not exceed $12,000 or its equivalent for a three-month scholarship, or $19,000 or its equivalent for a six-month scholarship. Most scholars will receive less than the maximum award amount, based on actual study expenses in the host country. Scholars may obtain additional funding from other sources but must inform the Foundation in writing of such funding. Award recipients are expected to serve as ambassadors of international understanding and must allow time for Rotary activities.

**Application:** Before applying, applicants must contact their local Rotary Clubs to inquire what kind of scholarships are available and to determine local application deadlines. The initial application must be made through a local Rotary Club at the applicant’s legal or permanent residence or place of full-time study or employment. District-endorsed applications are then forwarded to the Rotary Foundation for final Trustee approval and school assignment. All applicants approved by the Rotary Foundation Trustees will receive confirmation of their school assignments by December 15. Scholars are responsible for applying and gaining admission to their assigned study institutions, obtaining required visas, and making travel arrangements.
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HSS—Fellowships

Scope: The aim of the program, launched in 1981, is to support junior academics who can participate constructively and with dedication in forming a liberal state. The experience in Germany is intended to enable foreign scholars to play an active part in positions of responsibility in their countries’ economic, technological, social and political development, and to contribute actively to mutual understanding and peaceful coexistence.

Eligibility: The fellowships support foreign graduates, doctoral candidates, postdoctoral scholars, and professors in all disciplines. Students whose outstanding achievements, social and political dedication, and personal qualities offer the best possible guarantee that the scholarship will be completed successfully. Applicants should have a sense of responsibility for civil rights, be politically open-minded, and be active in political, social, or church institutions and organizations.

Provisions: The foreign fellowship program of the Foundation generally provides for two years of career-oriented continuing education and training for foreign graduates of universities and other academic institutions in Germany. Fellows may also attend a language course in preparation for their studies. Fellows pursuing a Ph.D. are eligible for a three-year fellowship. In addition to subject-related study and research, the program provides funds to allow fellows to take part in excursions organized by their respective professional chairs, as well as events and meetings that the Foundation organizes.

Application: Selections are made by project partners and partner organizations of the Foundation in the respective countries.

HSS—Foreign Postgraduate Scholarships

Scope: The aim of these scholarships is to enable trained experts to play their part in the independent further development of their home countries, especially in the Third World, to help build politically stable and economically strong partners for the entire world. Nearly one hundred academics complete the program each year, mostly with two-year scholarships.

Eligibility: The targets for foreign scholarships are young, highly-qualified foreign postgraduates with a good knowledge of the German language and a strong social and political
commitment. Scholarships are granted for research projects, internships, or the final phase of research studies or doctorates. Applicants must be younger than thirty-two years of age.

Provision: The duration of a scholarship is three to twelve months. In the case of doctorates, a six to twelve month scholarship within the scope of “sandwich programs” is possible.

Application: The partner organizations of the Hanns Seidel Foundation pre-select applications in their respective countries. The final selection is made at the Foundation’s headquarters or within the scope of local selection conventions. Direct applications to the Hanns Seidel Foundation cannot be considered.

SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH COUNCIL (SSRC)

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SSRC—International Dissertation Field Research Fellowships

Scope: The program provides support for social scientists and humanists conducting dissertation field research in all areas and regions of the world. Up to fifty fellowships will be awarded annually. The IDRF awards enable doctoral candidates of proven achievement and outstanding potential to use their knowledge of distinctive cultures, societies, languages, economies, politics, and histories, in combination with their disciplinary training, to address issues that transcend their disciplines or area specializations. The program supports scholarship that treats place and setting in relation to broader phenomena as well as in particular historical and cultural contexts.

Eligibility: The program is open to full-time graduate students in the humanities and social sciences enrolled in doctoral programs in the United States, regardless of citizenship. Applicants must complete all Ph.D. requirements except fieldwork and dissertation by the time the fellowship begins. The program invites proposals for field research on all areas or regions of the world, as well as for research that is comparative, cross-regional, and cross-cultural. Proposals may cover all periods in history, but must address topics that have relevance to contemporary issues and debates. Projects that require no substantial research outside the United States are not eligible.

