CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Humanity in Action Summer Program (RESEARCH)
Opportunities for: Undergraduates / Post-Graduates – All fields

The Humanity In Action (HIA) Fellowship brings together international groups of Fellows to study minority rights and produce original research exploring how and why individuals and societies, past and present, have resisted intolerance and protected democratic values. Separate programs take place for five weeks every summer in Amsterdam, Berlin, Copenhagen, Paris, and Warsaw.

HIA covers the costs of participation and accommodation during the fellowship. However, all Fellows will be responsible for financing the cost of airfare to participate in the program. HIA will cover this cost for Fellows with documented need. HIA provides a modest stipend for meals, Fellows should also plan to bring spending money of approximately $500 for food and social activities during the fellowship program.
Deadline: Jan. 9 Link: www.humanityinaction.org/programs

CORO Fellows Program in Public Affairs
Opportunities for: Post-Graduates
Field(s): Public Service

A full-time, nine month, graduate-level experiential leadership training program that prepares diverse, talented and committed individuals for effective and ethical leadership in the public affairs arena. Cost: $3,500-5,000; some scholarship support is available.
Deadline: Jan. 24 Link: www.coro.org/site/c.geJNIUOzErH/b.4667963

TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES

Japan Exchange and Teaching Program (JET)
Opportunities for: Post-Graduates interested in Japan and Japanese Culture & Language

The Japan Exchange and Teaching (JET) Programme aims to promote grass roots internationalisation at the local level by inviting young overseas graduates to assist in international exchange and foreign language education in local governments, boards of education and elementary, junior and senior high schools throughout Japan. It seeks to foster ties between Japanese citizens (mainly youth) and JET participants at the person-to-person level. JET Programme participants are employed as one of the following positions: Assistant Language Teacher (ALT), Coordinator for International Relations (CIR), or Sports Exchange Advisor (SEA). The majority of JET participants are Assistant Language Teachers (AL Ts) who are from English speaking countries. JET participants who arrive in Japan from 2012 will receive approximately 3.36 million yen in their first year of appointment. The remuneration is considered enough to live comfortably in Japan.

Teach for America
Opportunities for: Post-Graduates in All fields

Teach for America recruits a diverse group of leaders with a record of achievement who work to expand educational opportunity, starting by teaching for two years in a low-income community. Their goal is provide an excellent education for
kids in low-income communities. Positions are available in a range of communities across the US and teachers are needed in all academic disciplines. Teacher/leaders are compensated between $30,000-51,000 plus benefits for a two year commitment.

Deadline: Multiple deadlines Link: www.teachforamerica.org/index.htm

Woodrow Wilson Teaching Fellowship

Opportunities for: Post-Graduates in Mathematics, Science, and Engineering

Description: The Woodrow Wilson Teaching Fellowship program provides $30,000 fellowships to outstanding college graduates and career changers in science, technology, engineering, and math to complete an intensive, clinically-based master’s program at participating universities. In return, Fellows commit to teach for at least three years in a high-need secondary urban or rural school in the partner state.

Deadline: Multiple deadlines Link: http://www.wwteachingfellowship.org/

**FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES AND AWARDS**

**JW Saxe Memorial Prize for Public Service (INTERNSHIP FUNDING)**

Opportunities for: Undergraduates and Post-Graduates in All Fields

The J.W. Saxe Memorial Fund is a prize of two thousand dollars awarded annually to one or more college or university students in the United States involved in public service. The award enables students to gain practical experience in public service by taking a no-pay or low-pay job or internship during a summer or other term. Preference will be given applicants who have already found such a position, but who require additional funds.

Deadline: March 15 Link: www.jwsaxefund.org/index.php

**Pearson Prize for Higher Education (FELLOWSHIP)**

Opportunities for: Post-Graduates in Community Service

The Pearson Foundation awards The Pearson Prize National Fellowships to 20 students in recognition of their commitment to local communities. The Pearson Prize offers: 20 National Fellows a cash award of $10,000, paid over two years; access to a unique student-centered resource for fostering community involvement and social entrepreneurship; guidance and opportunities from the Pearson Foundation and from Pearson, a leader in education; the TakingITGlobal Sprout E-course – giving National Fellows access to training in essential skills, including team building, project management, communications and leveraging technology, as they imagine, plan and develop social innovation projects; and the opportunity to win additional project seed funding.

Deadline: Mid-March Link: www.pearsonfoundation.org/pearsonprize/

**Samuel Huntington Public Service Award (AWARD)**

Opportunities for: Post-Graduates in All Fields

The Samuel Huntington Public Service Award provides a $10,000 stipend for a graduating college senior to pursue one year of public service anywhere in the world.

Deadline: Jan. 18, 2013 Link: www.nationalgridus.com/commitment/d4-1_award.asp
POST-GRADUATE OPPORTUNITIES

AIF Clinton Fellowship for Service (FELLOWSHIP)

Opportunities for: Post-Graduates in All Fields

The American India Foundation’s William J. Clinton Fellowship for Service in India is committed to developing the next generation of leaders. Through AIF’s 10 month fellowship in India, Clinton Fellows are equipped with a practical, field-based knowledge of development. These fellows will become life-long ambassadors for service to the marginalized & underserved in India. The Fellowship pairs a select number of young professionals with credible NGOs and social enterprises in India in order to accelerate impact and create effective projects that are replicable, scalable, and sustainable. Together, AIF’s Clinton Fellows and development sector leaders form dynamic partnerships to exchange technical skills and knowledge, as well as their passion, commitment, and new ways of looking at the world; ultimately transforming both the individual and organization. Applications accepted from American citizens, Indian Citizens, and US Permanent Residents who have completed their undergraduate studies and are under the age of 34. AIF prioritizes both professional experience as well as a strong commitment to India’s development. Ideal candidates come from a variety of backgrounds, both professional and academic. Knowledge of an Indian language is not required, but is a consideration in selection of fellows.
Deadline: Jan. 1   Link: www.aif.org/w-j-clinton-fellowship.html