Provisions: Standard fellowships will provide support for nine to twelve months in the field, plus travel expenses. They will rarely exceed $20,000. The fellowship must be held for a single continuous period within eighteen months starting in the summer following the application process. In some cases, the candidate may propose fewer than nine months of overseas fieldwork, but no award will be given for fewer than six months. Support for a second year of field research can only be granted under exceptional circumstances.
**Application:** The application to the IDRF program consists of two parts with separate deadlines. The online application form must first be completed by November 1. Upon successful submission, applicants will receive a PDF file of the properly formatted application by email. Furthermore, a septuplicate (one original, six copies) application package is to be submitted, consisting of the application form, research proposal and bibliography, three letters of reference in signed, sealed envelopes, language evaluation(s) (if applicable), and sealed transcript(s). The completed application package must arrive by November 8.

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**SWK—Guest Fellowships and Fellows-in-Residence**

**Scope:** The two fellowships are organized in cooperation with the Faculty of Media and Communications at the University of Weimar. The aim is to present scholarly debates about current political, cultural, and academic debates to the Weimar public and thus enrich local intellectual life.

**Eligibility:** Preferably, candidates should have completed their Ph.D. The Kolleg does, however, also consider applications from dissertation candidates and graduates of American M.A. and German Diplom and Magister programs.

**Provisions:** Guest Fellows are invited for specific lectures or seminars, Fellows-in-Residence come for several weeks or one semester.

**Application:** Informal applications to be a Fellow-in-Residence can be sent to the Stiftung Weimarer Klassik or the Department of Media/University of Weimar. Applications should consist of a curriculum vitae, a list of publications, a project and/or lecture proposal. Guest Fellows are invited based upon the recommendation of the Board of Trustees and the academic staff.

**SWK—Research Fellowships**

**Scope:** This program supports research focusing on Nietzsche’s life and work. Especially encouraged are proposals for an intercultural, philosophical interpretation of his work in the light of the world after 9/11.
Eligibility: This program is open to undergraduates, graduate students, and Ph.D. candidates.

Provisions: The term of the fellowship depends on the research project, ranging from six weeks to six months. In exceptional cases, long-term support is possible. The fellowship carries a monthly stipend of €1,000. Accommodations and travel expenses are also provided.

Application: Interested candidates should contact the Director for further information.

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Scope: Research support provided by the Stiftung Weimarer Klassik concentrates primarily on the evaluation of collections and materials held in the Goethe and Schiller Archives, the Herzogin Anna Amalia Library, and the museums of the Foundation. Within the scope of its research program, the Foundation awards scholarships to German and foreign scholars who are dedicated to researching European cultural history from the sixteenth- through the twentieth century and who require use of sources in Weimar. Of special interest are projects concerning the culture of Weimar Klassik, Jena Romanticism, their reception, the cultural history of Weimar between 1860 and 1930, and research on the life and work of Friedrich Nietzsche.

Eligibility: Weimar scholarships are awarded to applicants holding a doctorate or similar academic credentials. In exceptional cases, a doctoral thesis may be supported.

Provisions: Scholarships of one to three months are awarded, and extensions are possible upon submission of an additional application. The stipend currently is €1,000 per month. In individual cases, travel grants may be awarded, particularly to applicants from Eastern Europe. The scholarship generally requires a stay in Weimar. The Stiftung Weimarer Klassik regularly organizes meetings with scholarship holders that serve as an interdisciplinary academic discussion forum. A final report about the stay in Weimar is required. If applicable, the Stiftung would appreciate a copy of any publication resulting from work accomplished in Weimar.

Applications: Applications should consist of a detailed project description, a brief curriculum vitae that documents the applicant’s academic development, a list of publications, and at least two references. A commission, which generally convenes in spring and autumn every year, makes the selections. Applications may be submitted any time, ideally, however, by June 15 and November 15, in time for the meetings of the selection committee.
FRITZ THYSSEN FOUNDATION

Herzog Ernst Fellowship of the Thyssen Foundation
See UNIVERSITY OF ERFURT

Thyssen-Heideking Postdoctoral Fellowship
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UB—International Summer Course for German Language, Literature, and Cultural Studies

Scope: The University of Bonn holds a four-week course each August, offering German language classes, working groups, and excursions. Participants have a chance to experience one of Germany’s oldest and largest universities. As the former seat of government, Bonn also still houses various governmental institutions. The summer course gives participants a comprehensive and practical understanding of German culture and traditions, and understands itself as contribution to international exchanges about history, culture, and politics.

Eligibility: All international applicants qualifying for admission to higher education are eligible. Participants should be eighteen or older. The participation fee, including events and excursions, is €630. Accommodation in a student dormitory costs an additional €220 to €280. Participation fees do not cover medical and accident insurance.

Provisions: The participation fee includes all courses and events. One has a choice of fifteen German language courses (basic, intermediate, or advanced), sixty hours of language instruction, seminars on German culture, literature and linguistics (four hours per week), and supporting events like concerts, international meetings, guided tours of the town and visits to German companies. Participants are expected to actively participate in all events. Courses will start with an assessment test for all participants, which will determine their assignment to the individual classes. At the end of the International Summer School, they will receive a certificate, contingent upon regular attendance and a written examination.

Application: Application forms can be downloaded from the website. The registration deadline is May 31. Upon registration, €300 as a first installment of the registration fee must
be paid (cash, money order, or check). The remaining amount is payable in cash upon arrival in Bonn.

UB—Junior Year Abroad

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Scope: The Junior Year Program and the Exchange Program offer students enrolled at partner universities the opportunity to study a semester or year at the University of Bonn. Students can enroll in over eighty subjects as well as in special German language courses. Partner institutions include Madison University, Ripon College (Wisconsin), DePaul University (Chicago), and Ohio State University.

Eligibility: Candidates are selected by their home institutions on the basis of academic achievement, interest, motivation, and language proficiency. Students from all fields can apply. They should have junior standing and a minimum of two semesters of college-level German.

Provisions: The program is designed for a full academic year. However, it is also offered for the winter or summer term only. It offers language immersion, courses on German culture and civilization, regular university courses, and an extensive cultural program.

Application: Applications are only possible through partner institutions of the University of Bonn. Candidates should contact these institutions for application procedures and deadlines.

UB—Germany Hands-On Internship Program

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Scope: Germany Hands-On is a full-time internship program that aims to supplement academic work at the University of Bonn with hands-on work experience and to provide students with better insights into German society. It is a one-semester program, which can also be combined with the Junior Year Program (thus using the first semester to improve
language skills and pursue academic work, with the Internship Program scheduled for the second semester).

Eligibility: The program is designed for international students enrolled at partner universities of the University of Bonn. Students of political science, international relations, history, media science, German studies, art history, music, and economics are invited to apply. Students need to have completed at least two academic years before the beginning of the program. It is also open to graduates. Students need to have a very good command of German: a minimum of four semesters of college-level German with a grade of “B” or better.

Provisions: Current program fees are available at the international office.

Application: The International Office of the University of Bonn is responsible for applications and the organization of the program. This includes internship placements, housing, health insurance, registration at the university, credit transfer, and general advice throughout the semester. Detailed information should therefore be acquired directly from the office. Application deadlines are December 15 for the summer semester and June 15 for the winter semester.

UB—Germany Today

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Scope: Since 1979, the German Academic Exchange Service and the University of Bonn have co-sponsored Germany Today, a twelve-day basic information program about Germany’s political and economic system, held each June with a different thematic focus. Approximately twenty North American participants have the opportunity to experience first-hand the current challenges of German politics, economics, and culture. The tour includes visits to the main educational institutions in Bonn and Brussels and discussions with representatives from the German Academic Exchange Service, the Federal Ministry of Education and Research, the Conference of the Ministers of Education and Cultural Affairs of the Länder as well as the Directorate General for Education at the European Commission. Moreover, appointments with the German federal ministries, the German Bundestag, at universities and non-governmental organizations are planned.
Eligibility: Applicants must have U.S. or Canadian citizenship, a special interest in Germany, a career position in academia/university administration, politics, economy or culture which impacts a greater audience, a specific connection to the thematic focus, and should not have participated in another information trip to Germany recently.

Provisions: Most of the program related costs in Germany (hotel, travel within Europe, meals, cultural events) are paid by the DAAD. The program is held in English and includes discussions with high-ranking public figures, tours and cultural events. The program travels to Bonn, Cologne, Brussels, and Berlin.