Emerson National Hunger Fellows Program (FELLOWSHIP)

Opportunities for: Post-Graduates in All Fields

Fellows gain field experience fighting hunger and poverty through placements in community based organizations across the country, and policy experience through placements in Washington, D.C. The program bridges community-based efforts and national public policy, and fellows develop as effective leaders in the movement to end hunger and poverty. CHC recruits thoughtful individuals who are committed to social justice and anti-racism, enthusiastic about participating in the fellowship community, and easily able to adjust to new situations. Applicants should have some experience with anti-hunger or anti-poverty work and must be citizens or permanent legal residents of the United States. Fellows receive a living stipend, health insurance, and housing support during the course of the Fellowship. Upon completion, Fellows receive an end of service award and become part of the Emerson Hunger Fellows alumni community and professional network.
Deadline: Jan. 18   Link: www.emersonapplication.org/fellowship

Greenlining Institute (FELLOWSHIP)

Opportunities for: Post-Graduates in All Fields

The Fellowship Program is a year-long training program for young leaders that have completed, at minimum, their undergraduate degrees by the start of the program. Fellows are assigned to specific program areas and develop expertise with the direction of a Program Manager and the Academy Director. Although the curriculum is similar to that of the Associates program, Fellows are given more responsibility and independence to implement projects and programs. Fellows participate in leadership skills workshops, attend meetings with key stakeholders, and conduct site visits to community, government, and corporate entities. Fellows receive regular mentorship, professional and personal skill development and are given opportunities to interact with the media, write reports/press releases, fundraise, testify at policy hearings, and participate in key meetings with top government officials, corporate CEOs, and political leaders. As a Fellow, one works 37.5 hours per week and earns $33,800 per year plus health benefits.

Leland International Hunger Fellows Program (FELLOWSHIP)

Opportunities for: Post-Graduates interested in issues related to food security, including Agricultural research, Nutrition, Advocacy, Climate change, and Enterprise development
Leland Fellows are selected based on their demonstrated leadership qualities, experience, maturity, flexibility, and commitment to fighting hunger. Eligible candidates have spent at least one year working or volunteering in a developing country on issues related to hunger and poverty and possess a relevant graduate degree or equivalent experience. Deadline: Oct. 2012  
Link: http://www.hungercenter.org/fellowships/leland/

Mabelle Arole International Fellowship (FELLOWSHIP)
Opportunities for: Post-Graduates with Admission to Medical School

The Mabelle Arole Fellowship provides support for a graduating pre-med student who has been accepted into medical school and willing to defer admission for one year in order to experience community-based primary health care while living, working, and learning in Jamkhed, India, for one year. During that time, s/he will have experience in the hospital (in-patient and out-patient and in the field) and work on a project, depending on current CRHP activities and needs and your interest. The fellow will be paid a stipend of $8000 in quarterly payments. This covers housing, living expenses, and travel, including airfare to and from India. In order to adapt to living at CRHP, candidates should be flexible, open, able to adapt appropriately to other cultures (including food), and interested in learning from others, especially village people. Deadline: Jan. 18  
Link: www.amsa.org/AMSA/Homepage/MemberCenter/PreMeds/mabellearole.aspx

Villers Fellowship for Health Care Justice (FELLOWSHIP)
Opportunities for: Post-Graduates willing to commit to social and health care justice advocacy following their year of hands-on experience as a fellow

The Villers Fellow works as a full-time policy analyst in Families USA’s Health Policy Department. The Fellowship is based in the Families USA office in Washington, D.C. and is designed to provide the Fellow with a national perspective on health care justice work and the opportunity to learn about a range of health care justice issues. The Fellow’s principal responsibilities include conducting primary and secondary research on a range of health care issues and health reform topics—such as Medicaid, Medicare, the state Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP), and the private insurance market—as well as writing and contributing to publications that are relevant to current health reform issues. The fellowship will last one year, from August 2012 through July 2013, and Fellows will receive a compensatory package that includes an annual salary of approximately $38,000 and excellent health care benefits. One Villers Fellow is selected each year. Deadline: Jan. 14  
Link: www.familiesusa.org/fellowships/the-villers-fellowship.html

Wellstone Fellowship for Social Justice (FELLOWSHIP)
Opportunities for: Post-Graduates who are low-income, American Indian & Alaska Native, Asian American, Black/African American, Latino, and Native Hawaiian & Pacific Islander social justice leaders. Candidates seeking consideration for the Wellstone Fellowship must demonstrate an interest in using using organizing and advocacy skills to achieve health care justice and social change. Applicants should also demonstrate a commitment to contributing to social justice advocacy following their year of hands-on experience as a fellow.

The Wellstone Fellow’s primary responsibilities include assisting in the organization of conferences and trainings for advocates and community leaders; drafting talking points, blogs, fact sheets, and other publications; and developing content for the Families USA website and email lists. During the year, the Fellow will learn about health reform implementation, health equity, Medicaid, Medicare, and other important health policy issues. At the same time, the Wellstone Fellow will develop an understanding of the tactics and strategies used in state-based consumer health advocacy organizations and will work directly with our network of state consumer health advocates and organizations. Fellows receive a stipend of $38,000 and health benefits to support their participation. Deadline: Jan. 31  
Link: www.familiesusa.org/fellowships/wellstone-fellowship-about.html