Application: Application forms and instructions can be downloaded from the above website. Applications must be received at the DAAD office in New York by March 15.

UB—Transatlantic Summer Academy (TASA)

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Scope: For more than ten years, the University of Bonn has been host to students and graduates from North America and Europe participating in the annual Transatlantic Summer Academy for four weeks in June/July. Founded in 1994, the Academy is dedicated to fostering an understanding of the importance of the transatlantic relationship between North America and Europe amongst future leaders and decision makers. The Academy aims to promote awareness of the common challenges faced by the people of both continents.

Eligibility: Participation in TASA is limited to graduate and Ph.D. students from North America and Europe with a strong background in European studies, international relations, political science, history, economics, law, or cultural studies. In exceptional cases, senior year undergraduate students will be accepted if they can demonstrate exceptional academic achievement and a sound knowledge in the subject areas of the summer academy.

Provisions: Over four weeks, TASA provides an intensive interdisciplinary program of lectures, tutorials, panel discussions, and briefings on politics, economics, law, history, and culture. The program is developed and conducted by a wide range of experts from government, politics, economics, academia, and the media. The schedule allows for sustained contact with those experts and the opportunity to discuss issues of particular interest to the participants.

Application: The application form, instructions and further required materials are available at www.uni-bonn.de/tasa. The application deadline is March 18.
CGS—Predissertation Fellowships

**Scope:** Graduate students often find that a preliminary visit abroad improves their chances of efficient and successful dissertation research. An initial trip can help establish a network of academic support and contacts in advance of a longer-term stay. The Predissertation Fellowships are designed to provide such opportunities and are not intended to be a supplement or substitute for regular dissertation support.

**Eligibility:** Graduate students working on modern European topics and enrolled at any University of California campus are eligible. The Center is unable to support predissertation projects that are purely literary, philosophical, or theoretical in character, i.e. that do not require specific special library, archival, or similar research. Applicants should be in the process of preparing their dissertation proposals, and there should be a gap of at least one semester or two quarters between the completion of their predissertation fellowship and the beginning of their field work abroad.

**Provisions:** The fellowships provide $3,000 to cover two or three months of research in Europe.

**Applications:** Application forms can be obtained from the Center or downloaded from the website. UC Berkeley and UC San Diego students should submit applications directly to the Center for German and European Studies. Applications from students on all other UC campuses must be submitted by their departmental business officers to their campus grants office. Applications must be received at Berkeley no later than February 1.
UE—Herzog Ernst Fellowship of the Thyssen Foundation

Scope: The former Library of the Court of Gotha houses one of the most important collections of manuscripts, biographies, and memoirs from the sixteenth to the twentieth century. The program’s objective is to promote research that requires the use of these vast collections, and to support projects in accord with the universal spirit of the Gotha Library. The program is therefore interdisciplinary in character. Research projects may focus on cultural aspects of the Court of Gotha, cultural transfer and enlightenment (travel reports and country studies from early modern times), the interpretation and history of European literature from the sixteenth to early nineteenth century, the history of interpretation of early religious cultures (Islam, Protestantism), and the philosophy and history of the German and European Enlightenment.

Eligibility: The fellowships are for Ph.D. students and scholars engaged in postdoctoral research.

Provisions: Fellowships last from three to nine months for dissertation projects and three to six months for postdoctoral research. Doctoral stipends are in the amount of €1,000 per month, postdoctoral fellowships carry stipends of €1,500 per month. Short-term fellowships for four to eight weeks are also available. Fellows are expected to engage in intellectual exchange with other fellows and mentors at the University of Erfurt, and to present their project in a colloquium. A report upon completion of the fellowship is required, as is a copy of any publication resulting from research conducted at the Gotha Library.

Application: Candidates should submit their proposal together with the completed application form (available for download), a curriculum vitae, a two- to five-page project outline, two letters of recommendation, copies of academic transcripts, and a publication list. Materials should be submitted as hard copy and in electronic form on a floppy disc. Applications can be submitted in German, English, Italian, or French by November 22.

UE—Transatlantic Program Research Fellowship

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Scope: The University of Erfurt is committed to international scholarly cooperation and exchange. As part of its Transatlantic Program, sponsored by the Federal Ministry of Economy and Labor’s ERP fund, the University of Erfurt offers two Carl Schurz Fellowships for doctoral research, and two Maria Sibylla Merian Fellowships for postdoctoral research. Preference will be given to scholars who will use the holdings of the Gotha Research Library, housed in the Schloss Friedenstein. This library, part of the University Library of
Erfurt, contains one of Germany’s largest collections of seventeenth- and eighteenth-century books and manuscripts.

Eligibility: The fellowships are for U.S. students and scholars who are working on topics related to the culture, society, economy, history, and politics of Central Europe for which they need to evaluate source materials located in Germany.

Provisions: The Schurz Fellowships are of six months duration, including a monthly stipend of €850 and travel expenses up to €1,000. The Merian Fellowships are of three months duration, including a monthly stipend of €1,400 and travel expenses up to €1,000.

Application: There are no application forms. Dossiers should include a curriculum vitae, a research proposal of no more than ten pages, two letters of recommendation (for doctoral fellowships) or one letter of recommendation (for postdoctoral fellowships) respectively. The application deadline is October 31.

UNIVERSITY OF FREIBURG (UF)

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UF—International Study Weeks

Scope: The International Study Weeks at the University of Freiburg are among the oldest in Germany and attract participants from all over the world. The three-week program is offered in March, August and September, and covers a broad array of courses, including those on cultural, historical, political, and social aspects of Germany, German literature and philosophy, German language classes, and business German.

Eligibility: Candidates must be at least eighteen years of age, and they should have solid German language skills.

Provisions: The costs for the course is €350 (€450 in August), plus €260 for accommodations. There are no scholarships or waivers for participants in the International Study Weeks. Candidates should direct inquiries for financial support to the DAAD in Bonn. Participants will be placed in appropriate language courses after an initial placement test. Apart from the courses, seminars and lectures on German culture and history are offered. All participants receive a certificate upon completion of the program. The summer program offers specialized courses for prospective teachers of German as a foreign language, as well as courses in business German.

Application: The application form should be accompanied by two passport photos and proof of payment for the course. It must be received by February 1, June 1, or July 1, respectively.
UNIVERSITY OF MAINZ
INSTITUTE FOR EUROPEAN HISTORY (IEG)

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IEG—Research Fellowships

Scope: The Institute for European History offers twenty fellowships each year to young historians. The fellowships are designed to give young scholars the opportunity to concentrate on their work and to provide a forum to discuss their work with colleagues in their field.

Eligibility: The competition is open to young historians from Europe and overseas. Candidates must have completed their undergraduate education, and they should either be in the advanced stages of their dissertations or already be in possession of their doctorates. Successful applicants will have a strong command of the German language.

Provisions: The monthly allowance follows the current DAAD guidelines and ranges from €795 to €975, depending on the candidate’s academic degree at the time of application. The grant also covers some research-related travel expenses and health insurance costs; married scholars may receive an additional allowance. Fellowships usually last six to twelve months, with a possibility for shorter research periods as well as renewals.

Application: Applicants should submit an informal cover letter; a curriculum vitae including age, education, work experience, and knowledge of the German language; copies of university transcripts; a detailed research proposal that outlines the anticipated work plan and time-frame; the names and addresses of two professors or academic advisers who are prepared to write a letter of recommendation; and a list of academic publications. Applications should be addressed to the director of the division of the Institute to which he or she is applying. Applications should be received one month prior to the selection committee meetings in March, July, and November.

VOLKSWAGEN FOUNDATION (VF)

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VF—Tandem Program for the Promotion of Interdisciplinary Postdoctoral Cooperation

Scope: This program is intended to offer talented young scholars the opportunity to carry out interdisciplinary research projects in a team of two or three scholars.

Eligibility: The program is open to young scholars of all academic disciplines who have received their Ph.D. no longer than two years ago. Tandem partners should not have received their Ph.D. in the same academic discipline. One of the tandem partners may live in a European country. Research projects should require close interdisciplinary cooperation of two or three young scholars. Participants may also have some teaching obligations.

Provisions: Support of up to three years is available for postdoctoral scholars (BAT IIa) and their research assistants, as well as workshops, symposia, and travel expenses.

Application: Applications must be submitted by two or three postdoctoral scholars in English or German and must be accompanied by a letter of the research institute(s) involved. The application deadline is August 31. Interested candidates should check the above website for details on the application process.

WISSENSCHAFTSKOLLELG ZU BERLIN (WIKO)

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WIKO—SIAS Summer Institutes (SIASSI)

Scope: SIAS Summer Institutes—an interdisciplinary research program for promising junior scholars from Europe and the United States—are sponsored by the SIAS (Some Institutes for Advanced Study), an association of Institutes for Advanced Study. The Alexander von Humboldt-Stiftung and the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation jointly fund the SIAS Summer
Institutes. In Europe, they are organized by the Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin; in the United States by the National Humanities Center. Each institute brings together approximately twenty fellows (ten Europeans and ten Americans) and four senior scholars to develop interdisciplinary scholarly networks and collaborative projects. The goals of the summer institutes are to discuss theoretical, methodological, and empirical issues; to integrate approaches and interpretations from various disciplines; and to identify promising areas for further research.

Eligibility: Doctoral candidates and postdoctoral scholars in the relevant disciplines may apply. Postdoctoral scholars should have completed the Ph.D. no more than five years earlier; their research should have addressed the topic in question. Accepting the stipend obligates the researcher to take part in both workshops.

Provisions: The SIAS Summer Institutes are two-year research programs. Each summer institute consists of two ten- to fourteen-day workshops held in consecutive years, alternating between Europe and the United States. The summer institutes are designed to strengthen and expand interdisciplinary cooperation in the social and natural sciences. Successful applicants are expected to attend both workshops.

Application: Announcements are posted on the website. A complete application consists of an application form, a curriculum vitae, a statement of up to 1,000 words (not counting references) detailing current research interests and past work related to the topic, a list of up to five background readings potentially relevant to all participants in the summer institute, and a letter of recommendation. Applications are due by February 18 for workshops in July/August of the same year.

EBELIN AND GERD BUCERIUS ZEIT FOUNDATION (ZF)

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ZF—Dissertation Program “Germany and its Eastern Neighbors”

Scope: The Ebelin and Gerd Bucerius ZEIT Foundation established the dissertation scholarship “Germany and its Eastern Neighbors—Contributions to European History” in 2001 to promote research on the historical relationships between Germany and Central and Eastern Europe. The aim of the dissertation program is to understand the history of the East Central European region as a part of Europe’s common history.

Eligibility: The fellowship is open to qualified Ph.D. candidates in history and related disciplines.

Provisions: The fellowship stipends depend on the country of research and can be up to €1,000 per month for up to two years. In exceptional cases, extensions may be granted for
an additional six months. Additional grants for travel and research-related expenses are also available.

Application: Before applying, it is recommended to contact the Foundation. An initial written proposal should include information about the goal and methodology of the research, a timetable and cost analysis, and the requested amount of support from the foundation. Formal applications should be submitted via the online-application form. Interested candidates should contact Dr. Ingmar Ahl at ahl@zeit-stiftung.de for further information.

ZF—“History Takes Place”—Summer Academy “Europe’s Memorial Sites”

Scope: The Summer Academy offers Europe’s rising generation of historians an opportunity to meet each other, leading to cooperation in research. Every year, the Ebelin and Gerd Bucerius ZEIT Foundation invites up to twenty young historians from across Europe to track “Europe’s Memorial Sites” in a different urban or rural location, in order to explore the historical potential of the nations of Europe. The Summer Academy promotes the necessary European orientation in the field of history, creating opportunities for future researchers to meet and to pursue those elements of European history and culture that European nations have in common.

Eligibility: The program is open to college students, graduates, and Ph.D. candidates. Selection is based on the originality and soundness of the proposed topic. Applicants must not be older than thirty-five years of age.

Provisions: Participants’ travel expenses and accommodation are covered by the Foundation. A preliminary meeting is held in May/June.

Application: Applicants should send a proposal (maximum seven pages) describing the proposed contribution to the academy, academic transcripts, and two letters of recommendation. The application deadline is March 31. It is recommended that candidates be nominated by their department chair or institution. Interested candidates should contact Georg Thum at thum@zeit-stiftung.de for further information.